

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, A 60th wedding anniversary marks a lifetime of love
2 and shared experiences, and Carl and Carolyn Hilderbran of Uvalde
3 are celebrating this joyous milestone in their marriage on January
4 28, 2009; and

5 WHEREAS, Carl Hilderbran and the former Carolyn Cecile Guidry
6 met while they were enrolled at Texas A&I University; two months
7 after meeting, they were married at a ceremony held in his sister's
8 home in Sinton; and

9 WHEREAS, Through the years, Mr. and Mrs. Hilderbran have been
10 blessed with a treasured family that includes four sons, Victor
11 Guidry Hilderbran, Joseph Anthony Hilderbran, Carl Byron
12 Hilderbran, Jr., and Representative Harvey Ray Hilderbran, and they
13 have delighted in the addition of six grandchildren, Sarah, Roy,
14 Byron, Cecile, Haley, and Callie, to their circle of loved ones; and

15 WHEREAS, An Eagle Scout and a veteran of the United States
16 Coast Guard, Mr. Hilderbran has enjoyed success as a farmer,
17 rancher, and real estate developer; he worked at USDA Soil
18 Conservation Services, Darr Equipment, and Holt Equipment, and
19 established his own business, C & H Machinery; today he raises
20 homing pigeons, winning competitions throughout the nation as well
21 as abroad; and

22 WHEREAS, Mrs. Hilderbran was an inspiring role model as a
23 teacher and counselor over the course of a career in education that
24 spanned nearly three decades; now retired, she is a formidable

1 bridge player; and

2 WHEREAS, For more than 50 years, the couple have made their
3 home in Uvalde, where they worship at St. Philip's Episcopal
4 Church; and

5 WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Hilderbran have nurtured an abiding
6 love for one another for six decades, and they are among an
7 exceptional group of men and women who can claim such a lasting
8 commitment; now, therefore, be it

9 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
10 Legislature hereby congratulate Carl and Carolyn Hilderbran on the
11 occasion of their 60th wedding anniversary and extend to them
12 sincere best wishes for continued happiness; and, be it further

13 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
14 prepared for Mr. and Mrs. Hilderbran as an expression of high regard
15 by the Texas House of Representatives.

Hilderbran

Straus	Gattis	Menendez
Allen	Geren	Merritt
Alonzo	Giddings	Miklos
Alvarado	Gonzales	Miller of Comal
Anchia	Gonzalez Toureilles	Miller of Erath
Anderson	Guillen	Moody
Aycock	Gutierrez	Morrison
Berman	Hamilton	Naishtat
Bohac	Hancock	Oliveira
Bolton	Hardcastle	Olivo
Bonnen	Harless	Orr
Branch	Harper-Brown	Ortiz, Jr.
Brown of Kaufman	Hartnett	Otto
Brown of Brazos	Heflin	Parker
Burnam	Hernandez	Patrick
Button	Herrero	Paxton
Callegari	Hilderbran	Pena
Castro	Hochberg	Phillips
Chavez	Hodge	Pickett
Chisum	Homer	Pierson
Christian	Hopson	Pitts
Cohen	Howard of Fort Bend	Quintanilla
Coleman	Howard of Travis	Raymond
Cook	Hughes	Riddle
Corte	Hunter	Rios Ybarra
Crabb	Isett	Ritter
Craddick	Jackson	Rodriguez
Creighton	Jones	Rose
Crownover	Keffer	Sheffield
Darby	Kent	Shelton
Davis of Harris	King of Parker	Smith of Tarrant
Davis of Dallas	King of Taylor	Smith of Harris
Deshotel	King of Zavala	Smithee
Driver	Kleinschmidt	Solomons
Dukes	Kolkhorst	Strama
Dunnam	Kuempel	Swinford
Dutton	Laubenberg	Taylor
Edwards	Legler	Thibaut
Eiland	Leibowitz	Thompson
Eissler	Lewis	Truitt
Elkins	Lucio III	Turner of Tarrant
England	Madden	Turner of Harris
Farabee	Maldonado	Vaught
Farias	Mallory Caraway	Veasey
Farrar	Marquez	Villarreal
Fletcher	Martinez	Vo
Flores	Martinez Fischer	Walle
Flynn	McCall	Weber
Frost	McClendon	Woolley
Gallego	McReynolds	Zerwas

H.R. No. 198

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 198 was adopted by the House on
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Chief Clerk of the House