By: Smith of Tarrant

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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, An inspiring couple whose lives have been enhanced

2 by a great and enduring love, Gil and Cheryl Holt of Bedford

3 celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on January 17, 2009; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Holt exchanged the vows of matrimony in

5 South Bend, Indiana, on that special day in 1959; through the years,

6 they have nurtured a fulfilling marriage, become the parents of

7 three children, Gail, Glenn, and Gloria, and welcomed four

8 grandchildren into their family; and

9 WHEREAS, A veteran of the U.S. Marine Corps, Mr. Holt worked

10 for the Indiana State Police until his retirement and is now an

11 active corporate pilot and flight instructor; Mrs. Holt, a

12 homemaker, is a former orchestral cellist; residents of Bedford

13 since 1986, this esteemed couple are both avid musicians, and they

14 enjoy membership at the Brown Trail Church of Christ, where they

15 delight in singing together; and

16 WHEREAS, While much has changed in the world during the past

17 half-century, this devoted husband and wife have remained constant

18 in their commitment to one another, and the strength of their love

19 has enabled them to meet life's challenges and opportunities with

20 grace and optimism; now, therefore, be it

21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas

22 Legislature hereby congratulate Gil and Cheryl Holt on the occasion

23 of their golden wedding anniversary and extend to them sincere best

24 wishes for continued happiness; and, be it further

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- 1 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 2 prepared for Mr. and Mrs. Holt as an expression of high regard by
- 3 the Texas House of Representatives.