

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, An inspiring couple whose lives have been enhanced
2 by a great and enduring love, Pernell and Audrey Peterson
3 celebrated their 65th wedding anniversary on August 18, 2007; and

4 WHEREAS, Pernell J. Peterson and the former Audrey Thompson
5 were united in matrimony at First Lutheran Church in Waco on that
6 special day in 1942; through the years, they have nurtured a
7 fulfilling marriage that has been made even richer with the
8 addition of their children, Patricia McElfish and her husband,
9 John, Carol Blasche and her husband, Donald, and Thomas Eric
10 Peterson, as well as six grandchildren, Donna, Michael, Erik,
11 Nathan, Jason, and Gavin, and two great-granddaughters, Kaitlyn and
12 Ashley; and

13 WHEREAS, Mr. Peterson is retired from Waco Printing Company
14 and Mrs. Peterson is retired from the Texas State Commission for the
15 Blind; the couple are members of Saint Matthew Lutheran Church; and

16 WHEREAS, While much has changed in the world over the course
17 of their marriage, this devoted husband and wife have remained
18 constant in their commitment to one another, and the strength of
19 their love has enabled them to meet life's challenges and
20 opportunities with grace and optimism; now, therefore, be it

21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
22 Legislature hereby congratulate Pernell and Audrey Peterson on the
23 notable milestone of their 65th wedding anniversary and extend to
24 them sincere best wishes for continued happiness; and, be it

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1 further

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

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1846 was adopted by the House on May 14, 2009, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House