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R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Jimmie Joe and Gloria Helleson of Waco celebrated  
2 their 50th wedding anniversary on December 6, 2008, and they may  
3 indeed reflect with joy on the rewarding relationship they have  
4 shared; and

5           WHEREAS, Jimmie Joe Helleson and the former Gloria Prause  
6 exchanged the vows of matrimony at First Baptist Church of China  
7 Spring in 1958, and over the course of their marriage, they have  
8 found in each other a loving life partner; and

9           WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Helleson count among their blessings a  
10 fine family that includes two children, Dewayne Helleson and his  
11 wife, Kelley, and Jana Cotton and her husband, the Reverend Wayne  
12 Cotton, as well as five grandchildren, with whom they share the many  
13 special occasions of life; and

14           WHEREAS, For half a century, Jimmie Joe and Gloria Helleson  
15 have brought to their marriage laughter, kindness, and devotion,  
16 and it is a pleasure to honor them for their enduring commitment;  
17 now, therefore, be it

18           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas  
19 Legislature hereby congratulate Jimmie Joe and Gloria Helleson on  
20 their 50th wedding anniversary and extend to them sincere best  
21 wishes for continued happiness; and, be it further

22           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
23 prepared for Mr. and Mrs. Helleson as an expression of high regard  
24 by the Texas House of Representatives.