

By: Craddick

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R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, April 18, 2009, marked the 60th wedding anniversary  
2 of Louis and Gertrude Bevacqua of Midland, and this joyous event  
3 provides a fitting opportunity to reflect on their memorable  
4 journey together as husband and wife; and

5           WHEREAS, Louis Bevacqua and the former Gertrude Bjornson were  
6 joined in matrimony in 1949, at a ceremony held at Sacred Heart  
7 Cathedral in Dallas; through the years, they have been blessed with  
8 a treasured family that includes four children, Lucretia Bevacqua,  
9 Louis Bevacqua, Jr., Anna Brewer, and Tony Bevacqua, and two  
10 grandchildren; and

11           WHEREAS, Before moving to Midland in 1970, the couple lived  
12 in Kansas, Oklahoma, Colorado, New Mexico, Dallas, and Amarillo;  
13 now retired, Mr. Bevacqua was a petroleum geologist and Mrs.  
14 Bevacqua was a registered nurse; they are members of St. Ann's  
15 Catholic Church; and

16           WHEREAS, The 60 years of marriage that Mr. and Mrs. Bevacqua  
17 have shared is eloquent affirmation of the meaning of love and  
18 commitment, and their enduring union is an inspiration to all who  
19 know them; now, therefore, be it

20           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas  
21 Legislature hereby congratulate Louis and Gertrude Bevacqua on  
22 their 60th anniversary and extend to them sincere best wishes for  
23 continued happiness; and, be it further

24           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

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1 prepared for Mr. and Mrs. Bevacqua as an expression of high regard  
2 by the Texas House of Representatives.