

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 118

**WHEREAS**, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to pay tribute to Patsy Jane Reichle Mills on the grand occasion of her 89th birthday, which is being celebrated July 16, 2011, in George West; and

**WHEREAS**, A resident of the Villa of Corpus Christi, Northwest, Patsy Jane Mills is a warm and gracious lady well known for her charm and generosity of spirit; and

**WHEREAS**, She was born July 15, 1922, in Elgin, Texas, to Dora and Miles "Shorty" Reichle; she was a lovely little one, and at the age of eight months, she was deemed the Prettiest Baby in Elgin; and

**WHEREAS**, She grew up in Three Rivers, Texas, with a sister and brother, Virginia and Jack; her father worked at the Three Rivers Glass Factory, and when that factory was shut down, the family moved to Palestine, where her father worked at the Knox Glass Factory until he retired; and

**WHEREAS**, Patsy Jane Reichle married Louie Mills, an oil field worker, in Three Rivers on February 1, 1941; they had three daughters, Deann, Janie, and Peggy, and a son, Miles Ray; they moved to Corpus Christi in 1965; Mr. and Mrs. Mills both enjoyed going to auctions and were avid antique collectors; they were married almost 60 years, until his death in 2000; and

**WHEREAS**, She is a devoted mother and a wonderful grandmother who never forgets a special day in the lives of her family and friends; a beloved and respected lady, she is noted for her courage, her compassion for others, and her enthusiasm for living each day to the fullest; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 82nd Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby recognize Patsy Jane Reichle Mills as a treasured citizen of this state and extend to her best wishes for a joyous birthday celebration; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for her as a memento of this special day.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the  
above Resolution was adopted by  
the Senate on June 27, 2011.

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Secretary of the Senate

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Member, Texas Senate