

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 124

**WHEREAS**, When they married on July 20, 1953, Doris Faye Lewis and George Cornelius Gresham made a lifetime commitment to each other, and their mutual trust has been amply rewarded as they are now celebrating their 60th wedding anniversary; and

**WHEREAS**, George and Doris first met while they were both serving in the United States Army in the early 1950s in Heidelberg, Germany; he was a dental laboratory technician and she was a medical technician; their wedding took place at the Hillcrest Baptist Church in Nederland, Texas, and the couple honeymooned in Galveston; and

**WHEREAS**, Sergeant Gresham had a successful career in the army and the couple lived in Paris, France, where their two daughters were born, and later in San Antonio, Ethiopia, and Maryland; after his retirement, they moved to Huntsville, Texas, where they opened the Gresham Dental Laboratory; and

**WHEREAS**, Mr. and Mrs. Gresham have been very active in the Huntsville community; she has served as a volunteer at the Huntsville Memorial Hospital for over 45 years, has been a literacy volunteer, and is a member of the Raven Dulcimer Society; he has volunteered at the Huntsville Public Library, the local Safe House women's shelter, and the Veterans' Museum; and

**WHEREAS**, Over the years, their devotion to each other has only grown stronger as they have experienced the joys and sorrows of everyday living; they both participate in programs that support American veterans, and they enjoy spending time with family and friends and relish their role as grandparents; and

**WHEREAS**, The long and happy union of Mr. and Mrs. Gresham is truly an inspiration to us all; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 83rd Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby extend congratulations to Doris and George Gresham on the grand occasion of their 60th wedding anniversary; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for this distinguished couple as a memento of this special day in their lives.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on June 24, 2013.

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Secretary of the Senate

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Member, Texas Senate