

By: Hughes

H.R. No. 1082

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, The 106th birthday of an esteemed Texan is truly  
2 cause for celebration, and Jewel Clay observed this impressive  
3 milestone in her life on December 3, 2012; and

4           WHEREAS, A lifelong resident of the Winnsboro area, Jewel  
5 Clay grew up on a farm, and learned the value of hard work while  
6 gardening and cooking; she married Roger Clay, and she lovingly  
7 raised six children, Jo, William, Pam, R. C., Margaret, and Harold  
8 Wayne; and

9           WHEREAS, Mrs. Clay remains an inspiring and nurturing  
10 matriarch to a family that today includes 11 grandchildren and  
11 numerous great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren, all of  
12 whom benefit from her exceptional culinary skills; and

13           WHEREAS, This notable Texan continues to be active and  
14 independent; she is a longtime member of Pine Baptist Church, and in  
15 her free time she enjoys quilting, attending Winnsboro ISD sporting  
16 events and the local rodeo, and playing dominoes; and

17           WHEREAS, Jewel Clay has earned a special place in the hearts  
18 of all those who are fortunate enough to know her, and it is indeed a  
19 pleasure to join in recognizing her for 106 years of life well  
20 lived; now, therefore, be it

21           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas  
22 Legislature hereby congratulate Jewel Clay on her 106th birthday  
23 and extend to her sincere best wishes for continued happiness; and,  
24 be it further

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