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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, A 50th wedding anniversary marks a lifetime of
2 mutual devotion and shared experiences, and Oel and Catherine
3 Castner of Spring are celebrating this joyous milestone in their
4 marriage on July 5, 2013; and

5 WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Castner were joined in matrimony in
6 1963 at a ceremony held at First Methodist Church in Corpus Christi,
7 and over the course of their marriage, they have found in each other
8 a loving life partner; and

9 WHEREAS, The couple built boys ranches and children's homes
10 until they moved to Montgomery County in 1981; Mrs. Castner spent
11 20 years as an educator at Knox and York Junior High Schools, and
12 she now works with the Montgomery County Food Bank BackPack for Kids
13 Program; Mr. Castner is a professional storyteller, humorist, and
14 folklorist, and he relates Texan tales to more than 10,000
15 schoolchildren per year; he also counsels young adults on applying
16 to and paying for college; and

17 WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Castner have enjoyed a half-century of
18 abiding love and affection for each other, and they are among an
19 exceptional group of men and women who can claim such a lasting
20 commitment; now, therefore, be it

21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
22 Legislature hereby congratulate Oel and Catherine Castner on their
23 golden wedding anniversary and extend to them sincere best wishes
24 for continued happiness; and, be it further

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