

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The 100th birthday of an esteemed Texan truly merits
2 special recognition, and Ninfa Trevino Pena of Mission is marking
3 this notable milestone in her life on May 8, 2013; and

4 WHEREAS, The youngest of five daughters, Ninfa Trevino was
5 born in 1913 to Manuel and Procora Izaguirre Trevino; she earned a
6 degree in education from Texas A&I University of Kingsville and was
7 a longtime second grade teacher at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic
8 School, where she also assisted students with special needs;
9 through the years, she has encouraged countless young people to
10 succeed both inside and outside of the classroom; and

11 WHEREAS, In 1937, she married Ernesto Pena Flores, and they
12 shared a rewarding marriage that spanned nearly six decades; one of
13 the original pioneer families of Mission, the Penas went on to have
14 6 children, Ernesto, Maggie, Fernando, Mary Lou, Joe, and Bobby, as
15 well as 12 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren; and

16 WHEREAS, Devoted to her loved ones and to her faith,
17 Mrs. Pena has helped to foster strong family values for generations
18 of her relatives, and she continues to serve as a source of
19 inspiration to all who know her; now, therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
21 Legislature hereby congratulate Ninfa Trevino Pena on her 100th
22 birthday and extend to her sincere best wishes for continued
23 happiness; and, be it further

24 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

H.R. No. 1616

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

Munoz, Jr.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1616 was adopted by the House on May 1, 2013, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House