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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The year 2013 marks a significant milestone in the life of Barbara Lynn, for she is celebrating her 50th anniversary as a teacher at Quitman Elementary School; and

WHEREAS, The daughter of an educator, Barbara Lynn knew from an early age that she wanted to become a teacher; she earned her degree from East Texas State University in Commerce and embarked on her career at Quitman in 1963; over the years, she has taught second, third, and fourth grades, but she has focused exclusively on the first grade since 1972; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Lynn has taught generations of Quitman 10 11 residents and has even inspired several former students to become 12 teachers; despite the numerous changes that have taken place in education in the past five decades, especially in standardized 13 14 testing and technology, Mrs. Lynn has adapted and has found that the basics of "reading, writing, and arithmetic" are as important as 15 16 ever; a dynamic teacher with high expectations, she nevertheless creates a fun and nurturing classroom environment for her students; 17 18 and

WHEREAS, For half a century, countless young Texans have benefited from Barbara Lynn's dedication and passion for education, and it is a pleasure to join in recognizing her many years of exemplary service to the students of the Quitman Independent School District; now, therefore, be it

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RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas

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Legislature hereby honor Barbara Lynn for her 50 years of service at
Quitman Elementary School and extend to her sincere best wishes for
continued success; and, be it further

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

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1941 was adopted by the House on May 15, 2013, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House