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R E S O L U T I O N

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

4 WHEREAS, The daughter of an educator, Barbara Lynn knew from
5 an early age that she wanted to become a teacher; she earned her
6 degree from East Texas State Teachers College in Commerce and
7 embarked on her career at Quitman in 1953; over the years, she has
8 taught second, third, and fourth grades, but she has focused
9 exclusively on the first grade since 1972; and

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

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

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

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

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