

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 348

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize Beatrice Lehman Green on the grand occasion of her 100th birthday; and

WHEREAS, This exemplary lady is well known for her charm and generosity of spirit, and she is a revered citizen who is active in Houston's Third Ward; and

WHEREAS, Beatrice Green was born March 1, 1913, in Mansura, Louisiana; she attended Concordia College in Selma, Alabama, and moved to Houston in the late 1930s; she was married to the late Allie Charles Green for 60 years; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Green worked for 40 years for the James Baker, Jr., family in Houston; she played an important role taking care of the family's children, one of whom, James Baker III, became United States Secretary of State; she served for a time as Mrs. Baker's personal secretary; and

WHEREAS, A devout Christian who practices her faith in her daily life, Mrs. Green is a founding member of Holy Cross Lutheran Church, where she has taken part in a wide variety of ministries, including choir, the Lutheran Women Missionary League, and the Altar Guild; and

WHEREAS, She has been active in political affairs for many years; she participated in sit-ins at the State Capitol during the civil rights movement and served as an assistant precinct judge over a 50-year period; throughout her life, she has served with numerous community organizations and is currently mascot for the Third Ward Line Dancers; and

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WHEREAS, A beloved and respected member of her community, she is noted for her affectionate and engaging personality, her compassion for others, and her enthusiasm for living each day to the fullest; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 83rd Legislature, hereby commend Beatrice Lehman Green on her many achievements and extend to her best wishes for a memorable 100th birthday celebration; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for her as a memento of this milestone in her life.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on March 4, 2013.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate