

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Sharing a deep bond of love that has spanned five  
2 decades, Jim and Linda Parker of Golden are celebrating their 50th  
3 wedding anniversary on April 17, 2015; and

4           WHEREAS, Born in Orange, Linda Carol Hughes grew up in  
5 Golden, and after graduating from Alba-Golden High School in 1962,  
6 she attended business school and went to work in Tyler; Jim Parker  
7 was born in Dallas, graduated from high school in Anton in 1962, and  
8 studied at Jacksonville College; and

9           WHEREAS, The couple met at the Piggly Wiggly in Mineola in  
10 October of 1964, and after their first date eight days later,  
11 Mr. Parker ordered a ring; the couple were engaged by December, and  
12 they were married the following April at Golden Baptist Church; and

13           WHEREAS, For 41 years, the couple have lived near the farm  
14 where Mrs. Parker grew up, and Mr. Parker served as the pastor of  
15 Sand Springs Baptist Church for three decades before retiring; they  
16 count among their blessings a fine family that includes three  
17 children, James Parker, Rhonda Gonzalez, and Alice Harpold, 15  
18 grandchildren, Tamela, Julia, Anna, Olivia, Gavin, Jacob, Nick,  
19 Adrian, Ryan, Emily, Elena, Alyssa, Cody, Paige, and Mitchell, and  
20 a great-grandchild, Isaac; and

21           WHEREAS, Looking back over the past 50 years, Jim and Linda  
22 Parker can savor a wealth of cherished family memories and know that  
23 the strength of their love and commitment ensures that many more  
24 joyful times await them; now, therefore, be it

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1           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas  
2 Legislature hereby congratulate Jim and Linda Parker on their  
3 golden wedding anniversary and extend to them sincere best wishes  
4 for continued happiness; and, be it further

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

Hughes

Straus	González	Paddie
Allen	Guerra	Parker
Alonzo	Guillen	Paul
Alvarado	Gutierrez	Peña
Anchia	Harless	Phelan
Anderson of Dallas	Hernandez	Phillips
Anderson of McLennan	Herrero	Pickett
Ashby	Howard	Price
Aycock	Huberty	Raney
Bell	Hughes	Raymond
Bernal	Hunter	Reynolds
Blanco	Isaac	Riddle
Bohac	Israel	Rinaldi
Bonnen of Brazoria	Johnson	Rodriguez of Bexar
Bonnen of Galveston	Kacal	Rodriguez of Travis
Burkett	Keffer	Romero, Jr.
Burns	Keough	Rose
Burrows	King of Hemphill	Sanford
Button	King of Parker	Schaefer
Canales	King of Taylor	Schofield
Capriglione	King of Uvalde	Schubert
Clardy	Klick	Shaheen
Coleman	Koop	Sheets
Collier	Krause	Sheffield
Cook	Kuempel	Simmons
Craddick	Landgraf	Simpson
Crownover	Larson	Smith
Cyrier	Laubenberg	Smithee
Dale	Leach	Spitzer
Darby	Longoria	Springer
Davis of Dallas	Lozano	Stephenson
Davis of Harris	Lucio III	Stickland
Deshotel	Márquez	Thompson of Brazoria
Dukes	Martinez	Thompson of Harris
Dutton	Martinez Fischer	Tinderholt
Elkins	McClendon	Turner of Collin
Faircloth	Metcalf	Turner of Harris
Fallon	Meyer	Turner of Tarrant
Farias	Miles	VanDeaver
Farney	Miller of Comal	Villalba
Farrar	Miller of Fort Bend	Vo
Fletcher	Moody	Walle
Flynn	Morrison	White of Bell
Frank	Muñoz, Jr.	White of Tyler
Frullo	Murphy	Workman
Galindo	Murr	Wray
Geren	Naishtat	Wu
Giddings	Nevárez	Zedler
Goldman	Oliveira	Zerwas
Gonzales	Otto	

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1865 was adopted by the House on April 9, 2015, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House