

2017 First Extraordinary Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 4

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARPENTER

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Mildred Bowie upon the celebration of her one hundred first birthday.

WHEREAS, it is fitting to commend and congratulate Mildred Bowie upon the historic and momentous occasion of her one hundred first birthday; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Bowie is a faithful member of the St. Mark United Methodist Church in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, under the leadership of Reverend Dr. Derrick Hills; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Bowie has served with distinction in many vital roles at St. Mark United Methodist Church, including having served as delegate to the annual conference, Sunday School teacher, and Vacation Bible School teacher; and

WHEREAS, she attended the Sager Brown School for Women in Baldwin, Louisiana; and

WHEREAS, today, Mrs. Bowie continues to be an active presence in the church, currently serving as a class leader; she is also a member of the Building Committee, the Rosa Jackson Study Group, and United Methodist Women; and

WHEREAS, on Sunday, February 26, 2017, members of the St. Mark United Methodist Church will gather to celebrate and honor Mrs. Bowie at a "Birthday Bash" hosted by the church; and

WHEREAS, for one hundred one years, Mrs. Bowie has distinguished herself as an exemplary and highly admired citizen of the state of Louisiana; and

WHEREAS, Mildred Bowie merits a special measure of commendation for the tremendous joy, pride, and honor that she brings to her church family, the state of Louisiana, and all who know and love her.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend Mrs. Mildred Bowie upon the historic occasion of her one hundred first birthday; does hereby record for posterity the extraordinary life she has lived; and does hereby extend to her every good wish for health and happiness in the years to come.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted to Mildred Bowie.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES