

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 118

BY SENATOR CLAITOR

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Nathanael P. Kazmierczak on his academic achievements.

WHEREAS, Nathanael P. Kazmierczak is the son of Richard and Tamra Kazmierczak; and

WHEREAS, on May 23, 2015, Nathanael graduated jointly from Sequitur Classical Academy and from Novus Homeschool Academy, with an unweighted 4.0 grade-point average from both institutions and first in his class at Sequitur; and

WHEREAS, while still in high school, Nathanael also served as a substitute teacher at Sequitur Classical Academy, teaching Algebra 2 and drawing classes during periods of teacher absence or illness; and

WHEREAS, Nathanael's senior thesis, "Restoring the Creeds: How Standards of Faith Promote Spiritual and Intellectual Growth", was successfully defended, received honors for the best senior thesis and defense, and has been submitted for publication by Mud House Art and Literature; and

WHEREAS, Nathanael received a perfect composite score of 36 on the American College Test (ACT), a perfect composite score of 2400 on the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT), perfect scores of 800 on the SAT Mathematics Level 2 Subject Test and on the SAT Literature Subject Test; and

WHEREAS, Nathanael has chosen to attend Calvin College in Grand Rapids, Michigan, where he has been offered six separate scholarships, including a National Merit Scholarship, the Howard Hughes Medical Institute Scholarship for research, the F.F. Carl Heule Sr. Scholarship, the Llewellyn L. Cayvan String Instrument Scholarship, the Carol Lee Zylstra Memorial Church Music Scholarship, and the Coram Deo Award awarded for service potential; and

WHEREAS, Nathanael will pursue a double major in chemistry and music; and

WHEREAS, in addition to his many academic accomplishments, Nathanael is a classical guitarist who enjoys playing for groups as varied as retirement home residents and for his youth group at the South Baton Rouge Church of Christ, and also is an avid tennis player; and

WHEREAS, Nathanael hopes to pursue a career as a professional research chemist after completing graduate school; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate to commend and congratulate Nathanael upon these many accomplishments.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend Nathanael P. Kazmierczak on his academic accomplishments, and does hereby extend to him best wishes for his continued success in his future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to Nathanael P. Kazmierczak.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES