2015 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 103

BY REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON

A RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the House of Representatives upon the death of Avery DeShunn Page, Sr.

WHEREAS, October 10, 1976, brought great joy to the life of Clifton Page and Carolyn Greenleaf-Hadnot, when Avery DeShunn Page made his entry to Earth in Little Rock, Arkansas; and

WHEREAS, at the age of ten years, Avery accepted the Lord Jesus Christ as his personal savior, and was baptized into the family of God at Greater Paradise Missionary Baptist Church; and

WHEREAS, a lover of music and a self-taught drummer, Avery Page was a member of his school band in the Little Rock School District; as a computer programming student at Remington College, Avery worked in the GPC Clinic at Arkansas Children's Hospital; and

WHEREAS, heeding the call of God to preach the Gospel at the age of eighteen, Rev. Page preached his first sermon; he was a fruitful laborer for his Lord in God's vineyard who spent time traveling the world, spreading the Gospel with his pastor, Bishop Charles E. Williams; and on May 17, 2015, Rev. Page completed his earthly assignment in the Kingdom, vacating his post as the executive assistant pastor of Covenant of Zion Cathedral Church for his eternal assignment; and

WHEREAS, Rev. Page served as assistant director of Stop the Violence and was a funeral home operations manager; his exemplary work as a mortician led to an appointment in 2005 to the Arkansas Burial Board; and

WHEREAS, on March 8, 2014, Rev. Page married the love of his life, Lady Tameka Page; and

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WHEREAS, Rev. Page and his wife Lady Tameka Page were close friends of Representative Katrina R. Jackson; and

WHEREAS, with a heart for God's people and a love of using his talents to assist others, the legacy of service left by Rev. Page will forever remain in the hearts and minds of those who knew and loved him.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby extend sincere condolences to the family of Avery Deshunn Page, Sr., as they mourn his passing and does hereby express heartfelt sympathies to all whose lives were touched by Rev. Page.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the family of Rev. Avery Deshunn Page, Sr.

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES