

## House Resolution 136

By: Representatives Rogers of the 29<sup>th</sup>, Hawkins of the 27<sup>th</sup>, Dunahoo of the 30<sup>th</sup>, and Barr of the 103<sup>rd</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring the life and memory of Keaton Franklin Coker; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia mourns the loss of one of its most distinguished young  
3 citizens with the passing of Keaton Coker on July 15, 2014; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Keaton was the beloved son of Miles and Sharon Coker of Flowery Branch,  
5 Georgia; and
- 6 WHEREAS, Keaton was number 70 on his Flowery Branch football team and an active  
7 member of Lakewood Baptist Church who loved Jesus and encouraged his friends to do  
8 likewise; and
- 9 WHEREAS, he gave inspiration to many through his high ideals, morals, and deep concern  
10 for his fellow citizens, and the devotion, patience, and understanding he demonstrated to his  
11 family and friends were admired by others; and
- 12 WHEREAS, he loved many in his 18 years of life, but none more than his parents and  
13 brothers, Karson and Kanler; and
- 14 WHEREAS, a compassionate and generous young man, Keaton will long be remembered for  
15 his love of family and friendship, and this remarkable young man will be missed by all who  
16 had the great fortune of knowing him.
- 17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
18 the members of this body join in honoring the life and memory of Keaton Franklin Coker,  
19 and express their deepest and most sincere regret at his passing.

20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
21 and directed to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to the  
22 family of Keaton Franklin Coker.