

## House Resolution 1729

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 Mr. Robert "Bob" Hendley Lowe, Sr.; and for other  
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia mourns the loss of one of its most distinguished citizens  
4 with the passing of Mr. Robert "Bob" Hendley Lowe, Sr., on October 27, 2013; and

5 WHEREAS, Mr. Lowe was born on July 19, 1939, in Athens, Georgia, a beloved son of the  
6 late Vearl and Bonnie Major Lowe; and

7 WHEREAS, a graduate of Athens High School, Mr. Lowe earned a bachelor's degree in  
8 agriculture and a master's degree in avian genetics from the University of Georgia; and

9 WHEREAS, he enjoyed a career in nutritional and genetic research at the University of  
10 Georgia Poultry Research Center before joining the University of Georgia Cooperative  
11 Extension Service in 1970, where he served in Banks, Stephens, and Hall counties until his  
12 retirement 22 years later; and

13 WHEREAS, a man of deep and abiding faith, Mr. Lowe was an active member of  
14 Gainesville First United Methodist Church and the Aldersgate Sunday school class; and

15 WHEREAS, Mr. Lowe was united in love and marriage to the late Peggy Yarbrough Lowe,  
16 and was blessed with two remarkable children, Robert and Leigh Anne, and two wonderful  
17 grandchildren, Sarah and James; and

18 WHEREAS, he gave inspiration to many through his high ideals, morals, and deep concern  
19 for his fellow citizens, and the devotion, patience, and understanding he demonstrated to his  
20 family and friends were admired by others; and

21 WHEREAS, he was a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation  
22 for integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness, and by the example he made of his life, he  
23 made this world a better place in which to live; and

24 WHEREAS, a compassionate and generous man, Mr. Lowe will long be remembered for his  
25 love of woodworking and gardening, and this loyal brother, father, grandfather, and friend  
26 will be missed by all who had the great fortune of knowing him.

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
28 the members of this body join in honoring the life and memory of Mr. Robert "Bob" Hendley  
29 Lowe, Sr., and express their deepest and most sincere regret at his passing.

30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
31 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the family of Mr. Robert  
32 "Bob" Hendley Lowe, Sr.