

## House Resolution 275

By: Representatives Smyre of the 135<sup>th</sup>, Hugley of the 136<sup>th</sup>, and Buckner of the 137<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring the life and memory of Charles Alexander; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia mourns the loss of one of its most distinguished citizens  
3 with the passing of Charles Alexander on September 17, 2020; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Charles Alexander was born on December 10, 1942, in Fort Pierce, Florida, a  
5 beloved son of George and Christophine Butler Alexander; and
- 6 WHEREAS, he served as a guardian of this nation's freedom and liberty with the United  
7 States Army, valiantly and courageously protecting his fellow Americans for 24 years and  
8 retiring as master sergeant; and
- 9 WHEREAS, following his military career, he had a successful career as the manager of the  
10 Columbus Housing Authority and as the executive director of the Warner Robins and  
11 Houston County Housing Authorities in Perry, Georgia; and
- 12 WHEREAS, a man of deep and abiding faith who witnessed Christ through word and deed,  
13 Charles Alexander was an active member of M. L. Harris United Methodist Church, where  
14 he served with the United Methodist Men, Men's Choir, Usher Board, and more; and

15 WHEREAS, he was united in love and marriage to his late wife, Sue, and was blessed with  
16 one remarkable child, Carlos, and three wonderful grandchildren, Alexia, Carlos II, and Joy;  
17 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, Charles Alexander will long be  
25 remembered for his love of family, friendship, and community and will be missed by all who  
26 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 Charles Alexander and  
29 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 make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the  
32 family of Charles Alexander.