

House Resolution 734

By: Representative Ralston of the 7th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring the life and memory of Georgianne "Ethelene" Dyer Jones; 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 Georgianne "Ethelene" Dyer Jones on November 26, 2021; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Ethelene was born on May 13, 1930, in Choestoe, Georgia, a beloved daughter
5 of Jewel Marion and Azie Collins Dyer; and
- 6 WHEREAS, a woman of deep and abiding faith, Ethelene was an active member of First
7 Baptist Church in Milledgeville, Georgia, who served alongside her husband, Reverend
8 Grover Duffie Jones; and
- 9 WHEREAS, she and her husband were blessed with two remarkable children, Keith and
10 Cynthia, as well as seven wonderful grandchildren, Brian, Nathan, Matthew, Elizabeth,
11 Christina, Crystal, and Paula; and
- 12 WHEREAS, she gave inspiration to many through her high ideals, morals, and deep concern
13 for her fellow citizens, and the devotion, patience, and understanding she demonstrated to
14 her family and friends were admired by others; and

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15 WHEREAS, she was a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation
16 for integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness, and by the example she made of her life,
17 she made this world a better place in which to live; and

18 WHEREAS, a compassionate and generous woman, Ethelene will long be remembered for
19 her love of family, friendship, and community and will be missed by all who had the great
20 fortune of knowing her.

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
22 the members of this body join in honoring the life and memory of Georgianne "Ethelene"
23 Dyer Jones and express their deepest and most sincere regret at her passing.

24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
25 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the
26 family of Georgianne "Ethelene" Dyer Jones.