

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 91

BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX

A RESOLUTION

To commend Mary Anna Green-Lewis on the occasion of her ninety-ninth birthday.

WHEREAS, Mary Anna Green-Lewis was born on March 26, 1923, in Maurice, Louisiana; and

WHEREAS, Mary Anna married the love of her life and moved to Lafayette, Louisiana, and had eight children; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Green-Lewis raised all of her children in a three-room house in the historic McComb-Veazey neighborhood and, in that neighborhood, she is affectionately referred to as "the mother of cold cups"; and

WHEREAS, Mary Anna Green-Lewis made certain her children were in school every day and all of her children graduated from high school; and

WHEREAS, Mary Anna Green-Lewis has been blessed to see five generations of her family and she is the oldest surviving member of both the Green and Lewis families; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Green-Lewis will be quick to say that loving others, being good to others, and loving God has allowed her to see her ninety-nine years and counting; and

WHEREAS, she will tell you that she is hurting so badly because she worked so hard; Mrs. Green-Lewis never owned a car and walked everywhere with her children; and

WHEREAS, she would say that although they did not have much of anything, they definitely had a lot of L-O-V-E; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Green-Lewis is a woman like the one modeled in Proverbs 31; she is the epitome of a Godly woman; she is a jewel.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend Mary Anna Green-Lewis on the occasion of her ninety-ninth birthday.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to Mary Anna Green-Lewis.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE