

As Adopted by the Senate

**133rd General Assembly
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S. R. No. 315

Senator Craig

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Shiloh Baptist Church on its Sesquicentennial.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 133rd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate Shiloh Baptist Church on its One Hundred Fiftieth Anniversary; and

WHEREAS, Since its inception, Shiloh Baptist Church has offered its members the pathway to a more meaningful life by illuminating and demonstrating the precepts on which the church was founded. The spirit of love and Christian fellowship that exists among the parishioners prevails not only within the church edifice itself but also extends beyond those sacred walls to touch the lives of everyone encountered by these devout disciples; and

WHEREAS, Under the capable leadership of its pastors, both past and present, Shiloh Baptist Church has experienced continual growth and has provided a source of moral guidance and spiritual motivation for each of its members. The third oldest black church in Columbus, Shiloh Baptist Church has enhanced the quality of life within the surrounding area, and through its generous efforts, it has earned the gratitude and respect of the many citizens it has so capably served; and

WHEREAS, An occasion such as this is an important milestone that represents dedication and commitment. For one hundred fifty years, the members of Shiloh Baptist Church have kept their faith alive in the Columbus community, and on this special anniversary, the congregation has accepted the challenge of carrying its beliefs into the future; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 133rd General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend

Shiloh Baptist Church on its One Hundred Fiftieth Anniversary and 27
pay tribute to all those joining in the celebration of this joyous 28
event; and be it further 29

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 30
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Shiloh Baptist Church. 31