

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1029

By Camper

A RESOLUTION to honor Pastor Gregory Powels, 2024 recipient of the Men of Mordecai Award from the National Coalition of Women in Ministry.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that we pay tribute to those exemplary individuals who work with purpose and conviction to improve the quality of life in their respective communities; and

WHEREAS, Pastor Gregory Powels is one such esteemed person who has been honored by the National Coalition of Women in Ministry (NCWM), Inc., with its prestigious Men of Mordecai Award; and

WHEREAS, established on March 4, 2004, by Dr. Jada Shipp Meeks, NCWM is a national professional development organization of women that actively impacts communities through teaching, support, encouragement, and networking; and

WHEREAS, NCWM's primary objective is to empower, promote, inspire, and develop women for the work of Jesus Christ; by cultivating women dedicated to serving others, NCWM contributes to the overall improvement of communities; and

WHEREAS, NCWM's reach extends to ministry leaders in Memphis; Nashville; Chicago, Illinois; Detroit, Michigan; Atlanta, Georgia; Durham, North Carolina; Dallas, Texas; Humble, Texas; and Washington, D.C.; and

WHEREAS, since 2013, NCWM has proudly honored men who support women leaders with the Men of Mordecai Award; and

WHEREAS, it is our privilege to commend Pastor Gregory Powels on this special occasion; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRTEENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we honor Pastor Gregory Powels upon his receipt of the 2024 Men of Mordecai Award from the National Coalition of Women in Ministry.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.