## **HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1232**

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A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Sarah Thomas, 2018 Valedictorian of Zion Christian Academy.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Sarah Thomas is one such exceptional student, who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2018 graduating class at Zion Christian Academy; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Thomas has achieved outstanding academic success and joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Sarah Thomas has earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in a number of extracurricular activities, including National Honor Society, Science National Honor Society, National English Honor Society, and Interact; and

WHEREAS, her display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success as a student at Samford University; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Thomas's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Susan Thomas and Jim Thomas, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Sarah Thomas's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of the members of this General Assembly; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED
TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE
CONCURRING, that we commend and honor the 2018 Zion Christian Academy Valedictorian,

Sarah Thomas, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.