

HOUSE RESOLUTION 7

By Keisling

A RESOLUTION to honor the memory of Willie Beaty of Jamestown.

WHEREAS, we were greatly saddened to learn of the passing of Willie Beaty of Jamestown; and

WHEREAS, Willie Beaty was an exemplary citizen and consummate professional who worked assiduously to improve the quality of life for his fellow citizens in numerous capacities; and

WHEREAS, a native Tennessean, Willie Beaty was born on February 2, 1938, in scenic Jamestown; and

WHEREAS, a gentleman of devout faith, Mr. Beaty was a minister and pastor who was grateful to have been called by God to serve his fellow man; and

WHEREAS, Pastor Beaty was also deeply devoted to his family, and he always endeavored to remain true to family values of the highest order; and

WHEREAS, Willie Beaty is survived by his wife, Thomasine Paxton Beaty; his daughter, Stephanie (Karolyn) Sheib; his grandchildren, Michael Sheib, Sierra Sheib, Kandice Beaty, and Brittney Mosqueda; and several great-grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, he will be sadly mourned but fondly remembered by his brothers, David (Various) Beaty and James Howard (Juanita) Beaty; his sisters, Nola (Jerry) Weaver and Lorene Weaver; and a host of nieces, nephews, extended family members, and dear friends; and

WHEREAS, Pastor Beaty was preceded in death by his parents, Willie Bates and Frona Mae York Beaty, and his brother, Paul Beaty; and

WHEREAS, Willie Beaty leaves behind an indelible legacy of integrity and probity in public life, compassion and loyalty in private life, and diligence and dedication in all his chosen endeavors; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to remember the bountiful life of this exceptional gentleman and human being; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED TWELFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we honor the memory of Willie Beaty, reflecting fondly upon his impeccable character and his stalwart commitment to living the examined life with courage and conviction.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we express our sympathy and offer our condolences to the family of Mr. Beaty.

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