SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 344

By Beavers

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Eddie Doss Eatherly, 2009 Salutatorian of Friendship Christian School

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, Eddie Doss Eatherly is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2009 graduating class at Friendship Christian School; and

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

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Eddie Eatherly has earned an exemplary grade point average while serving on the Student Council and as President of the National Honor Society; and

WHEREAS, a member of the baseball team and the Key Club, Eddie has also participated in community service projects such as CIA Day, Fall Focus Day, and the annual Thanksgiving meal preparation at Maple Hill Church of Christ; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Eatherly's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success as he seeks to further his education at the University of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, Eddie Eatherly's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Jerry and Cindy Eatherly, his sister Rachel Eatherly, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Eddie Doss Eatherly's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2009 Friendship Christian School Salutatorian, Eddie Doss Eatherly, on his impressive academic achievement and extend to him 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.

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