

1 HJR127
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3 By Representative Grimsley
4 RFD: Rules
5 First Read: 28-FEB-13

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2 ENROLLED, House Joint Resolution,

3 CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF EDNA FELLOWS CHRISTMAS ON
4 HER 100TH BIRTHDAY.

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6 WHEREAS, highest commendations and congratulations
7 are herein proudly presented to Edna Fellows Christmas on the
8 momentous occasion of her 100th Birthday; and

9 WHEREAS, born March 5, 1913, in Ashford, Alabama,
10 the eldest child of Fred Lester Fellows, Sr., and Idella
11 Battle Fellows, she obtained a teacher's certificate from
12 Alabama College for Women in Montevallo and taught home
13 economics for a number of years; while teaching at Ashford
14 High School, she nobly stepped up to coach the girls
15 basketball team even though she had not had previous playing
16 experience; and

17 WHEREAS, on February 10, 1934, she married her high
18 school sweetheart, Robert Earl Christmas and their blissful
19 union is blessed with two daughters, Dr. Edna Earl Christmas
20 and Merry Christmas Tarrer, two grandchildren, and seven
21 great-grandchildren; and

22 WHEREAS, Mrs. Christmas has been active in community
23 and church activities; her family was chosen as the Christian
24 family of the month featured in "Home Life Magazine," a
25 publication of the Southern Baptist Church; and

1 WHEREAS, currently, Mrs. Christmas resides in Auburn
2 with her daughter, Edna Earl, and is an avid Tiger fan,
3 donning her orange and blue on game day; and

4 WHEREAS, a 100th Birthday is a significant milestone
5 that represents a century of memories and wisdom gained, and
6 is a cause for great rejoicing; it is a tremendous privilege
7 to recognize Mrs. Christmas on her very special day; now
8 therefore,

9 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
10 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That Edna Fellows Christmas is
11 highly honored and commended, and this resolution is presented
12 to her in deepest admiration and appreciation, along with
13 sincere best wishes for continued blessings.

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4 Speaker of the House of Representatives

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6 President and Presiding Officer of the Senate

7 House of Representatives

8 I hereby certify that the within Act originated in
9 and was adopted by the House 05-MAR-13.

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Jeff Woodard
Clerk

Senate

18-APR-13

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