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8 COMMENDING THE SOUL SURVIVORS MEN'S CONFERENCE FOR  
9 EXEMPLARY SERVICE TO THE BAKER HILL COMMUNITY.  
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11 WHEREAS, highest commendations are herein proudly  
12 presented to Brother James Johnson and Pastor Ella K. Johnson  
13 for faithful and dedicated service in the outreach ministry of  
14 the Soul Survivors Men's Conference scheduled for June 16-18,  
15 2017, at the Promise Land Church in Baker Hill, Alabama; and

16 WHEREAS, an offering of outstanding Christian  
17 service, this outreach conference calls for men who are  
18 "ex-something" to come together for a time to forgive, a time  
19 to heal, and a time to bind old wounds; and

20 WHEREAS, counselors, prayer warriors, preachers,  
21 motivational speakers, and others will be available to  
22 facilitate problem solving and address the needs of those men  
23 who seem to have been forgotten and are missing from  
24 traditional worship services and other ministry activities;  
25 and

26 WHEREAS, the spiritual leadership provided by  
27 Brother James Johnson, Pastor Ella K. Johnson, and others at

1 the Promise Land Church in this conference will encourage a  
2 spirit of brotherhood within the community and provide a  
3 ministry to those who may have been overlooked in other  
4 programs and ministries; and

5 WHEREAS, with commitment, dedication, and untiring  
6 faithfulness, this team is fostering a spirit of friendship  
7 within the community, offering a spiritual guide through the  
8 life milestones of those in the community, offering comfort in  
9 times of trouble, wise counsel in times of doubt, and offering  
10 fellowship in times of joy; there are powerful aspects of the  
11 Christian faith being provided by this conference; now  
12 therefore,

13 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF  
14 THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That Brother James Johnson, Pastor  
15 Ella K. Johnson, and the Promise Land Church of Baker Hill,  
16 Alabama, are recognized and honored for service to God, the  
17 church, and the community, and on the occasion of the Soul  
18 Survivors Men's Conference we convey our best wishes for the  
19 future of this ministry.