

House Resolution 912

By: Representatives McKinney of the 51st, Sailor of the 71st, Teague of the 58th, Randall of the 127th, Holmes of the 53rd and others

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Expressing condolences to the family of Hannah Mae Jackson Hill; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Hannah Mae Jackson Hill was the beloved wife of Reverend Jessie B. Hill for
3 over 50 years, and she will be long-remembered as a devoted partner, parent, and pillar to
4 the community of Atlanta, Georgia, given her many civic, educational, and religious roles;
5 and
- 6 WHEREAS, she was born on April 23, 1924, and this wonderful lady became the cherished
7 companion to one of the great religious leaders of the day, and she joined him solidly in his
8 ministry and was exceptionally dedicated as the mother of their seven children; and
- 9 WHEREAS, she served with the utmost ability as the church's First Lady at each of Reverend
10 Hill's pastorates, and her assistance, support, and encouragement complemented his great
11 spiritual guidance, and her contributions were respected and admired; and
- 12 WHEREAS, this remarkable lady witnessed many significant moments in Atlanta's
13 community relations, and her quiet leadership was recognized and appreciated by civic,
14 business, and education leaders who shared her hope for justice and harmony; and
- 15 WHEREAS, the lifetime commitment she made to her children and their families created a
16 firm foundation for living, and the balance she achieved between her personal life and the
17 community she served is an inspiration and a challenge to us all.
- 18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
19 this body expresses heartfelt condolences to the family of Hannah Mae Jackson Hill in their
20 moment of deep personal loss.
- 21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
22 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Rev. Jessie B. Hill.