

Senate Resolution 69

By: Senator Smith of the 25th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Bishop Gus Kilgore, Jr.; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Bishop Gus Kilgore, Jr., is the distinguished pastor of the New Life Outreach
3 Christian Center in Eatonton, Georgia, where he has been a dynamic spiritual leader and a
4 significant voice in the community; and
- 5 WHEREAS, he was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gus Kilgore on January 27, 1949, and grew up
6 in Fort Valley, Georgia, where he graduated from Bruce Street High School and received a
7 football scholarship from Fort Valley State College; and
- 8 WHEREAS, on June 9, 1968, he married Joann Stanford and together they raised three sons
9 and one daughter as he pursued his call into the ministry; and
- 10 WHEREAS, this very charismatic preacher has traveled throughout the nation and overseas
11 teaching the Christian principles and beliefs and inviting people to join him in his faith; and
- 12 WHEREAS, under his leadership, a new sanctuary has been completed in Eatonton and the
13 church has grown to include over 200 members who contribute their talent and time to the
14 special outreach programs and services offered by this great congregation; and
- 15 WHEREAS, the dedication and commitment of this marvelous spiritual leader has touched
16 the lives of countless families and individuals and brought hope, peace, and love to many.
- 17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
18 recognize and commend Bishop Gus Kilgore, Jr., for 25 years of service as a religious leader
19 and for his significant contributions to the community of Eatonton, Georgia.
- 20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
21 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Bishop Gus Kilgore, Jr.