

## House Resolution 712

By: Representatives Yates of the 85<sup>th</sup>, Post 1, and Lunsford of the 85<sup>th</sup>, Post 2

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing Dr. and Mrs. John Thomas Grayson; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Dr. and Mrs. John Thomas Grayson are well known and highly respected as  
3 prominent citizens in Griffin, Georgia, and they will proudly celebrate their 40th wedding  
4 anniversary on August 17, 2003, in the company of their family and close friends; and

5 WHEREAS, Dr. Grayson is a native of Sullivan, Indiana; graduated from DePauw  
6 University where he met his lovely wife, Helen Gerber of Fremont, Michigan; earned his  
7 medical degree from Indiana University; and completed his residency at Georgia Baptist  
8 before they moved to Griffin where he has practiced for 25 years; and

9 WHEREAS, Dr. Grayson has generously given his time and talent to the Rotary Club,  
10 Griffin Area Habitat for Humanity, All Faiths Christian Ministries, Hope Health Clinic,  
11 Partners in Education, and the First United Methodist Church; and

12 WHEREAS, Helen has been a wonderful mother to their two adult children, Cathy and Mike,  
13 and been a loving grandmother to three fine grandchildren; has contributed her time and  
14 energy to the Griffin-Spalding County community; served on the Downtown Development  
15 Authority and the board of Wachovia Bank; and been a trustee at the First United Methodist  
16 Church and a member of the Griffin Tech Foundation Board; and

17 WHEREAS, Dr. Grayson was recently honored by the Griffin-Spalding County Chamber of  
18 Commerce as General Griffin for 2003 in honor of his outstanding service as the city's  
19 goodwill ambassador for the community; and this fine couple are an inspiration to others.

20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
21 the members of this body recognize and commend Dr. and Mrs. John Thomas Grayson and  
22 convey best wishes on the momentous occasion of their 40th wedding anniversary.

1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
2 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Dr. and Mrs. John Thomas  
3 Grayson.