

House Resolution 2353

By: Representative Hatfield of the 177<sup>th</sup>

#### A RESOLUTION

- 1 Remembering and honoring the life of Jimmy McDonald; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Jimmy McDonald was born in Waycross, Georgia, on August 29, 1929, the  
3 beloved son of John McDonald and Mary Beecher McDonald, and was a lifelong resident  
4 of Waycross until his passing at the age of 76; and
- 5 WHEREAS, he graduated in 1946 from Waycross High School; and
- 6 WHEREAS, Mr. McDonald retired from Georgia Natural Gas following 43 years of  
7 dedicated and extraordinary service; and
- 8 WHEREAS, he served the citizens of this country honorably as a member of the United  
9 States Army; and
- 10 WHEREAS, he was a faithful and devoted member of the First United Methodist Church  
11 where he was a member of the Men's Bible class and the United Methodist Men; and
- 12 WHEREAS, he was an avid fisherman and hunter and loved life and the people around him;  
13 and
- 14 WHEREAS, Jimmy McDonald is survived by his loving and devoted wife, Marie Moore  
15 McDonald, and their three daughters, Rhonda Clement, Newanna Rogers, and Melanie  
16 Clemons, and three grandchildren, Crystal Minchew, Logan Clemons, and Avery Clemons;  
17 and
- 18 WHEREAS, this country lost one of its finest and most compassionate husbands, fathers, and  
19 citizens with the passing of Mr. Jimmy McDonald on January 27, 2006.

1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
2 the members of this body remember and honor the life of Mr. Jimmy McDonald and express  
3 their deepest regrets on his passing with sincerest condolences to his family.

4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House is authorized and directed to  
5 transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the family of Mr. Jimmy McDonald.