

## Senate Resolution 36

By: Senator Thomas of the 2nd

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Elder Damon J. Rodney; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Elder Damon J. Rodney became a member of the Savannah United House of  
3 Prayer for All People in 1974, receiving the holy ghost at an early age; and
- 4 WHEREAS, he attended local schools in Savannah, Georgia, until his parents relocated in  
5 1986; and
- 6 WHEREAS, Elder Rodney loves to sing and praise the Lord and was always a member of  
7 the House of Prayer band; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Elder Rodney graduated from West Orange High School in Orlando, Florida,  
9 in 1994, where he was crowned the Homecoming King; and
- 10 WHEREAS, after graduation, he moved to Washington, D.C., where he continued working  
11 in the House of Prayer; and
- 12 WHEREAS, Elder Rodney has always worked diligently to conduct the Lord's work in the  
13 House of Prayer; and
- 14 WHEREAS, in 2002, he attended the McCollough Seminary in Virginia and graduated  
15 valedictorian of his class; and
- 16 WHEREAS, Elder Rodney is a loving and devoted husband, father, son, brother, grandson,  
17 nephew, and cousin; and
- 18 WHEREAS, he possesses a genuine love and respect for all senior citizens; and

1 WHEREAS, in 2005, Bishop S. C. Madison appointed him as pastor of the House of Prayer  
2 in Newport News, Virginia, where he is now celebrating his one year anniversary of  
3 pastorship; and

4 WHEREAS, Elder Rodney is the husband of Sterlicia Green Rodney and the father of three,  
5 Alexis D. Rodney, Damicia J. Rodney, and Damon J. Rodney, Jr.

6 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
7 heartily commend Elder Damon J. Rodney for his impassioned, lifelong service to the Lord  
8 and for the unconditional and loving care he has shown for his community.

9 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
10 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Elder Damon J. Rodney.