

House Resolution 58

By: Representative Brooks of the 63rd

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring the life and memory of Mrs. Sarah Louise Hinton-Howard; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia mourns the loss of one of its most distinguished citizens
3 with the passing of Mrs. Sarah Louise Hinton-Howard on December 23, 2010; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Mrs. Howard was born on March 31, 1913, in Social Circle, Georgia, the
5 beloved daughter of the late Olin and Estella Hinton; and
- 6 WHEREAS, she graduated at the top of her class from The Union Institute in Athens and
7 tutored children and adults in her community to help them learn to read; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Mrs. Howard was united in love and marriage to the late Nathan Howard, Sr.,
9 on October 1, 1933, a union blessed with 12 children; and
- 10 WHEREAS, a woman of deep and abiding faith, Mrs. Howard joined Mars Hill Church in
11 1925 at the age of 12 and was active in the choir and on the Mothers Board; and
- 12 WHEREAS, a talented and loving cook, Mrs. Howard enjoyed preparing food for family and
13 friends and was known for her delicious fried pies, sweet potato pies, Brunswick stew, and
14 oyster stew; and
- 15 WHEREAS, she gave inspiration to many through her high ideals, morals, and deep concern
16 for her fellow citizens, and the devotion, patience, and understanding she demonstrated to
17 her family and friends were admired by others; and
- 18 WHEREAS, Mrs. Howard leaves behind many who will cherish her memory, including her
19 children, Lewis, Olin, Robert, Estella, Ella Louise, Jerry, Garland, and Julia; 29
20 grandchildren; and 32 great-grandchildren; and

21 WHEREAS, she was a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation
22 for integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness and, by the example she made of her life,
23 she made this world a better place in which to live; and

24 WHEREAS, a compassionate and generous woman, Mrs. Howard will long be remembered
25 for her love of family and friendship, and this loyal mother, grandmother, cousin, and friend
26 will be missed by all who had the great fortune of knowing her.

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
28 the members of this body join in honoring the life and memory of Mrs. Sarah Louise
29 Hinton-Howard and express their deepest and most sincere regret at her passing.

30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
31 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the family of Mrs. Sarah
32 Louise Hinton-Howard.