

Senate Resolution 605

By: Senator Hill of the 32nd

#### A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Elizabeth Ashlyn Ethridge; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, a proper quality education for the young people of this state is the single most  
3 important objective of the General Assembly; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Elizabeth Ashlyn Ethridge has shown by the example of her academic  
5 accomplishments that the pursuit and attainment of scholastic success are within the reach  
6 of the students in this state; and
- 7 WHEREAS, this remarkable scholar has earned distinction through her superlative  
8 achievements at Mount Paran Christian School where she is a gifted student and has been  
9 selected as Mount Paran Christian School's 2011 STAR Student; and
- 10 WHEREAS, to be selected as a STAR Student for a high school, a student must have  
11 obtained the highest score in one administration of the new three-part Scholastic Aptitude  
12 Test and be in the top 10 percent or top ten students of his or her class; and
- 13 WHEREAS, the daughter of proud parents George and Alecia Ethridge, Elizabeth has been  
14 named to the Headmaster's Honor Roll all eight semesters in high school, is in the top 5  
15 percent of her class, and has a cumulative grade point average of 4.44; and
- 16 WHEREAS, during her years at Mount Paran, Elizabeth has served as president of the  
17 National Honor Society, a member of the Beta Club and the varsity soccer team, and was a  
18 participant in the executive internship program, the peer mentoring program, and several  
19 plays, dramas, and musicals; and
- 20 WHEREAS, Elizabeth has been recognized with numerous honors and accolades, including  
21 the Mount Paran Christian School Timothy Award, and was a nominee for the 2011 Comcast  
22 Leaders and Achievers Scholarship Program; and

23 WHEREAS, by her many achievements, grace, and positive attitude, Elizabeth has brought  
24 credit to her parents, her community, her school, and this state; and

25 WHEREAS, all Georgians are proud of young women who, like Elizabeth, represent the very  
26 best that this state has to offer; and

27 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia looks with great anticipation toward the future of this  
28 bright and promising young citizen.

29 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
30 heartily commend Elizabeth Ashlyn Ethridge for her spectacular scholastic endeavors,  
31 congratulate her on her numerous achievements, and express to her their most sincere best  
32 wishes for continued success in the future.

33 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
34 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Elizabeth Ashlyn Ethridge.