

## Senate Resolution 756

By: Senators Heath of the 31st, Rogers of the 21st, Williams of the 19th, Cowser of the 46th, Chance of the 16th and others

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring and celebrating the 100th birthday of Clifford Camp Eaves; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Clifford Camp Eaves was born on February 22, 1912, in Buchanan, Georgia,  
3 a beloved son of James Lovelace Eaves and Elizabeth Philpot Eaves and devoted brother to  
4 four siblings; and
- 5 WHEREAS, he was united in love and marriage to Ethel Gentry in 1934, a union which  
6 blessed them with two remarkable sons, Jerry Eaves and Jack Eaves; and
- 7 WHEREAS, at the age of 14 he traded a new pair of Brogan shoes right off his feet for a  
8 stripped down Model T Ford; and
- 9 WHEREAS, he purchased a 100 acre farm north of Buchanan with the inheritance from his  
10 mother's estate and there his farm products were cotton, corn, produce, cattle, and other  
11 livestock; and
- 12 WHEREAS, he helped build various military installations in Georgia, Alabama, and Virginia  
13 during World War II; and
- 14 WHEREAS, he built and operated one of the first convenience stores in West Georgia with  
15 his wife from the 1950s to the 1960s; and
- 16 WHEREAS, the devotion, patience, and understanding he has demonstrated have provided  
17 the foundation and framework of success in which all of his family members have developed  
18 and flourished; and
- 19 WHEREAS, he is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for  
20 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness, and by the example he has made of his life, he

21 makes this world a better place in which to live, and it is only fitting and proper that he be  
22 appropriately recognized during this very special and memorable time of his life.

23 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
24 join in honoring Clifford Camp Eaves on the occasion of his 100th birthday and wishing him  
25 many more years of happiness.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
27 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Clifford Camp Eaves.