

## House Resolution 1243

By: Representatives Rogers of the 26<sup>th</sup>, Collins of the 27<sup>th</sup>, Dunahoo of the 25<sup>th</sup>, and Benton of the 31<sup>st</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring the life and memory of Edgar Brown Dunlap, Jr.; 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 Edgar Brown Dunlap, Jr. on January 6, 2012; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Edgar was born on August 7, 1924, in Gainesville, Georgia, a beloved son of  
5 the late Edgar Brown Dunlap, Sr., and Katherine Anderson Dunlap; and
- 6 WHEREAS, he served as a guardian of this nation's freedom and liberty with the United  
7 States Army, valiantly and courageously protecting his fellow Americans in the Pacific  
8 Theater and Japan; and
- 9 WHEREAS, he served as president of the Gainesville Kiwanis Club and on the board of  
10 directors of the Northeast Georgia History Center at Brenau University; and
- 11 WHEREAS, Edgar was preceded in death by his first wife, Anne Bleakley, then united in  
12 love and marriage to Charlon Dunlap and was blessed with two remarkable children, Neal  
13 Hughs and David Dunlap; and
- 14 WHEREAS, he gave inspiration to many through his high ideals, morals, and deep concern  
15 for his fellow citizens, and the devotion, patience, and understanding he demonstrated to his  
16 family and friends were admired by others; and
- 17 WHEREAS, he was a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation  
18 for integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness and, by the example he made of his life, he  
19 made this world a better place in which to live; and

20 WHEREAS, a compassionate and generous man, Edgar Brown Dunlap, Jr. will long be  
21 remembered for his love of family and friendship, and this loyal husband, son, and friend will  
22 be missed by all who had the great fortune of knowing him.

23 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
24 the members of this body join in honoring the life and memory of Edgar Brown Dunlap, Jr.  
25 and express their deepest and most sincere regret at his passing.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
27 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the family of Edgar Brown  
28 Dunlap, Jr.