

2009 SESSION

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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 650

Celebrating the life of Lemuel Edward Irvin.

Agreed to by the House of Delegates, January 16, 2009
Agreed to by the Senate, January 22, 2009

WHEREAS, Lemuel Edward Irvin of Waynesboro, a former city councilman and vice mayor, died on July 23, 2008; and

WHEREAS, Lemuel Irvin was born to Ruth Jones Irvin and Edward Waller on January 22, 1931; and

WHEREAS, Lemuel Irvin graduated from Waynesboro High School and then proudly served his country in the United States Air Force; and

WHEREAS, Lemuel Irvin married his beloved wife, Doris, and the couple had two wonderful children; and

WHEREAS, a valued and dedicated employee of Basic Witz/Stanley Furniture Company, Lemuel Irvin retired as a personnel manager after 40 years of service with the company; and

WHEREAS, a committed public servant, Lemuel Irvin was a Waynesboro City Council member for 16 years, including several years as vice mayor; and

WHEREAS, actively involved in the Methodist community, Lemuel Irvin was a longtime member of Basic United Methodist Church, a lay witness mission coordinator for 35 years, and a lay speaker for the Staunton District of the Methodist Church; and

WHEREAS, Lemuel Irvin will be fondly remembered for his kind and generous nature and will be greatly missed by his loving wife, Doris; their son Lemuel and daughter Cathy and their families; and his numerous friends and admirers; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the House of Delegates, the Senate concurring, That the General Assembly mourn the passing of an outstanding Virginian, Lemuel Edward Irvin; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the House of Delegates prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to the family of Lemuel Edward Irvin as an expression of the General Assembly's respect for his memory.

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