

2012 SESSION

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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 368

Commending Mary Lettie Toodle Norman.

Agreed to by the House of Delegates, February 17, 2012
Agreed to by the Senate, February 23, 2012

WHEREAS, Mary Lettie Toodle Norman, a respected citizen of the Commonwealth and a woman of strong faith, is honored on the occasion of her 100th birthday; and

WHEREAS, Mary Norman, who was born in Plymouth, North Carolina, on January 6, 1912, was the daughter of Early Toodle and Caroline Thomas Early Toodle; and

WHEREAS, Mary Norman married her husband, James, in North Carolina, and the couple had nine children; the family moved to Norfolk in 1943, which was a bustling and busy place as the city focused its energies on the war effort; and

WHEREAS, Mary Norman, who joined Philippi Church of Christ, Disciples of Christ in Norfolk, has been a faithful and active member for seven decades; her weekly presence at Sunday services is an inspiration to the rest of the congregation; and

WHEREAS, the world has been reshaped in Mary Norman's lifetime by forces such as electricity, the automobile, and two world wars; throughout she has remained true to her Christian faith and continues to find strength, respite, and renewal at Philippi Church of Christ; and

WHEREAS, the family, friends, and fellow members of Philippi Church of Christ, Disciples of Christ have joined Mary Norman, a devout and steadfast Christian, in celebrating this special centennial birthday with prayers and good wishes; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the House of Delegates, the Senate concurring, That the General Assembly hereby commend Mary Lettie Toodle Norman on the occasion of her 100th birthday; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the House of Delegates prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to Mary Lettie Toodle Norman as an expression of the General Assembly's best wishes for future health and happiness.

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