ENGROSSED HOUSE
CONCURRENT
RESOLUTION NO. 1101

By: Thornbrugh, Adair, Adkins, Askins, Begley, Benge, Benson, Beutler, Blackburn, Bonny, Boyd, Braddock, Bryant, Calvey, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Collins, Corn, Covey, Cox, Culver, Dank, Davis, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Frame, Gilbert, Glover, Graves, Gray, Greenwood, Hastings, Hefner, Hiett, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kinnamon, Kirby, Kouba, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Liotta, Maddux, Mass, Matlock, McCarter, Miller, Mitchell, Morgan, Nance, Nations, Newport, Ostrander, Paulk, Perry, Pettigrew, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Pope (Tim), Reese, Rice, Roach, Roberts, Roggow, Ross, Seikel, Sellers, Settle, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Stanley, Stites, Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Thomas, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Weaver, Webb, Wells, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen and Wright of the House

and

Ford of the Senate

A Concurrent Resolution congratulating Paul and Freda Thornbrugh on the occasion of their 59th Wedding Anniversary; and directing distribution.

WHEREAS, almost 60 years ago, a young lady named Freda Curtiss caught the eye of a handsome young man named Paul Thornbrugh; and

WHEREAS, Miss Curtiss was a cheerleader for the Garnett Kansas High School Bulldogs and Paul became known as “Winged Mercury” in his position as wide receiver for the Bulldogs football team; and

WHEREAS, high school sweethearts, Paul and Freda, were married on June 1, 1941, in Garnett Kansas, and embarked upon a new life together; and

WHEREAS, Paul and Freda Thornbrugh became the parents of four sons, Curtis, Thomas, Fred, and C. Michael; and

WHEREAS, Paul served his country in the United States Navy during World War II and later enjoyed a distinguished career with Mapco, Incorporated; and

WHEREAS, Freda dedicated herself to the care and nurture of her family; and

WHEREAS, Paul and Freda are now the proud and loving grandparents of nine grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, Paul and Freda Thornbrugh have, throughout their 59 years together, embodied the familiar wedding vows, "…to have and to hold from this day forward, for better, for worse, for richer, for poorer, in sickness and in health, to love and cherish, till death do us part."

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 2ND SESSION OF THE 47TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:

THAT the Oklahoma State Legislature extends heartfelt congratulations to Paul and Freda Thornbrugh on the occasion of their 59th Wedding Anniversary and extends best wishes for many more years of wedded bliss.

THAT a copy of this resolution be distributed to Paul and Freda Thornbrugh.

Adopted by the House of Representatives the 18th day of May, 2000.

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Speaker of the House of Representatives

Adopted by the Senate the ____ day of _____, 2000.

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President of the Senate