

State of Tennessee

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 284

By Representatives Ramsey, Swann

and

Senator Overbey

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Hannah June Reynolds, 2011 Valedictorian of Maryville Christian School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Hannah June Reynolds is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2011 graduating class at Maryville Christian School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Reynolds has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Hannah has earned an exemplary 4.48 grade point average while participating in several worthwhile extracurricular activities, including the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Student Council, Doulus Club, Maryville College Math Competition, East Tennessee Public Broadcasting Service Scholar's Bowl, and the King's Academy Scholar's Bowl, where she placed second in the competition; and

WHEREAS, she has distinguished herself as a leader among her peers through dedicated service in student government as class president for two years, and she is also vice president of the Beta Club; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to accolades, Hannah has received the ASCI Distinguished Christian Student awards for Fine Art, Leadership, and Christian Service, and the Maryville Christian School Bible Award; this remarkable young woman plans to study psychology at Samford University, where she has been awarded the Presidential Scholarship; and

WHEREAS, a gifted athlete, Ms. Reynolds lettered in varsity volleyball and basketball, serving as team captain for both sports; and

WHEREAS, Hannah Reynolds's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Reynolds's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Phil and Julie Reynolds, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Hannah's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2011 Maryville Christian High School Valedictorian, Hannah June Reynolds, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future as she continues her education at Samford University.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

ADOPTED: APRIL 28, 2011
BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
RON RAMSEY SPEAKER OF THE SENATE
APPROVED this day of 2011
BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR

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