

## State of Tennessee

## **HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 50**

## By Representative Bass

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Carlye Owen, 2011 Valedictorian of Marshall County High 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, Carlye Owen is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2011 graduating class at Marshall County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Carlye 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, Carlye has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average while taking first place in the State in social studies through the Beta Club and being named a National Merit Scholar finalist; and

WHEREAS, a participant in numerous school activities, Carlye is a member of the marching and concert bands, served as Beta Club historian and head of the scrapbook committee, and attended the Governor's School for the Sciences; and

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

WHEREAS, her noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents. Bill and Angie Owen, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Carlye Owen'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 REPRESENATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend and honor the 2011 Marshall County High School Valedictorian, Carlye Owen, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

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

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ADOPTED: MARCH 14, 2011

BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES