

A RESOLUTION adjourning the House of Representatives in honor and loving memory of Arvetta Dorcas Plank Dean.

WHEREAS, Arvetta Dean was born in Rowan County on July 15, 1932, the daughter of the late Allie and Eliza Lovelace Plank; and

WHEREAS, Arvetta Dean was employed at Cowden's and the sewing factory at Olive Hill. She was also a well-known babysitter in Rowan County who cared for more than 300 children, many of whom continued their relationship with Mrs. Dean throughout their lives; and

WHEREAS, Arvetta Dean was a Sunday school teacher and song leader for 43 years, a Sunday school secretary for more than 30 years, a member of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Hayes Crossing-Haldeman Fire Department, and the former East Kentucky Ladies Auxiliary President; and

WHEREAS, for 46 years, Arvetta Dean volunteered with seniors at the Life Care in Morehead and the Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in West Liberty. She was also a volunteer cook for the youth at church camp and a supporter of many community activities; and

WHEREAS, Arvetta Dean was an avid gardener and quilter who deeply loved spending time with her family and friends; and

WHEREAS, Arvetta Dean departed this earthly life on January 29, 2015, leaving her family, friends, and all those whose lives she had touched in solemn mourning; and

WHEREAS, Arvetta Dean is survived by her husband of 60 years, Lloyd Dean, who served as pastor of the Morehead United Pentecostal Church; her sisters, Vada Estep, Joyce Riddle, Phyllis Rogers, Shirley Davis, and Ona Bennett; her brother, Curtis Plank; and many other family members who will dearly miss her presence in their lives;

NOW, THEREFORE,

***Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:***

➔Section 1. The House of Representatives hereby expresses its deepest and most profound condolences upon the passing of Arvetta Dorcas Plank Dean, and extends its heartfelt sympathy to her family, friends, and community in this time of loss.

➔Section 2. When the House of Representatives adjourns this day, it does so in honor and loving memory of Arvetta Dorcas Plank Dean.

➔Section 3. The Clerk of the House of Representatives is directed to transmit a copy of this Resolution to Representative Rocky Adkins for delivery.