

Mr. Speaker, Luke Dunkin deservedly joins a prestigious group of heroes with this award from the Coast Guard. On behalf of the people of North Alabama and the United States House of Representatives, I commend Mr. Dunkin for risking his own life to rescue Robert Justice on October 26, 2001.

TRIBUTE TO BISHOP CLAUDE L. CAMPBELL

HON. DONALD M. PAYNE

OF NEW JERSEY

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, November 12, 2002

Mr. PAYNE. Mr. Speaker, it is with great pride that I rise today to recognize Bishop Claude L. Campbell and his 37th Anniversary at St. Paul's Calvary United Church of God in Union, New Jersey. Since 1965, Bishop Campbell has enhanced not only his church and congregation, but also the community of Union.

Born on October 6, 1931 in Raeford, North Carolina, Bishop Campbell was raised in the Presbyterian Church where he was actively involved in the church choir and developed a love of music and singing. It was at an early age that Bishop Campbell knew that he was destined to a life of service.

Bishop Campbell moved to New Jersey in 1954, where he became involved in congregations in the tri-state area, eventually beginning his pastorate at St. Paul's Calvary United Church of God in October 1965. Under his direction, the church has flourished, and has developed an especially strong tie to the younger members of the congregation.

Mr. Speaker, I am sure that my colleagues here in the House of Representatives join me today as we recognize Bishop Claude L. Campbell and his many years of devoted service to St. Paul's Calvary Church of God.

HONORING CHRISTINE TAYLOR OF GROVER HILL, OH

HON. MARCY KAPTUR

OF OHIO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Ms. KAPTUR. Mr. Speaker, I rise to recognize the contributions to our Nation by Christine Taylor of Grover Hill, OH. In June of this year, Christine was elected State President of the Ladies Auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States on June 30, 2002.

Born in Eye, Suffolk, England and the oldest of the four children, Christine immigrated with her family to the United States in 1955. She graduated from Oxnard (California) High School in 1964 and became a naturalized citizen the following year.

She married Roger Taylor, a Navy Seabee veteran in the Vietnam War, in August 1966 and they moved to Ohio. Roger and Christine are the proud parents of three children, Kent, Jennifer, and Matt, and the grandparents of Krystal and Dustin Taylor.

Since 1975, Chris has been employed as a legal secretary and office manager for the DeMuth Law Office in Paulding, OH.

In 1974 she joined the Ladies Auxiliary to the V.F.W. as a charter member of the Grover

Hill Auxiliary 2873, under the eligibility of her husband. Serving as the auxiliary's first Treasurer, she progressed through the various chairs to serve as Auxiliary President in 1980–1982. She currently serves as Auxiliary Trustee and program chairman.

Chris's activity on the District level started when she was asked by her friend, Susie Moon, to serve as District Secretary in 1981–1982. Elected as Conductress in 1985, she progressed through the district chairs to serve as District #1 President in 1988–1989, being named as runner-up Outstanding District President for that year.

Commencing in 1987–1988, Chris served as State chairman for number programs, including National Home, Youth Activities and the Voice of Democracy, Community Service, Cancer Aid & Research, Americanism, Buddy Poppy, Safety, Hospital, and Historian, in addition to serving as Assistant Conductress and Chief of Staff.

Elected as Department Guard in 1977, Chris has served as a State officer, culminating in her election and installation as the leader of the Ohio V.F.W. Ladies Auxiliary. During her term of office, Chris will lead the 51,600 members of the Ohio delegation under her theme of "Teamwork—The Key to Success."

Mr. Speaker, I salute the dedication, patriotism, and commitment of Christine Taylor and congratulate her on her election as leader of the Ohio V.F.W. Ladies Auxiliary.

HONORING THE ENVIRONMENTAL DEFENSE CENTER

HON. LOIS CAPPS

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, November 12, 2002

Mrs. CAPPS. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to pay tribute to the Environmental Defense Center of Santa Barbara, California.

This year, the EDC celebrates its 25th Anniversary. The Central Coast of California and our nation have benefited in countless ways from its leadership. This organization has been a pioneer and champion of environmental and health issues in Ventura, Santa Barbara, and San Luis Obispo counties. EDC provides invaluable legal services, advocacy and public education on behalf of a variety of environmental causes.

There are many issues where the EDC's leadership has been indispensable for our community—improving water quality, protecting endangered species, promoting access to public lands. But I would like to highlight one issue in particular—the fight to end new oil drilling off our beautiful coastline. This is an area where the EDC's expertise is unrivaled and where its counsel to me has been incredibly valuable.

As the U.S. Representative for Santa Barbara and San Luis Obispo counties—and the newly elected Representative for the new 23rd Congressional district which encompasses the coastal communities in those two counties and Ventura County—I have made the fight to stop new offshore oil drilling a top priority.

We have reached a consensus here on the Central Coast that we do not want any more drilling off our coast. We do not want the 36 leases developed and we do not want the life of the current rigs extended. We understand

all too well the risk to both our environment and our tourist-based economy that more oil development means. And we are all committed to winning this fight against more oil drilling.

EDC's historic leadership in this struggle, in-depth knowledge of the issue, and bright, aggressive attorneys has been an indispensable resource for me as I wage our fight in Washington.

This year we took an historic first step by getting the House of Representatives to vote in favor of stopping new drilling off our coast. I want to thank the EDC for all its help in getting my amendment passed.

I send my best wishes to the EDC and all of its staff and supporters and look forward to working together to advance our common goals in Washington and on the Central Coast. Good luck on the next 25 years!

TRIBUTE IN HONOR OF DR. DONALD C. HARRISON

HON. ROB PORTMAN

OF OHIO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, November 12, 2002

Mr. PORTMAN. Mr. Speaker, I rise today in recognition of Dr. Donald Harrison, a friend and community leader, who will retire as Senior Vice President and Provost of the University of Cincinnati (U.C.) Medical Center next year.

Since 1986, Don has been at the helm of the U.C. Medical Center. Don was recruited from Stanford University, where he held a number of positions while working as a researcher and clinician for 23 years. Under Don's 16 years of leadership, the U.C. Medical Center has become a world-class teaching and research institution.

One of the important reasons for Don's success has been his ability to recruit outstanding medical professionals who are among the best and brightest in the world. With his team, he developed a new concept for U.C. and the University Hospital as a health system. This helped position the U.C. Medical Center as a major medical facility in the nation to provide research education and patient care for the next century.

As one of his early accomplishments, Don was key in the 1990s in helping to save University Hospital, which faced a financial crisis and could have cost Cincinnati one of its most important hospitals. At the same time, Don was looking ahead to turn the Medical Center into one of the most prominent research institutions in the world. Don headed up the Reaching for the 21st Century plan which aimed to markedly increase research in heart disease, cancer, neurosciences as well as in perinatal and neonatology. During Don's tenure, research funding increased from \$30 million annually to \$209 million over this past year. The more recent Millennium Plan adds diabetes to its research focus areas. As part of the Millennium Plan, the existing Medical Sciences building will be renovated and expanded and the Genome Research Institute will be established.

During Don's tenure, U.C. Medical Center's programs and experts have become increasingly well known and respected for health sciences, research, education and patient

care. And in addition to offering excellent health care to those in the Cincinnati area, the Medical Center has been shown to have an annual \$3.05 billion economic impact on our area. These successes can be attributed to Don's vision and hard work over the years.

Don also is an entrepreneur and, among his accomplishments, he established BioStart at the Medical Center to give researchers a place to nurture their work to a point where it may become commercially viable. Throughout his career, Don also continued his work as a practicing, world renown cardiologist.

Mr. Speaker, Don has had a profound impact on the lives and economy of Greater Cincinnati, boosting the national reputation of the U.C. Medical Center and improving the health care available to people in the Ohio, Kentucky and Indiana tristate region. The medical research conducted at the Medical Center under Don's leadership also has enhanced the health care available to people across our nation and throughout the world. All of us in Southwestern Ohio are grateful to Don for his contributions to our community, and we wish him well as he steps down from his post as Senior Vice President and Provost of the U.C. Medical Center.

TRIBUTE TO LEO GREENBERG

HON. SAM FARR

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, November 12, 2002

Mr. FARR of California. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor a dear friend, Mr. Leo Greenberg, a long-time resident of Aptos, California who passed away on July 13, 2001. Mr. Greenberg was an active member of the community who sought to make our world better place by tirelessly advocating for democratic principles, human rights, and social justice.

Mr. Greenberg was born 81 years ago in Tulsa, Oklahoma and grew up in Kansas City, Missouri, where his family moved when he was a small child. After graduating from high school, Mr. Greenberg enlisted in the Coast Guard. During World War II, the Coast Guard was militarized under the Department of the Navy, and in the Navy, Mr. Greenberg served admirably for many long years at sea. On his first mission hunting enemy submarines in the North Atlantic, his ship was caught in a "Perfect Storm" and nearly sank. Mr. Greenberg survived that ordeal and was able to participate in five invasions in the European theater, including engagements in Naples, Sicily, the South of France, and D-Day at Normandy where Mr. Greenberg was at the helm of his ship while crossing the Channel on the way to the Normandy invasion.

When Mr. Greenberg returned to the United States after WWII, his commitment to freedom and public service continued. After moving to Santa Cruz County in 1973, Mr. Greenberg and his wife, Bea Greenberg, became active in their community, engaging themselves in civic affairs and local and national politics. They were also devoted supporters and for their local Temple. Mr. Greenberg was especially proud of his role in finding the land where a new Temple now stands. He loved to hear his wife sing in the Choir and loved greeting his friends during services.

Mr. Greenberg also loved politics. He was passionate about social values and civil rights,

and worked in his own community to promote these issues. He participated in the San Jose march on the day of the famous March on Washington in 1963. He believed that a strong government could help people and bring them out of suffering and poverty. Locally, he became a leader Santa Cruz County local politics and was a strong supporter of local elected officials, including Norm Mineta, Leon Panetta, and my father, Fred Farr.

In his later years, Mr. Greenberg lived with the debilitating effects of a brain tumor. For the last five years of his life, he attended classes at the Cabrillo College Stroke Center where he learned to live with his disability and where he could keep up with politics, sports, Israel, and Temple life. About a year ago, I attending a meeting at Leo Greenberg's house where he asked me what I could do to promote stroke centers around our nation. He knew what the stroke center had done for him, and he wanted others who were afflicted with similar disabilities to have the same benefits. As a result of this meeting, the Cabrillo College Stroke center has since been designated a federal demonstration project. Mr. Speaker, it is my hope that stroke centers will spring up across the nation as a lasting memorial to Mr. Greenberg. This would be the ultimate tribute to Leo's humanity and long record of community service.

Leo Greenberg's lifelong dedication to public service and democratic principles should be commended. His efforts improved the quality of life on the Central Coast and his achievements have made lasting impacts on the people with whom he has worked. Mr. Speaker, it is my honor to recognize Leo Greenberg.

TRIBUTE TO THE IMANI BAPTIST CHURCH OF CHRIST, INC.

HON. DONALD M. PAYNE

OF NEW JERSEY

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, November 12, 2002

Mr. PAYNE. Mr. Speaker, it is with great pride that I rise today to recognize the 10th anniversary of Imani Baptist Church of Christ, Inc. The Imani Baptist Church of Christ has played a strong unifying role in the East Orange community for the past decade, bringing together both church and community.

From its founding on November 22, 1992, in the home of Deacon and Deaconess Browne of Orange, New Jersey, the church and its community have seen amazing growth. By October of 1998, the church had found a permanent home in East Orange, setting down roots and bringing the congregation together.

Under the direction of Reverend Moses A. Knott, Jr. for the first nine years, and under the new direction of Reverend Leonard Smalls, the church congregation has brought together both friends and community to better the surrounding city and community.

Mr. Speaker, I know that my colleagues here in the United States House of Representatives join me today in recognizing the Imani Baptist Church of Christ, Inc. and recognizing their 10th anniversary celebration.

HONORING ANDY GRANATELLI

HON. LOIS CAPPS

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, November 12, 2002

Mrs. CAPPS. Mr. Speaker, today I would like to pay tribute to a special citizen of Santa Barbara, Mr. Andy Granatelli. Mr. Granatelli is quite an accomplished man and has contributed so much to the Santa Barbara community. It is only fitting that I have the opportunity to honor him today.

Andy Granatelli has been inducted into 20 Halls of Fame, ranging from the American Academy of Achievement to the Indianapolis Motor Speedway Hall of Fame. He's been the winner of two Indy 500 races and the Daytona 500 in 1972 and has appeared in hundreds of television and radio commercials in addition to making appearances on television shows such as Laugh-In and Johnny Carson's Tonight Show. But in addition to all those wonderful accomplishments, Andy Granatelli has been a very dedicated member of the Santa Barbara community, and it is for all his local accomplishments that I truly wish to honor him today.

On November 2, 2002, the United Boys and Girls Clubs of Santa Barbara County honored Mr. Granatelli at their 20th annual kids auction. Andy is on the board of the Boys and Girls Clubs of America and this important organization has greatly benefited from Mr. Granatelli's dedication to our youth. He is also the director of the Unity Shoppe, another important non-profit organization in Santa Barbara.

Founded in 1917, the Unity Shoppe has been called "the mother of all charities". It is the largest direct distributor of food and clothing in Santa Barbara County, and operates as an actual shop, where clients use scrip to purchase items of their choice. The Unity Shoppe does not receive funding other agencies; it instead relies on the generosity of community members like Mr. Granatelli.

In addition to the Boys and Girls Club and the Unity Shoppe, Andy Granatelli is involved with several other community organizations. He is a board member of the Council on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse Summit Advisory, the Director of the Santa Barbara County Sheriff's Council and is a member of the Navy league of the United States. Andy is also a Council Advisory Board Member for the Boy Scouts of America.

It always pleases me to be able to honor active community members such as Andy Granatelli. The generosity and dedication of people like Mr. Granatelli make Santa Barbara County a special and wonderful place to live, and I am truly thankful for his devotion.

DEDICATION OF THE NORTH ALABAMA VETERANS MUSEUM AND ARCHIVES

HON. ROBERT E. (BUD) CRAMER, JR.

OF ALABAMA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, November 12, 2002

Mr. CRAMER. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize the achievement of the community of Limestone County in my district on the occasion of the dedication of the North Alabama