

EXTENSIONS OF REMARKS

HONORING KAREN D. ANDERSON

HON. HENRY C. "HANK" JOHNSON, JR.

OF GEORGIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, May 19, 2014

Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia. Mr. Speaker, I submit the following Proclamation.

Whereas, in the Fourth Congressional District of Georgia, there are many individuals who are called to contribute to the needs of our community through leadership and service; and

Whereas, Mrs. Karen D. Anderson has answered that call by giving of herself as an educator at Edward L. Bouie, Sr., Elementary Traditional Theme School, and as a beloved wife, mother and friend; and

Whereas, Mrs. Anderson has been chosen as the 2014 Teacher of the Year, representing Edward L. Bouie, Sr., Elementary Traditional Theme School; and

Whereas, this phenomenal woman has shared her time and talents for the betterment of our community and our nation through her tireless works, motivational speeches and words of wisdom; and

Whereas, Mrs. Anderson is a virtuous woman, a courageous woman and a fearless leader who has shared her vision, talents and passion to help ensure that our children, receive an education that is relevant not only for today, but well into the future, as she truly understands that our children are the future; and

Whereas, the U.S. Representative of the Fourth District of Georgia has set aside this day to honor and recognize Mrs. Karen D. Anderson for her leadership and service to our District and in recognition of this singular honor as 2014 Teacher of the Year at Edward L. Bouie, Sr., Traditional Theme Elementary School; now therefore, I, HENRY C. "HANK" JOHNSON, Jr. do hereby proclaim March 28, 2014 as Mrs. Karen D. Anderson Day in the 4th Congressional District.

Proclaimed, this 28th day of March, 2014.

BILL MIDDLETON TRIBUTE

HON. SCOTT R. TIPTON

OF COLORADO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, May 19, 2014

Mr. TIPTON. Mr. Speaker, I rise today in honor of Commander Bill Middleton, Investigations Divisions Commander of the Garfield County Sheriff's office, who is retiring after 22 years of service.

Since he was ten years old, Commander Middleton was surrounded by family members in law enforcement who served as mentors and played a large role in his desire to pursue a career in law enforcement. With a calling to leadership and helping others, Commander Middleton put himself through the academy at CMC Spring Valley Campus in Glenwood Springs, Colorado, before embarking on more

than two decades of protecting and serving his community.

Commander Middleton received a number of promotions over his career, showing his leadership by serving as Team Leader of Hostage Negotiations, serving as Professional Standards Division Commander from 2007 to 2013, and receiving his Bachelors of Science in Business Administration in 2009, before being named Investigations Division Commander in 2013.

Mr. Speaker, it is an honor to recognize Commander Middleton for his service to our state, the Glenwood Springs community, and his commitment to leading, protecting and helping others.

HONORING YWCA LAKE COUNTY
AND ITS 2014 WOMEN OF
ACHIEVEMENT

HON. BRADLEY S. SCHNEIDER

OF ILLINOIS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, May 19, 2014

Mr. SCHNEIDER. Mr. Speaker, I rise to honor five outstanding women and four exemplary organizations in the suburban Chicago community that I represent. The YWCA Lake County hosts its annual Women of Achievement Award Dinner to honor several individuals and organizations dedicated to empowering underserved and low-income families, and especially women and girls.

This year's impressive group of honorees celebrates the ideals of the YWCA and has made a tremendous impact in the community. From education to local government and entrepreneurship, these honorees represent the finest ideals of social service, community involvement and civic leadership.

This year, YWCA Lake County honors Roycealee J. Wood with the Lifetime Achievement Award, after 40 years serving the students of Lake County as a teacher, administrator and Superintendent; Roberta Rubin with the Arts and Culture Award for sharing her love of books with the community; Audrey Nixon with the Civic Leadership Award, after 32 years on the Lake County Board; Tiffany Brooks with the Entrepreneurship Award, after winning HGTV's "Design Star" competition and launching her own firm; Jamie Kreppein, a high school senior, with the Dr. Minnie J. Leggett Scholarship for diverse and inspiring work with children.

This year's Corporate Champion Award goes to Allstate Insurance Company for its longtime support for YWCA programs and community endeavors; and the Community Champion Awards go to Greater St. James Temple Church in God in Christ (North Chicago), Redeemer Lutheran Church (Waukegan) and St. Paul's Church (Waukegan).

Mr. Speaker, the accomplishments of these honorees stretch pages and pages and have touched the lives and hearts of countless individuals and families in our communities. Their

work, their passion and, most of all, their commitment to helping others is truly commendable and remarkable.

I thank YWCA Lake County for its community service, and I congratulate the worthy and impressive 2014 Women of Achievement.

HONORING HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS
FROM WAYNE, MACOMB AND
OAKLAND COUNTIES THAT HAVE
ENLISTED IN THE ARMED
FORCES

HON. CANDICE S. MILLER

OF MICHIGAN

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, May 19, 2014

Mrs. MILLER of Michigan. Mr. Speaker, I rise today with my colleagues Congressman MIKE ROGERS, Congressman SANDER LEVIN, Congressman KERRY BENTIVOLIO, Congressman JOHN DINGELL, Congressman JOHN CONYERS, and Congressman GARY PETERS to recognize the high school seniors from Wayne, Macomb and Oakland Counties that have enlisted in the Armed Forces and will begin their military careers after graduating in June of 2014.

I congratulate them for this academic achievement and express my most sincere gratitude for their commitment to this nation. By enlisting to serve in our Armed Forces, they are answering the highest calling and joining an elite, honored society of selfless and courageous leaders.

UNITED STATES ARMY

Allyn, Vincent; Anderson, Clintina; Andrews, Donovan; Atiyeh, Alecia; Avery Conner, Rhonda; Bakare, Adebawale; Ball, Jeffery; Bennett, Steven; Berschbach, Alex; Bettner, Cameron; Bibbs, William; Black, Raquel; Blassie, Devin; Bratasheva, Lidia; Brown, Reginald; Bryant, Zachary; Bullen, Thomas; Burns, Nathaniel; Byrd, Jonathan.

Campbell, Samuel; Carlstrom, Christopher; Carter, Malik; Ceri, Rrigels; Christian, Andrew; Clark, Colin; Coker, Bryan; Cosby, Erica; Cote, Taylor; Couzens, Nicholas; Cox, Tyler; Crawford, Christopher; Cummings, Dominic; Davis, Pete; Dempsey, Brianna; Dixon, Sabrina; Dockus, Anthony; Edghill, Peter; Ellsworth, Hunter; Farrow II, Kelly.

Frazier, Samantha; Freeman, Alexander; Gackiewicz, Christian; Gifford, Eric; Gilbert, Christopher; Goins, Jeffrey; Goode, Tyler; Gordon, Joseph; Gray, Sergei; Green, Bailey; Green, Jacob; Griffith, Donald; Grimes, Autumn; Guilmette, Zachary; Hall, Brenton; Heffley, Daniel; Heythaler, Bethany; Hill, Taylor; Hill, Windall; Holmes, Alexandra.

Houle, Joseph; Hourmiz, Jonathan; Hudak, Anna; Hurd-Laskowski, Nathan; Jackson, Aaron; Jackson, Glenn; James, Robert; Janssen, Chase; Johnson, Malik; Jones, Dante; Jones, Townesen; Jones, Zachary; Juarez, Abraham; Justice, Kyle; Justice, Michael; Kalia, Kartik; Kasza, Zachary; Keller, Jesse; Kelley, Jordan; Kelly, Matthew; King, Jordan.

Kinney, Camdin; Kinney, Michael; Krause, Anton; Krekla, John; Kuecken, Lindsay; Kwicien, Max; Laitis, Dylan; Lange, Brian;

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Lashley, James; Lawson, Brandon; Leach, Tabatha; Lindsay, Aaron; Lopez, Juan; Lucas, Brandon; Maciejewski, Cameron; Mack, John; Mason, Angela; Massoud, Mysaruh; Matney, Jakob; Mawby, Donald; Maybin, Johnny.

McCoury, Jacob; McDermott, John; McKenzie, Kurtis; McLatchie, Robert; McPherson, Nigel; Medina, Chelsea; Merrill, Alexander; Milspaugh, Brett; Morgan, Chad; Mullins, Jason; Mullins, Mason; Neil, Colin; Nimmo, Stephen; Novak, Michael; Nowicki, Chene; Obi, Charles; Orman, Nicholas; Orozco, Alexis; Ouellette, Tyler; Overholt, Christopher.

Parker, Johnathon; Patrick, Dejanee; Paulczak, Alexander; Prush, Steven; Ray, Tanner; Reid, Ashleigh; Rethford, Tyler; Richardson, Ronald; Robinson, Austin; Rodriguez Morales, Charles; Rogers, Reign; Salisbury, Calvin; Sarna, Nicholas; Scott Coles, Lenard; Sergi, Anthony; Short, Laurissa; Simmons, Brian; Skwierc, Krystina; Smith, Andrew; Smith, Kyle.

Sonberger, Zachary; Sorathiya, Atulkumar; Staschke, Ryan; Stennett, Connor; Stoddard, Patrick; Stone, Michael; Stone, Zeke; Tanner, David; Thill, Joseph; Thomas, Deonte; Thompson, John; Tokarczyk, Logan; Twigg, Christopher; Vincent, Kenneth; Walker, Elizabeth; Wallace, William; Wargo, Joshua; Weatherspoon, Juwan; Weaver, James; West, Garret.

Wilcox, Alexander; Willhite, Samuel; Williams, Rodsalan; Williams, Shaeley; Wilson, Robert; Windmon, Ahkeim; Winters, Deshaun; Witt, Christopher; Yang, Patrick; Zuccaro, Randy.

UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS

Babcock, Bradley; Baumgardner, Alan; Beard, Eric; Beck, Jordan; Belknap, Ryan; Benny, Guy; Bicknell, Christopher; Blackson, Jared; Bourdage, Bradley; Boyland, Daishaun; Brown, Matthew; Campbell, Andrew; Cavanaugh, Clayton; Cera, Ardi; Chavez, Jacob; Clements, Alec; Craven, Jacob; Curtis, Austin; Dagher, Jacob; Demara, Michael.

Dillon, Robert; Ebert, Brandon; Ellis, Zachary; Gall Alexander; Giovannetti, Nicholas; Girard, Mark; Gloster, Tatyana; Grieve, Shane; Hanson, Darius; Heinzman, James; Hendershot, Jarret; Hendry, Trevor; Hernandez, Rosa; Herrera, Alberto; Hessling, Nathaniel; Hoover, Jeremiah; Ignasiak, Mark; Jackson, Toni.

Jones, Kyle; Joseph, Trevor; Julian, Zachary; Kerkhof, Kory; Kesto, Jonathon; King, Scott; Kroetsch, Tyler; Leploh, Dalton; Lewins, John; Lind, Nathan; Ludolph, Terrin; Martinez, Ivan; McDonald, William; Moir, James; Monday, Kyle; Mosley, Donald; Nagy, Tyler; Nelson, Tyler; Nelson, Jerry; O'Brien, Justin.

Pastor, Joshua; Paulisin, Jacob; Perez, Herald; Philbin, Brandon; Phillips, Jacob; Reeves, Daren; Revynwinkler, Jalen; Rice, Markies; Rojo, Ramiro; Rouse, Marcellos; Ryan, Thomas; Sappington, Jasen; Schafer, Zackery; Scott, Jody; Setty, Joshua; Sikes, Joshua; Smith, Shaine; Soto, Mario; Springer, Andrew; Taperek, Tyler.

Trader, Kristi; Tremble, Gregory; Trueblood, Julian; Vanpamel, Noah; Vicari, Nicholas; Williams, Matthew; Wilson, Calvin; Wysocki, Danielle.

UNITED STATES NAVY

Allison, Coshonna; Barrie, Tiffani; Bitzer, Preston; Bork, Alicia; Branham, Aaron-Anthony; Britton, Brandon; Burley, Christopher; Burtell, Matthew; Calhoun, Devan; Chambers Lilley, Quintin; Colegrove, Aaron; Cuevas, Carlos; Davis, Natadiah; Demarais, Olivia; Doederlein, Brinson; Durnen, Jeremy; Fisher, Carol; Fisher, Trey; Frizzell, Joseph; Grajevci, Gen.

Hanosh, Patrick; Harden, Dewane; Harper, Marquis; Haynes, Tamar; Hilliard, Emilia;

Huber, Julia; Jones, Corey; Knapp, Xavier; Larkins, Argie; Lawrence, Kyle; Love, Darren; Lupi, Cody; Matthews, Christopher; Matthews, Lee; McCoy, Taylor; McDaniel, Ahmad; McIntyre, Brianna; Millben, Jasmine; Nagy, Curtis; Pilver, Grant; Pinter, Christian; Quantrell, Melanie; Rabideau, Carly; Reed, Jason; Salisbury, Rhiannon.

Sanchez, Eduardo; Scarlett, Joshua; Scherr, Aaron; Sharon, Elijah; Sharpe, Russell; Sikorski, Benjamin; Singletary, Damarko; Sum, Faye; Spann, Arturo; Speiran, Eric; Stamps, Karnisha; Stewart, Ricardo; Stinson, Marissa; Thompson, Natalie; Tipton, Matthew; Valdez, Daniel; Valerius, David; Vasquez, Judaya; Warner, Jenniah; Westerby, Jeffrey; Wilhelm, Zachary; Wilson, Andrew; Yurik, Nathan; Zacharek, Garret; Zadorski, Susan; Zendejas Hill, Joseph.

UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

Borland, Michael; Bozeman, Carl; Budurowich, Michael; Carter, Corey; Daprich, Dillon; Favorite, Devin; Hagan, Daniel; Harris, George; Hartwick, Jessica; Haskett, Anthony; Hendricks, Winston; Horner, Brandon; Jackson, Reid; Johnson, Joel; Johnstone, Keellie; Jones, Stephen; Kuzara, Caleb; Livingston, Marc; Mooney, Nathan; Mullins, John; O'grady, Bradley; Reinwasser, Joshua; Short, Tyler; Steffes, Donovan; Stevenson, Kaitlin; Vinton, Joshua.

SPRINGFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH DAY

HON. HENRY C. "HANK" JOHNSON, JR.

OF GEORGIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, May 19, 2014

Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia. Mr. Speaker, I submit the following Proclamation.

Whereas, Springfield Baptist Church has been and continues to be a beacon of light to our district for the past one hundred thirty-five years; and

Whereas, Pastor Eric Lee and the members of the Springfield Baptist Church family today continues to uplift and inspire those in our district; and

Whereas, the Springfield Baptist Church family has been and continues to be a place where citizens are touched spiritually, mentally and physically through outreach ministries and community partnership to aid in building up our district; and

Whereas, this remarkable and tenacious Church of God has given hope to the hopeless, fed the needy and empowered our community for the past one hundred thirty-five (135) years, being organized in 1879 founded during the turbulent post-Civil War period by former slaves in order for them to continue to worship together as a congregation under the leadership of Rev. Joe Sims; and

Whereas, Springfield Baptist Church has produced many spiritual warriors, people of compassion, people of great courage, fearless leaders and servants to all, but most of all visionaries who have shared not only with their Church, but with Rockdale County their passion to spread the gospel of Jesus Christ; and

Whereas, the U.S. Representative of the Fourth District of Georgia has set aside this day to honor and recognize the Springfield Baptist Church family as they dedicate their new Church Campus and for continued leadership and service to our District and the

world; now therefore, I, HENRY C. "HANK" JOHNSON, Jr. do hereby proclaim May 2, 2014 as Springfield Baptist Church Day in the 4th Congressional District of Georgia.

Proclaimed, this 2nd day of May, 2014.

RECOGNIZING SPECIALIST FOUR RONALD N. SANDQUIST, BRONZE STAR RECIPIENT FOR HEROIC ACHIEVEMENT

HON. SEAN P. DUFFY

OF WISCONSIN

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, May 19, 2014

Mr. DUFFY. Mr. Speaker, I am pleased to present the United States Bronze Star with "V" Device to Specialist Four Ronald N. Sandquist for heroic achievement while serving as a Specialist Four E4 in Company E of the 2nd Battalion in the 1st Infantry or the 196th Brigade. Specialist Four Sandquist distinguished himself by exceptionally valorous action while serving as an ammunition bearer in the mortar platoon of E company which was reinforcing the Kham Duc Special Forces Camp on 12 May 1968. During the battle of Kham Duc an integral ammunition bunker caught ablaze, following this attack Specialist Sandquist repeatedly risked his life in order to evacuate wounded members of his squad to a safer position. If this alone were not heroic enough, he repeatedly returned to the burning bunker to carry badly needed ammunition to a safer position. As stated by Specialist Sandquist's commanding officer, John K. Sammet, "Specialist Sandquist, with complete disregard for his own personal safety, exposed himself to intense hostile fire to carry ammunition from the ammunition pit to the gun placement and prepare the charges for fire." Specialist Four Sandquist's devotion to duty, personal bravery, and valorous conduct are in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service and reflect great credit upon himself, the American Division, and the U.S. Army.

Mr. Speaker, on behalf of a very grateful nation, please join me in recognizing and thanking Specialist Four Ronald N. Sandquist for his acts of valor.

HONORING THE LIFE AND LEGACY OF HARCOURT IRVIN CLARK, SR.

HON. FREDERICA S. WILSON

OF FLORIDA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, May 19, 2014

Ms. WILSON of Florida. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor the life and legacy of Mr. Harcourt Irvin Clark, Sr., who passed away on Thursday, May 8, 2014, at Memorial Regional Medical Center in Hollywood, Florida. Mr. Clark was a loving husband, father, patriot, and trailblazer.

Mr. Clark was born on December 23, 1934, to the late Zena Marie Sawyer-Clark and Irwin Harcourt "Christmas" Clark in Coconut Grove, Florida. He received his K-12 education in Miami-Dade County Public Schools and graduated from the historic George Washington Carver High School in 1953. It was at George Washington Carver High School where he developed a passion for music and became a drum major for the school marching band.