

By: Representatives Horne, Robinson (84th),
Snowden, Young

To: Rules

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 42

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE LIFE OF RAYMOND P.
2 DAVIS AND EXPRESSING DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO HIS FAMILY AND FRIENDS
3 UPON HIS PASSING.

4 WHEREAS, Mr. Raymond P. Davis, a native of Lauderdale County,
5 Mississippi, departed this life on September 4, 2000, causing a
6 great loss to his family and friends; and

7 WHEREAS, from 1944 to 1946, Mr. Davis courageously served his
8 country in World War II in the Mortar Battalion of the 26th
9 Division and the European Theatre, earning a Good Conduct Medal, a
10 Bronze Star, World War II Victory Medal and a Combat Infantryman's
11 badge and ETO ribbon with two Battle Stars; and

12 WHEREAS, during his 36 years of public service to the people
13 of Lauderdale County, Mr. Davis served with honor and distinction
14 as Constable, Sheriff and Tax Collector and Circuit Clerk; and

15 WHEREAS, Mr. Davis distinguished himself as a highly
16 respected county official and served in a manner which is an
17 exceptional model for his successors to emulate; and

18 WHEREAS, it is the policy of this Legislature to recognize
19 and pay special tribute to such outstanding Mississippians as Mr.
20 Raymond P. Davis, a remarkable citizen who dedicated his life to
21 serving the citizens of Lauderdale County:

22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF
23 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, THE SENATE CONCURRING
24 THEREIN, That we do hereby commend the life of Mr. Raymond P.
25 Davis and express our sincere appreciation for his many years of
26 public service and sympathy to his family and friends upon his
27 passing.

28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be
29 furnished to the family of Mr. Raymond P. Davis and to the members
30 of the Capitol Press Corps.