

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 956

By Williams

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Corbett Smith, 2008
Valedictorian of Claiborne 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, Corbett Smith is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2008 graduating class at Claiborne County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Mr. Smith has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Corbett has earned an exemplary grade point average while demonstrating tremendous leadership ability as President of the Student Council and Vice-President of the Key Club; and

WHEREAS, Corbett Smith's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success; and

WHEREAS, Corbett's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Portia and Randall Smith, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Corbett Smith's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2008 Claiborne County High School Valedictorian, Corbett Smith, on his impressive academic achievement and extend to him 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.