

SENATE RESOLUTION 100

By Faulk

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Leslie Bingham, 2009
Valedictorian of Claiborne 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, Leslie Bingham is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2009 graduating class at Claiborne High School; and

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

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, she has earned an exemplary grade point average and has demonstrated outstanding leadership through her involvement in a variety of extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, a leader among her peers, Ms. Bingham has given of her time and energy as a member of Family, Career and Community Leaders of America, Key Club, National Honors Society, and the Cheerleading squad; and

WHEREAS, she is also a faithful and active member of her youth group, and she sets aside time to do community service with the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to accolades, Leslie Bingham has been honored for her assiduous work with a Spanish award, a Theater Arts award, and numerous Honor Roll recognitions; and

WHEREAS, Leslie's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, her noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Tracy Loope and Ed Bingham, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Leslie Bingham'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 SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend and honor the 2009 Claiborne High School Valedictorian, Leslie Bingham, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her 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.