

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1166

By McDonald

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Kristen Mikayla Ray,
2012 Valedictorian of Westmoreland 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, Kristen Mikayla Ray is one such exceptional student who was recently named valedictorian of the 2012 graduating class at Westmoreland High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Kristen Ray 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, Kristen Ray has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average and received the Keyboarding Award and the Pre-Calculus Award while participating in a number of school clubs and organizations, including Beta Club, Future Business Leaders of America, Science Club and History Club; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Ray's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success as she pursues a degree in dental hygiene at Western Kentucky University; and

WHEREAS, Kristen's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Barry Ray and Dana Ray, her school, and her community; and

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

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE

CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2012 Westmoreland High School Valedictorian, Kristen Mikayla Ray, 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.