

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 827

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A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Mariah Paige Beane,  
2012 Salutatorian of Clarksville 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, Mariah Paige Beane is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2012 graduating class at Clarksville High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Beane 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, Mariah has earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including the Math Team, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Student 2 Student, the National Honors Society, Future Business Leaders of America, Model United Nations, Mock Trial, the Speech Club, and Mu Alpha Theta, which she served as secretary; and

WHEREAS, Mariah's sport of preference is golf and she is a regular participant in the annual Craig Rudolph Golf Memorial held in Clarksville; and

WHEREAS, highly lauded for her math and science skills, Ms. Beane has earned Recognitions of Excellence in Geometry, Biology, Algebra II, Chemistry, ACT Prep, Advanced Placement Biology, and Precalculus; she also received a \$1,000 mathematics scholarship to Austin Peay State University in her junior year and was a perennial victor in math competitions throughout her high school years; and

WHEREAS, she has also participated in the National Youth Leadership Forum on National Security, Volunteer Girls' State, and the Governor's School for International Studies, and has dedicated her time to tutoring other students and providing childcare; and

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

WHEREAS, Ms. Beane's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Michael and Rachel Beane, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Beane'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 SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2012 Clarksville High School Salutatorian, Mariah Paige Beane, 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.