

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 235

By Pody

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Tucker Vaught, 2015
Valedictorian of Watertown 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, Tucker Vaught is one such exceptional student, who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2015 graduating class at Watertown High School; and

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

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Tucker Vaught earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in numerous extracurricular activities and leadership roles, including serving as the president of Fellowship of Christian Athletes and Beta Club, a member of Honor Society and Health Occupations Students of America, and a player on the baseball and football teams; and

WHEREAS, Tucker has earned numerous awards and accolades; he participated in Boys State, was named Most Likely to Succeed and Best Citizen 2015 at Watertown High School, and was included in *Who's Who Among American High School Students*; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Vaught's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success as he continues his education at Tennessee Technological University; and

WHEREAS, Tucker's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Steve and Sonya Vaught, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Tucker Vaught's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of the members of this General Assembly; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2015 Watertown High School Valedictorian, Tucker Vaught, 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.