

ONE HUNDRED FOURTH LEGISLATURE

FIRST SESSION

**LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 67**

Introduced by Ebke, 32.

WHEREAS, Arne and Esther Larsen celebrated their 80th wedding anniversary on December 23, 2014; and

WHEREAS, Arne and Esther are one of the longest married couples living in Nebraska. Arne is 103 years old and Esther is 99 years old; and

WHEREAS, Arne and Esther were married in 1934 at Bethel Lutheran Church near Superior; and

WHEREAS, after being married, Arne and Esther moved into a two-bedroom home without electricity or running water on a farm near Hebron; and

WHEREAS, after several years of working side by side on the farm, Arne and Esther moved into Hebron in 1945; and

WHEREAS, Arne and Esther now live in an assisted living facility in Hebron where they share an apartment filled with photos of their two children DeLoyd and Rogene, as well as their three grandchildren and six great-grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, nearly 200 people attended their 80th anniversary open house in December; and

WHEREAS, after 80 years of marriage, Arne and Esther consider themselves "the richest people in Thayer County".

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, FIRST SESSION:

1. That the Legislature congratulates Arne and Esther Larsen on their 80th wedding anniversary.

2. That a copy of this resolution be sent to Arne and Esther Larsen.