**A** **HOUSE RESOLUTION**

TO CONGRATULATE TREVON D. MCCLARY OF KINGSTREE ON HIS RECENT GRADUATION SUMMA CUM LAUDE FROM ALLEN UNIVERSITY, TO COMMEND HIM ON BEING NAMED SALUTATORIAN FOR THE CLASS OF 2021, AND TO WISH HIM GOD’S RICHEST BLESSINGS IN ALL HIS FUTURE ENDEAVORS.

Whereas, the South Carolina House of Representatives is pleased to learn that Trevon D. McClary of Kingstree has compiled a fine record during his undergraduate career; and

Whereas, born the son of Lakresha Bradley and Trent Tisdale in Kingstree, Trevon Deontrez McClary came into this world on September 28, 1998, and graduated from Kingstree Senior High School. To further prepare for his life’s work, he earned his bachelor’s degree in religion, with a minor in pastoral studies, at Columbia’s Allen University, graduating summa cum laude on May 8, 2021, and serving as salutatorian of his class. Currently enrolled at Webster University, he plans to study for his master’s degree at that institution. He is employed with the South Carolina Department of Social Services; and

Whereas, this man of faith is a member of Evangelistic Temple Way of the Cross Church in Kingstree. Trevon accepted Christ as his Savior at the age of 11 and received the call upon his life at the age of 12. In January 2012, he preached his first sermon at the age of 13, and he received his ministerial license from Way of the Cross Church of Christ, International; and

Whereas, in 2014, God saw fit for Evangelist Trevon McClary to be appointed national public evangelist for P.U.S.H Ministries, International, a position in which he served for six months. He currently serves as chaplain for the Youth Aide Organization and Allen University Class of 2021; and

Whereas, in addition, he is a proud member of the NAACP; and

Whereas, after fasting and praying and receiving guidance from the Holy Spirit, Evangelist Trevon McClary accepted the call to serve as co‑pastor of Shady Grove Freewill Baptist Church in Scranton, where he ministered for three years. In November 2015, he was ordained an elder in the Lord’s church. Elder McClary now serves as pastor and establishmentarian at Freedom Worship Center in Kingstree, and he is the former presiding elder of Action in Action Ministries (East Coast District); and

Whereas, serving under the motto “If God is in it, there’s no limit,” he strongly proclaims Romans 8:28 (KJV): “And we know that all things work together for good to them that love God, to them who are called according to his purpose”; and

Whereas, the House takes great pleasure in recognizing Trevon McClary on his praiseworthy record of accomplishments and extends best wishes to him as he continues his education and his ministry. Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives:

That the members of the South Carolina House of Representatives, by this resolution, congratulate Trevon D. McClary of Kingstree on his recent graduation summa cum laude from Allen University, commend him on being named salutatorian for the Class of 2021, and wish him God’s richest blessings in all his future endeavors.

Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be presented to Trevon D. McClary.

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