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Senate Resolution No. 5697

BY: Senator RITCHIE

CONGRATULATING Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lyttle upon the occasion of celebrating their 60th Wedding Anniversary

WHEREAS, Charles Lyttle and Nancy LaFave were united in marriage on May 24, 1958, in Sacred Heart Church in Watertown, New York; and

WHEREAS, They celebrated their 60th Anniversary with a family dinner at Sahara Restaurant near Carthage, New York; and

WHEREAS, Charles Lyttle served on the Watertown Police Department for 24 years and retired in 1984; and

WHEREAS, Nancy Lyttle worked for the Watertown Daily Times until 1971, and also for WPBS and Watertown Local Development; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lyttle enjoy NASCAR, traveling and volunteering at Life Church of the Nazarene in Watertown; they are also members of the Watertown Fire Department Auxiliary; and

WHEREAS, They are the proud parents of four children, Kathryn, Brenda, Amy, and Charles, and the loving grandparents of six grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren; and WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lyttle are and always have been a tower of strength, support, understanding and limitless love for their family; and

WHEREAS, Their love, devotion, caring, sensitivity and responsiveness to their family, friends and all who know them are their hallmark and tradition; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lyttle have lived and continue to live their lives with great dignity and genuine grace, always demonstrating a deep and continuing concern for human values and ideals, and in so doing, they have inspired others to do the same; and

WHEREAS, This meaningful occasion is the result of the love, hard work and spirit that this couple has invested in their marriage; and

WHEREAS, They have passed these same values to their loved ones, producing a family that is close-knit and supportive of its individual members, public-minded in its relations to the community and committed to the ideals of citizenship upon which this Nation was founded; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lyttle have touched the lives of their family and many friends through the shining example of their marriage, which is a testament to the devotion and admiration which they possess for one another; and

WHEREAS, The longevity of this enduring marriage truly marks a milestone in life's journey, an event of personal triumph and joy; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that when an occasion of such importance is brought to our attention, the same should be memorialized by us for the edification and emulation of others; now,

therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lyttle upon the occasion of celebrating their 60th Wedding Anniversary; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lyttle.