

RESOLUTION NUMBER 81
Pastor Oscar Brown, Sr.

WHEREAS, Elder Oscar Brown, Sr. joined the United States Coast Guard June 10, 1941. He transferred to the Navy in New Orleans, Louisiana. After completing his training he boarded the troops carrier U.S.S., Wakefield Ship traveling all over the world during World War II.

WHEREAS, after serving five years and four days he was honorably discharge with the rank of Seaman First Class on June 14, 1946.

WHEREAS, he received the following Ribbons – America Area, European-Africa-Middle Eastern Area, and a World War II Victory Medal.

WHEREAS, Pastor Brown celebrated his 90th birthday earlier this year, and during his life time he has made countless contributions to make our world a better, safer place; and

WHEREAS, during World War II, Mr. Brown distinguished himself in the service, receiving several medals for valor and bravery; and

WHEREAS, Pastor Brown, along with his wife, the late Mother Anna Pearl Brown, have a long and rich history as servants and members of the Church of God in Christ (COGIC); and

WHEREAS, Pastor Brown has overcome many obstacles, and now he continues to serve by guiding the congregation of Maranatha (COGIC) for the past 32 years; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to recognize Pastor Oscar Brown, Sr. and we wish him continued success, achievement and accomplishment and we further direct the Clerk of this Board to spread a copy of this Resolution across the minutes of these proceedings and to prepare a commemorative copy to the end that it may be presented to our honoree at a time and place deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

Introduced on the 28th day of June, 2013 by:

Honorable Samuel L. Moore, Alderman 4th Ward

Adopted this 28th day of June, 2013 as attested by:

David W. Sweeney
Clerk, Board of Aldermen

Lewis E. Reed
President, Board of Aldermen