

**RESOLUTION NUMBER 149**

**19<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration for Pastor Curtis Scott & Lighthouse Christian Ministry**

**WHEREAS**, Pastor Dorothy J. Scott and Curtis W. Scott, both were called to become ministers early in their marriage. They both served tirelessly over the years as members of Greater Truevine Spiritual Church as ministers and teachers of Sunday school. They were always faithful and true to their ministry and were always willing and ready to preach and teach God's Word whenever and wherever needed; and

**WHEREAS**, in 1994 they were led to open their own church in a little church by the side of the road at 8026 Ellerton. When they opened their doors they had half a dozen souls. They didn't have an out reach ministry, nor did they contact friends to join them. They knew if they unselfishly served God, He would do the rest. After much prayer and contemplation they were able to grow and serve in their small church house with over twenty five members; and

**WHEREAS**, in March of 2005; they were able to relocate to a new church building located at 3616 Bates. Their ministry grew even more to over sixty members. Christ said, "Upon this rock I will build my church and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it", Matthew 16:18. Sadly, three years later Pastor Dorothy Scott passed away after a long battle with Leukemia; and

**WHEREAS**, Pastor Dorothy was and is still dearly missed, Pastor Curtis Scott continued as the Lord wanted him to do. The church went through many changes after her passing, but the congregation continues to serve and be a church driven by God. Under the direction of Pastor Scott the membership is again on the increase. He never lost sight of the fact that the most important goal of his ministry was to bring souls to Christ by the Word of God. Pastor Scott is celebrating his 19<sup>th</sup> year as Pastor of Lighthouse Christian Ministry and also celebrating the 19<sup>th</sup> year of the opening of Lighthouse Christian Ministry.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to recognize and congratulate Pastor Curtis Scott on celebrating nineteen years of preaching and teaching to and for the members of Lighthouse Christian Ministry 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 10th day of November, 2013 by:

**Honorable Alfred Wessels, Alderman 13th Ward**

Adopted this the 10th day of November, 2013 as attested by:

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David W. Sweeney  
Clerk, Board of Aldermen

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Lewis E. Reed  
President, Board of Aldermen