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On behalf of the Congress of the United States of America, I am proud to extend our highest praise to J. Barry Weldon. We thank him for his continuing dedication to teaching and his willingness and ability to challenge and inspire students to strive for success.

RECOGNITION OF NADINE "DINEY"
GOLDSMITH, IN MEMORIAM

HON. FRANK PALLONE, JR.

OF NEW JERSEY

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, June 23, 2004

Mr. PALLONE. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor the late Nadine "Diney" Goldsmith, an outstanding woman and community leader. As a business owner, artist, wife, mother, and advocate, Nadine Goldsmith was a great friend to the people of the Sixth District of New Jersey.

In life, Nadine Goldsmith served as a Foundation Trustee at Monmouth Medical Center, a hospital that serves a substantial population of the Sixth Congressional District. With her husband, she funded the creation of the Leon Hess Cancer Center's Goldsmith Wellness Center.

The Goldsmith Wellness Center provided innovative therapy to cancer patients, allowing them to unite their mental wellness with their physical healing. Nadine was never a bystander at her center: she worked closely with Smitha Gollamudi, M.D., Chair of the Institute for Advanced Radiation Oncology, to plan the center's program.

Mr. Speaker, Nadine Goldsmith has given so much to the people in my district. She dedicated her time, her talent, and character throughout her life. She has touched those blessed enough to meet her, and helped many she has never even met. Once again, I ask that my colleagues join me today in honoring this remarkable woman.

PAYING TRIBUTE TO TERRI
HAGEN

HON. SCOTT McINNIS

OF COLORADO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, June 23, 2004

Mr. McINNIS. Mr. Speaker, I would like to take this opportunity to pay tribute to the life and legacy of Terri Hagen of Prineville, Oregon. Terri bravely battled the Storm King Mountain Fire outside the town of Glenwood Springs, Colorado in 1994, but succumbed to the blaze along with thirteen fellow firefighters while working to protect the City. I personally served as a firefighter and understand the risks they face each and everyday. Witnessing the awful inferno that fateful July day, I know Terri and her comrades battled the fire with the utmost courage and valor. With the tenth anniversary of the Storm King Fire approaching, I believe it appropriate to recognize the sacrifice Terri and the Storm King Firefighters made on behalf of a grateful community, state and nation.

Terri was an undergraduate student at Oregon State University working towards a Bachelor of Science degree in Entomology and a Bachelor of Arts in History. Their Department of Entomology now has a Terri Hagen Memorial Library and Scholarship. She was a member of the Onondaga tribe of the Iroquois Nation, and had answered her nation's call to duty, serving in the Army as a medic, and had completed airborne training with the National Guard. An avid outdoorswoman, Terri enjoyed horse training, mountain biking, hiking, hunting, basketball, teaching, swimming, and was a rodeo team roper. Her love of the outdoors and adventurous spirit took her to joining the Prineville Hotshots, an elite group of firefighters who specialize in wildland fire suppression. She was a dedicated member of her crew, and received a great deal of satisfaction from helping others. Above all, she was devoted to her family and friends.

Mr. Speaker, it is an honor to rise before this body of Congress and this nation to pay tribute to the life and memory of Firefighter Terri Hagen. Terri personified the Hotshots credo of Safety, Teamwork and Professionalism; putting herself in harms way for unfamiliar people and places. She made the ultimate sacrifice doing what she loved, and I, along with the Glenwood Springs community and the State of Colorado are eternally grateful to this brave young woman.

INTRODUCTION OF THE INTERNET
SPYWARE (I-SPY) PREVENTION
ACT

HON. BOB GOODLATTE

OF VIRGINIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, June 23, 2004

Mr. GOODLATTE. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to introduce the Internet Spyware (I-SPY) Prevention Act. This important legislation will punish those that use software to break into consumers' computers to conduct nefarious activities.

Spyware is a growing and serious problem. The Federal Trade Commission has testified that "Spyware appears to be a new and rapidly growing practice that poses a risk of serious harm to consumers." Not only does Spyware provide the tools for criminals to crack into computers to commit crimes, but it can also provide the means to alter a computer's security settings or even take over the memory of a users' computer in order to send spam or conduct other despicable acts.

The I-Spy Prevention Act would impose criminal penalties on the most egregious behaviors associated with spyware. Specifically, this legislation would impose up to a five-year prison sentence on anyone who uses software to intentionally break into a computer and uses that software in furtherance of another federal crime. In addition, it would impose up to a two-year prison sentence on anyone who uses software to intentionally break into a computer and then either alters the computer's security settings, or obtains personal information with the intent to defraud or injure a person or with the intent to damage a computer. By imposing stiff penalties on these bad actors, this legislation will help deter the use of Spyware, and will thus help protect consumers from these aggressive attacks.

In addition, this legislation would not interfere with the ability of companies to continue to develop innovative technological solutions to block Spyware. Any successful solution to Spyware must consist of a combination of tough penalties for the really bad actors and innovative technologies to combat Spyware. This legislation leaves the door open for technology to continue to combat Spyware programs.

Mr. Speaker, criminal penalties are necessary to deter the proliferation of the most egregious behaviors associated with Spyware, and I urge each of my colleagues to support this important legislation.

TRIBUTE TO BISHOP HENRY
ALLEN BELIN, JR.

HON. JAMES E. CLYBURN

OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, June 23, 2004

Mr. CLYBURN. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to pay tribute to Bishop Henry Allen Belin, Jr., one of eight legendary leaders of the African Methodist Episcopal Church (AME) who will be retiring at this year's Quadrennial Conference in Indianapolis, Indiana. A native of Louisiana, Bishop Belin is the son of Beatrice Boney Belin and Henry Allen Belin, Sr. His father was an active minister in the 8th Episcopal District for more than 60 years. He received his Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Theology degrees from Leland College in Baker, Louisiana and his Masters of Arts degree from the Lampton School of Religion in Jackson, Mississippi.

Bishop Belin pastored, remodeled, and built churches in both the 8th and 13th Episcopal Districts, including Payne Chapel in Nashville, Tennessee. He served as Presiding Elder in the 8th Episcopal District.

Prior to his elevation to the Bishopric, Bishop Belin was elected Secretary-Treasury of the AME Church Sunday School Union at the 1972 General Conference in Dallas, Texas. During his tenure, he bought land and built the new million dollar Publishing House Headquarters and remodeled the John Avery Apartment Complex. As publisher, he produced Cecil Cone's Identity in Crisis in Black Theology, George Champion's Pastor's Manual, volumes I and II, and Black Methodism's Basic Beliefs; George Sewell's Where Are You Going. He also produced Howard Gregg's The History of the AME Church, James Madison Granberry's The History of the AMEC Pension Department, and Robert H. Reid, Jr.'s Irony of African American History. In 1984, he finished one phase of his remarkable career when he published The AME Church Bicentennial Hymnal.

Bishop Belin was elected the 104th Bishop of the African Methodist Episcopal Church at the 1984 General Conference in Kansas City, Missouri, and has presided over the 15th, 16th, 12th, 3rd, and 7th Episcopal Districts.

Bishop Belin is married to Lucinda Crawford Belin, and the couple has three children.

Mr. Speaker, I ask you and my colleagues to join me in paying tribute to Bishop Henry Allen Belin, Jr. He has provided tremendous leadership for the AME Church and his long history of educational leadership and service will influence future generations for ages to come. AME founder Richard Allen would be deeply proud of his Episcopal descendent.

PAYING TRIBUTE TO JON KELSO

HON. SCOTT McINNIS

OF COLORADO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, June 23, 2004

Mr. McINNIS. Mr. Speaker, I would like to take this opportunity to pay tribute to the life and legacy of Jon Kelso of Prineville, Oregon. Jon bravely battled the Storm King Mountain Fire outside the town of Glenwood Springs, Colorado in 1994, but succumbed to the blaze along with thirteen fellow firefighters while working to protect the City. I personally served as a firefighter and understand the risks they face each and everyday. Witnessing the awful inferno that fateful July day, I know Jon and his comrades battled the fire with the utmost courage and valor. With the tenth anniversary of the Storm King Fire approaching, I believe it appropriate to recognize the sacrifice Jon and the Storm King Firefighters made on behalf of a grateful community, state and nation.

Born and raised in Prineville, Jon attended Crook County High School where he was very active in athletics as a member on the golf team, the manager of the football team, a swimming teacher, and a lifeguard. He received a degree in wildlife sciences from Oregon State University, and had completed his first year of studies to become a civil engineer. In 1985, he joined the Prineville Hotshots, an elite group of firefighters who specialize in wildland fire suppression. He was a smoke jumper and a squad boss for the sawyers, a skilled crew that cuts down trees to prevent the spread of fires. Recognizing Jon's excel-

lent academic record and leadership of his hotshot crew, the Bureau of Land Management Wildland Firefighter Academy named a Memorial Award after Jon that goes to the most outstanding firefighter of the class. He was a dedicated member of his crew, and received a great deal of satisfaction from helping others. Above all, he was devoted to his family and friends.

Mr. Speaker, it is an honor to rise before this body of Congress and this nation to pay tribute to the life and memory of Firefighter Jon Kelso. Jon personified the Hotshots credo of Safety, Teamwork, and Professionalism; putting himself in harms way for unfamiliar people and places. He made the ultimate sacrifice doing what he loved, and I, along with the Glenwood Springs community and the State of Colorado are eternally grateful to this brave young man.

A TRIBUTE IN HONOR OF 2004
LEGRAND SMITH OUTSTANDING
TEACHER AWARD WINNER
KATHY RIZOR OF BATTLE
CREEK, MICHIGAN

HON. NICK SMITH

OF MICHIGAN

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, June 23, 2004

Mr. SMITH of Michigan. Mr. Speaker, education is the key to our Nation's future prosperity and security. The formidable responsibility of molding and inspiring young minds to the avenues of hope, opportunity and achieve-

ment partially rests in the hands of our teachers. Today, I would like to recognize a teacher from Battle Creek, Michigan that significantly influenced and motivated exceptional students in academics and leadership who were winners of the LeGrand Smith Scholarship.

Kathy Rizer teaches Advanced Biology at Harper Creek High School in Battle Creek. She is credited with instilling in students an enthusiasm for not only these subjects, but also for life. As one of her students, Renee Burdick said, "She encouraged me to excel in all aspects of my life ranging from academics to extracurricular activities. Not only did she facilitate the position of a great educator for me, but she served as a strong leader for my other classmates, Harper Creek and the greater Battle Creek community." The respect and gratitude of her students speak well of Kathy's ability to challenge young minds and encourage them to always put forth their best effort.

Kathy Rizer's extraordinary work as a teacher has challenged and inspired countless students to move beyond the teenage tendency of superficial study and encourage them to foster deeper thought and connections to the real world. Arguably, no profession is more important because of its daily influence upon the future leaders of our community and our country, and Kathy's impact on her students is certainly worthy of recognition.

On behalf of the Congress of the United States of America, I am proud to extend our highest praise to Kathy Rizer. We thank her for her continuing dedication to teaching and her willingness and ability to challenge and inspire students to strive for success.