

HONORING THE LIFE OF EVELYN
TRIPPODO

HON. ELISE M. STEFANIK

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, April 4, 2017

Ms. STEFANIK. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor a remarkable woman who dedicated her life to serving New York's 21st District.

Evelyn Trippodo spent the majority of her life in Gloversville, New York, and was a dedicated and active member of her community. In addition to her work as a religious education teacher and confirmation sponsor, Evelyn also cared for the vulnerable and elderly through her 30 years as a member of the Nathan Littauer Nursing Home Auxiliary.

In the 21st District, we are proud of the guidance that Mrs. Trippodo offered to those around her, and honor the life she led with faith, joy and kindness.

I would like to extend my deepest condolences to my friend Sue McNeil, and to the rest of Mrs. Trippodo's children whom she loved so deeply. I know that she will be missed by all of her family and friends.

TRIBUTE TO THE 2017 SOUTH-
WESTERN COMMUNITY COLLEGE
MENS BASKETBALL TEAM

HON. DAVID YOUNG

OF IOWA

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Mr. YOUNG of Iowa. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize and congratulate the Southwestern Community College Men's Basketball Team of Creston, Iowa, for winning the 2017 NJCAA Division II Basketball Championship. After an outstanding regular season, the Spartans cruised through tournament play before a near record-setting margin of victory in the championship game.

I would like to congratulate each member of the team:

Players: Alijah Thomas, Kevin Shields, Brodrick Thomas, Lavon Hightower, Jamil Maddred, Jordan Johnson, Calvin Chambers, Khalid Edwards, KeShawn Wilson, Dan Ngoyi, Nate Lee, Antonio Williams, Keegan Wederquist, Terence Shelby, Peyton Pedersen, TreVonte Diggs, Tyson Smiley, Troy Tegels, Maguy Agau, Kobe Smith, Elijah Liner.

Head Coach: Todd Lorensen.

Assistant Coaches: Scottie Davis, Rand Hazelton.

Trainer: Kelsi Huseman.

Mr. Speaker, the success of this team demonstrates the rewards of hard work, perseverance, and teamwork. It is an honor representing them in the United States Congress. I ask that all of my colleagues in the United States House of Representatives join me in congratulating the entire team for a successful season and in wishing them all nothing but continued success.

TRIBUTE TO BERTINA AND MAX
MCCLEARY

HON. DAVID YOUNG

OF IOWA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. YOUNG of Iowa. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize and congratulate Bertina and Max McCleary of Grimes, Iowa, on the very special occasion of their 60th wedding anniversary. They celebrated their anniversary on March 21, 2017.

Bertina and Max's lifelong commitment to each other and their family truly embodies Iowa values. As they reflect on their 60th anniversary, may their commitment grow even stronger, as they continue to love, cherish, and honor one another for many years to come.

Mr. Speaker, I commend this great couple on their 60th year together and I wish them many more. I ask that my colleagues in the United States House of Representatives join me in congratulating them on this momentous occasion.

TRIBUTE TO COLEEN AND BILL
SANDQUIST

HON. DAVID YOUNG

OF IOWA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, April 4, 2017

Mr. YOUNG of Iowa. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize and congratulate Coleen and Bill Sandquist of Adel, Iowa, on the very special occasion of their 60th wedding anniversary. They celebrated their anniversary on March 2, 2017.

Coleen and Bill's lifelong commitment to each other and their family truly embodies Iowa values. As they reflect on their 60th anniversary, may their commitment grow even stronger, as they continue to love, cherish, and honor one another for many years to come.

Mr. Speaker, I commend this great couple on their 60th year together and I wish them many more. I ask that my colleagues in the United States House of Representatives join me in congratulating them on this momentous occasion.

TRIBUTE TO CHARLOTTE AND
FRANK WILSON

HON. DAVID YOUNG

OF IOWA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, April 4, 2017

Mr. YOUNG of Iowa. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize and congratulate Charlotte and Frank Wilson of Carlisle, Iowa, on the very special occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary. They celebrated their anniversary on March 17, 2017.

Charlotte and Frank's lifelong commitment to each other and their family truly embodies Iowa values. As they reflect on their 50th anniversary, may their commitment grow even stronger, as they continue to love, cherish, and honor one another for many years to come.

Mr. Speaker, I commend this great couple on their 50th year together and I wish them many more. I ask that my colleagues in the United States House of Representatives join me in congratulating them on this momentous occasion.

RECOGNIZING KRIS GLINTBORG
FOR HIS INDUCTION INTO THE
SPRINGFIELD SPORTS HALL OF
FAME

HON. CHERI BUSTOS

OF ILLINOIS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, April 4, 2017

Mrs. BUSTOS. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to congratulate my former high school basketball coach, Kris Glintborg, for his well-deserved induction into the Springfield Sports Hall of Fame.

Mr. Glintborg has enriched the lives of many students through his 36 years as a teacher, coach and athletic director in our public schools. Throughout his career, Mr. Glintborg went above and beyond by taking on the responsibility of coaching both girls' basketball teams, in addition to boys' basketball and track, when funding for women's sports was limited, to ensure all students had equal opportunities to pursue their dreams in sports. In addition, his leadership and dedication to our community has also been demonstrated through his commitment to coaching youth sports and officiating basketball, football and volleyball outside of our schools. Mr. Glintborg is someone I am proud to call a mentor and coach, and I can personally attest to values of teamwork, perseverance and love of the game he instills in all of his students.

Mr. Glintborg has been a truly influential individual in the lives of many young athletes in Springfield, including myself. Mr. Speaker, I would like to again formally congratulate Mr. Glintborg and thank him for all of his dedication and service to students.

TRIBUTE TO CORY CLARK

HON. DAVID YOUNG

OF IOWA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, April 4, 2017

Mr. YOUNG of Iowa. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize and congratulate University of Iowa senior Cory Clark of Pleasant Hill, Iowa, on winning the NCAA Division I Wrestling Championship in the 133 pound weight class on March 18, 2017.

This was the third consecutive year that Cory made it to the finals at the NCAA championships. After falling short in the previous two years, Cory walked onto the mat determined that this year would be different. He left giving the Hawkeye Wrestling program their 82nd individual championship in program history. Becoming an NCAA Division I Champion was no easy feat, especially this season. The four-time All-American had to wrestle through an arm injury for three months, including during his final match, which forced him to make some changes to his training routine, as well as wear a protective sleeve. Because of the dedication and toughness that Cory has exhibited on and off the mat, his injury did not stop