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#### **HCONRES 313**

To urge the President, on behalf of the United States, to present the Presidential Medal of Freedom to His Holiness, Pope John Paul II, in recognition of his significant, enduring, and historic contributions to the causes of freedom, human dignity, and peace and to commemorate the Silver Jubilee of His Holiness' inauguration of his ministry as Bishop of Rome and Supreme Pastor of the Catholic Church.

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: International Affairs

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Latest Action: Message on Senate action sent to the House. (Nov 20, 2003)

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Rep. Myrick, Sue Wilkins [R-NC-9]	R · NC		Oct 28, 2003
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Rep. Quinn, Jack [R-NY-27]	$R \cdot NY$		Oct 28, 2003
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Rep. Stupak, Bart [D-MI-1]	D · MI		Oct 28, 2003
Rep. Tauzin, W. J. (Billy) [R-LA-3]	R·LA		Oct 28, 2003
Rep. Vitter, David [R-LA-1]	R·LA		Oct 28, 2003
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Rep. Costello, Jerry F. [D-IL-12]	D·IL		Nov 6, 2003
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Rep. Frost, Martin [D-TX-24]	D · TX		Nov 6, 2003
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Rep. Meehan, Martin T. [D-MA-5]	D · MA		Nov 6, 2003
Rep. Nunes, Devin [R-CA-21]	R · CA	R · CA	
Rep. Shimkus, John [R-IL-19]	R⋅IL		Nov 6, 2003
Rep. Skelton, Ike [D-MO-4]	D · MO		Nov 6, 2003
Rep. Walsh, James T. [R-NY-25]	$R \cdot NY$		Nov 6, 2003

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Rep. Camp, Dave [R-MI-4]	$R \cdot MI$		Nov 18, 2003
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### **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Markup By	Nov 6, 2003

## **Subjects & Policy Tags**

**Policy Area:** 

International Affairs

#### **Related Bills**

No related bills are listed.

**Summary** (as of Nov 19, 2003)

(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Urges the President to present the Presidential Medal of Freedom to Pope John Paul II to commemorate the Silver Jubilee of the inauguration of his ministry as Bishop of Rome and Supreme Pastor of the Catholic Church.

#### **Actions Timeline**

- Nov 20, 2003: Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- Nov 19, 2003: Passed/agreed to in Senate: Received in the Senate, considered, and agreed to without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S15207)
- Nov 19, 2003: Received in the Senate, considered, and agreed to without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S15207)
- Nov 18, 2003: Ms. Ros-Lehtinen moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution.
- Nov 18, 2003: Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR 11/19/2003 H11469-11477)
- Nov 18, 2003: DEBATE The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Con. Res. 313.
- Nov 18, 2003: Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR 11/19/2003 H11469-11470)
- Nov 18, 2003: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR 11/19/2003 H11469-11470)
- Nov 18, 2003: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- Nov 6, 2003: Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- Nov 6, 2003: Ordered to be Reported by Unanimous Consent.
- Oct 28, 2003: Introduced in House
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- Oct 28, 2003: Referred to the House Committee on Government Reform.