

HRES 1063

Paying tribute to the Reverend Waitstill Sharp and Martha Sharp for their recognition by the Yad Vashem Holocaust Martyrs' and Heroes' Remembrance Authority as Righteous Among the Nations for their heroic efforts to save Jews during the Holocaust.

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 12, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Commemorations

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 SRES 562	Identical bill	Sep 8, 2006: Submitted in the Senate, considered, and agreed to without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S9278-9279; text as passed Senate: CR S9278-9279; text of measure as introduced: CR S9255-9256)

Summary (as of Sep 29, 2006)

Recognizes the Reverend Waitstill Sharp and Martha Sharp as genuine American heroes, and pays tribute to them as their names are added to the Wall of Rescuers in the permanent exhibition of the U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum on September 14, 2006.

Commends the organization founded to support the Sharps' work, the Unitarian Universalist Service Committee, for its efforts to rescue Jews and opponents of the Nazi regime in Europe and for carrying on the Sharps' legacy by working to save the lives of the people of Darfur, Sudan, and to protect human rights worldwide.

Actions Timeline

- **Oct 12, 2006:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Africa, Global Human Rights and International Operations.
- **Sep 29, 2006:** Introduced in House
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- **Sep 29, 2006:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E1981)
- **Sep 29, 2006:** Referred to the House Committee on International Relations.