

School and a 2003 graduate of Brandon Academy. He was a member of both the Junior Varsity and Varsity football teams as a freshman at Tampa Catholic High School and played many seasons of South Brandon Little League Baseball. Trey was an avid Florida State University fan who enjoyed golfing with Coach Bobby Bowden and attending home football games with family. He was an outdoorsman who loved fishing, hunting, snow skiing, and golfing.

Madam Speaker, my heart aches for Trey's family. He leaves behind his parents, Terry and Cliff, his brother and sister, Colton and Mary Beth, and many other family and friends who loved him and will forever miss this most remarkable young man. May God bless the Curry family. We shall never forget Trey.

RECOGNIZING CARLENE H. ANDERSON, 2008 WALTON COUNTY RECIPIENT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT'S AWARD FOR VOLUNTEER/COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

**HON. JEFF MILLER**

OF FLORIDA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Thursday, April 3, 2008*

Mr. MILLER of Florida. Madam Speaker, on behalf of the United States Congress, it is an honor for me to rise today in recognition of Carlene H. Anderson, the 2008 Walton County recipient of the Superintendent's Award for Volunteer Community Involvement.

Ms. Anderson has amplified education in the Walton County area, expanding it beyond the classroom and into the community. By building partnerships with the Walton County Chamber of Commerce, local businesses, and various other community organizations, Ms. Anderson has fused a significant relationship that enforces the role of education in the community. Her recent collaboration with the Florida Chautauqua Assembly brought the Hall of Presidents to Walton County. The event was an immense success, drawing national attention and acclaim. More importantly, however, the success of the event proved the importance of education within the community.

Ms. Anderson's shrewdness and exceptional leadership capabilities have enhanced the learning opportunities for the students she overlooks and enriched the community with educational outlets. She is especially involved in the volunteer programs coordinated by the schools in Walton County and is a strong supporter of community involvement. This endorsement has resulted in multiple accolades including the Golden and Silver School Award.

Volunteers play a vital role in the physiology of the classroom. Their presence eases the responsibilities of the teacher and their assistance provides extra services for students who otherwise would not receive extended aide. Ms. Anderson's foresight and devotion to Walton County schools enabled her to recognize the importance of volunteers and their outstanding contributions to the schools. Such discernment has benefited the entire community which prospers from the student's academic success. Ms. Anderson's accomplishments have distinguished her as one of the great people in Northwest Florida. Walton County is greatly indebted to her service and is honored to have her as one of their own.

Madam Speaker. on behalf of the United States Congress, I am proud to recognize Superintendent Carlene H. Anderson on this outstanding achievement and for her exemplary service in the Walton County School District.

IN HONOR OF GLENN DORFMAN'S SERVICE TO HOMETOWN MINNESOTANS

**HON. MICHELE BACHMANN**

OF MINNESOTA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Thursday, April 3, 2008*

Mrs. BACHMANN. Madam Speaker, I rise to recognize Mr. Glenn Dorfman, who recently retired from the Minnesota Association of REALTORS. Having served as the association's Chief Operating Officer for 25 years, his genuine dedication, endless passion, tireless work ethic, and commitment to his community absolutely embody the finest of America's bedrock principles.

Many would tremble at the thought of being responsible for a 26,000 member trade association, but those who have worked with Glenn know he succeeded beyond all expectations. Glenn's colleagues have characterized him as having the unique ability to make complex concepts more understandable; and his ability to help and work with others has directly contributed to his success.

Maybe that's why a 1992 Star Tribune article referred to him as "a major player in shaping state tax policy," and why in the spring of 1995, a Star Tribune survey of Minnesota Legislators recognized Glenn as one of "The Top Eight Most Influential Lobbyists" in Minnesota.

Although Glenn has achieved so much in this line of work, some of his most significant achievements took place earlier in his career. Among those accomplishments, Glenn taught literature and mathematics to 7th & 8th graders in Kentucky, he was a college educator in Duluth, he served as Chief Executive Officer of a Catholic Charities Human Services Agency in Wisconsin, and he even held elective office.

Most recently, he was named the recipient of the 2005 21st Century Leadership Award from Minnesota Legal Aid. This honor recognized Glenn for the countless hours of pro bono work he has done for over 15 years to provide legal assistance to the poorest Minnesotans. A native of New York, Glenn has had a colorful and wide ranging career.

Madam Speaker, it is my honor to rise today to celebrate Glenn Dorfman's extraordinary and noble career of service. His passion, commitment and enthusiasm for his work truly provide inspiration for us all. I stand today and join his family, friends, and colleagues in wishing him nothing but a fulfilled and blessed retirement.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

**HON. STEVEN R. ROTHMAN**

OF NEW JERSEY

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Thursday, April 3, 2008*

Mr. ROTHMAN. Madam Speaker, I would like to state for the record my position on the following votes I missed on March 31st and April 1st, 2008.

On Monday, March 30, 2008 and Tuesday, April 1, 2008, I was unable to be present in the Capitol due to a family emergency and thus missed rollcall votes Nos. 147 through 152. Had I been present, I would have voted in the following manner:

On rollcall vote No. 147, on H.R. 3352, the Hydrographic Services Improvement Act Amendments of 2008, I would have voted "aye."

On rollcall vote No. 148, on H.R. 2675, the HALE Scouts Act, I would have voted "aye."

On rollcall vote No. 149, on H. Con. Res. 302, a resolution supporting the observance of Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month, I would have voted "aye."

On rollcall vote No. 150, on H. Con. Res. 310, a resolution expressing support for a national day of remembrance for Harriet Ross Tubman, I would have voted "aye."

On rollcall vote No. 151, on H. Res. 1005, a resolution supporting the goals and ideals of Borderline Personality Disorder Awareness Month, I would have voted "aye."

On rollcall vote No. 152, on H. Res. 1021, a resolution supporting the goals, ideals, and history of National Women's History Month, I would have voted "aye."

CONGRESSWOMAN NITA M. LOWEY STATEMENT ON H.R. 5501 TOM LANTOS AND HENRY J. HYDE UNITED STATES GLOBAL LEADERSHIP AGAINST HIV/AIDS, TUBERCULOSIS, AND MALARIA REAUTHORIZATION ACT OF 2008

SPEECH OF

**HON. NITA M. LOWEY**

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Wednesday, April 2, 2008*

Mrs. LOWEY. Madam Chairman, I rise today to urge my colleagues to vote in favor of H.R. 5501, the Tom Lantos and Henry J. Hyde U.S. Global Leadership against HIV/AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria Reauthorization Act.

Over the past five years two major initiatives have been created to combat HIV/AIDS and TB: the Global Fund and the President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief (PEPPAR). These initiatives have provided over \$18 billion and exceeded the President's target of \$15 billion by more than \$3 billion. As we seek to reauthorize this program today, I commend the target of \$50 billion over the next five years for these critical programs. This funding will allow us to prevent 12 million new HIV infections, provide treatment for 3 million people living with HIV/AIDS, treat 450,000 children and provide care for 12 million individuals, including 5 million orphans and vulnerable children. This funding will reduce tuberculosis deaths and disease burden by half, the primary cause of death for those living with HIV/AIDS.

Five years ago, only 50,000 people living with HIV/AIDS were receiving antiretroviral treatment. Today with American leadership, almost 2 million people are receiving treatment. Clearly, we are making a difference.

With this next phase, we need to devote more resources to strengthen the capacity of nations to meet their own health challenges. If any of these interventions are to be sustainable in the long term, it requires that developing countries be able to shoulder more of