

Testimony Against HCR3013

A concurrent resolution urging the United States Supreme Court to restore the definition of marriage to a union between one man and one woman.

My name is Jacqueline Beller and I am a resident of Fargo in D46. My cousin and her partner were the first same-sex females to have a civil union service in Sioux Falls, SD. They both passed away before they had the opportunity to have a legally recognized wedding. They were in a healthy, loving, and committed relationship and they deserved to have the same rights of any other married couple.

That this HCR passed the House makes me sick to my stomach. Cruelty seems to be the point and Jesus would be nonplussed.

Oberfell v. Hodges must stand. Equal rights is what the United States is about. Let's not go backward.

Sincerely,

Jacqueline K. Beller