

Certificate of recognition: Joshua Generation Tools for School. Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia. James S. Gilmore III. September 2000.



CERTIFICATE of RECOGNITION

By virtue of the authority vested by the Constitution in the Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia, there is hereby officially recognized:

TOOLS FOR SCHOOL 2000

WHEREAS, the education of children is of paramount importance, and their parents and families have both the privilege and the duty to ensure that they receive a quality education; and

WHEREAS, many citizens within our Commonwealth are dedicated to volunteering to help underprivileged children, assisting their families with the purchase and distribution of necessity items, such as school supplies; and

WHEREAS, TOOLS FOR SCHOOL 2000 is a year round program designed to provide thousands of low-income and underprivileged children in Southwest Virginia with school supplies; and

WHEREAS, the Joshua Generation International, Inc., in conjunction with local businesses, churches, civic organizations and individuals sponsors and supports this pro-education volunteer program; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting to recognize TOOLS FOR SCHOOL 2000 for its positive, pro-active, beneficial community event that will meet the needs of many families in our Commonwealth;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, James S. Gilmore, III, do hereby recognize September 2000 as **TOOLS FOR SCHOOL 2000 MONTH** in the **COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA**, and I call this observance to the attention of all our citizens.



James S. Gilmore III
Governor of Virginia

Anne P. Petena
Secretary of the Commonwealth