By Senator Baker

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1	Senate Resolution No
2	A resolution recognizing November 2005 as
3	"Family Month" in Florida.
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5	WHEREAS, America's character begins in the home, where
6	children learn the proper standards of conduct and values, and
7	WHEREAS, families provide children with the
8	encouragement, support, and love they need to become
9	confident, compassionate, and successful members of society,
10	and
11	WHEREAS, we must work together to promote and preserve
12	the health and security of our families by upholding the
13	timeless values that have sustained our society throughout
14	history, and
15	WHEREAS, recent events have reminded Americans of the
16	blessings of family and friends and the importance of faith,
17	and
18	WHEREAS, parents should be the most prominent and
19	active figures in their children's lives, recognizing that by
20	spending more family time together, they can develop positive
21	and open relationships with their children which will allow
22	them to better engage their children and encourage them to
23	make positive choices, and
24	WHEREAS, state residents, schools, and civic
25	institutions can assist families by helping to meet the needs
26	of all those who live in our communities, and
27	WHEREAS, as we work together to strengthen our
28	families, we build a nation of hope and opportunity for all,
29	NOW, THEREFORE,
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31	Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Florida:

That the month of November 2005 is recognized as "Family Month" in Florida and that all Florida residents are urged to observe this month by spending quality time with family members to strengthen relationships between parents and their children.