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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened
3 to learn of the death of Robert E. Peters of Lewistown, who
4 passed away on June 20, 2023; and

5 WHEREAS, Robert Peters was born to Roy R. and Effie Evelyn
6 (Pedigo) Peters in Oakford on March 31, 1933; he served in the
7 U.S. Army in Korea from 1952 to 1954; he married Anita Moss in
8 Oakford on May 29, 1955, and she preceded him in death on May
9 27, 2023; and

10 WHEREAS, Robert Peters worked for Stevens John Deere in
11 Petersburg; he also worked for several farmers in Menard and
12 Fulton counties over the years; he worked for Caterpillar for
13 28 years before retiring in 1992; and

14 WHEREAS, Robert Peters was a member of Lewistown United
15 Methodist Church, the American Legion in Lewistown, and
16 several Saddle Clubs; he served as a 4-H leader in Fulton
17 County for many years; and

18 WHEREAS, Robert Peters enjoyed gardening and trail riding;
19 and

20 WHEREAS, Robert Peters was preceded in death by his

1 parents; his grandson, Shane Brandon Neteler; and his
2 siblings, Roy Elbert Peters and Roberta Simpson; and

3 WHEREAS, Robert Peters is survived by his children,
4 Kathryn (Jason) Baker, Robert Dean (Debbie) Peters, Angela
5 Neteler, Carol Jean Sisson, Evelyn (Bill) West, Nancy Fields,
6 and Melissa (Brian) Thompson; 16 grandchildren; 25
7 great-grandchildren; three step-great-grandchildren; one
8 great-great-granddaughter; one step-great-great-grandson; his
9 nephew, Roy Lee Peters; and his sister, Sharon Rockwell;
10 therefore, be it

11 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL
12 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
13 Robert E. Peters and extend our sincere condolences to his
14 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
15 further

16 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
17 presented to the family of Robert Peters as an expression of
18 our deepest sympathy.