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SENATE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to learn of the death of Mary Jane Rudd Rimbey, who passed away on November 29, 2012; and

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WHEREAS, Mary Jane Rimbey was born on July 18, 1927, in Decatur; her parents were Alfred Clayton Sr. and Estella Jane Pollock Rudd; she married Hardin Lee Rimbey on November 28, 1948, in Jacksonville; and

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WHEREAS, Mary Jane Rimbey was a graduate of Springfield High School and the Memorial Hospital School of Nursing; and

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WHEREAS, Mary Jane Rimbey served as a registered nurse for 50 years before her retirement in 1997; during her career, she served as the Director of the Visiting Nurses Association of Morgan and Scott Counties; and

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WHEREAS, Mary Jane Rimbey was a member of the Murrayville United Methodist Church and implemented the Parish Nurse program at the church; she was also a member of the Illinois Home Care Council; and

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WHEREAS, Mary Jane Rimbey never lost interest in learning and kept her mind active by researching health interests on the

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1 Internet; she also enjoyed staying active on Facebook with her
2 grandchildren, watching the St. Louis Cardinals, cooking and
3 baking, and spending time with her family and friends; and

4 WHEREAS, Mary Jane Rimbey was preceded in death by her
5 husband and her brother, Alfred Clayton Rudd Jr.; and

6 WHEREAS, Mary Jane Rimbey is survived by her daughters,
7 Peggy (William) Zachary Jr. and Linda (Christopher) Wheal; her
8 sons, Fred (Deborah) Rimbey and Cliff (Debbie) Rimbey; her
9 grandchildren, Amy (Lance) Reynolds, Joshua Wheal, and Sarah
10 (Joe) Hunt; her great-grandchildren, Stella and Zachary
11 Reynolds; and her dear friends, Ellen Tarzwell, Nellie Tendick,
12 Martha Joseph, and Totty Blimling; therefore, be it

13 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL
14 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn, along with
15 her family and friends, the passing of Mary Jane Rimbey; and be
16 it further

17 RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be
18 presented to the family of Mary Jane Rudd Rimbey as an
19 expression of our sympathy.