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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to  
3 learn of the death of Lester Marshall Hays of Carlinville, who  
4 passed away on March 20, 2013; and

5 WHEREAS, Lester Hays was born on April 5, 1927, in Girard  
6 to Lloyd Marshall and Eva (Wallace) Hays; and

7 WHEREAS, Lester Hays served in the U.S. Army; he was a  
8 truck driver starting in 1950 for Prairie Farms Dairy in  
9 Carlinville; he worked for various trucking companies until his  
10 retirement in 1995 and then moved to Oklahoma and hauled bulk  
11 milk for milk transport to Highland Dairy for 10 years; and

12 WHEREAS, Lester Hays enjoyed walking in the timber,  
13 mushroom hunting with his family, and teaching about plants and  
14 trees; he and his family would gather around a fire and roast  
15 hot dogs; and

16 WHEREAS, Lester Hays was preceded in death by his parents  
17 and his brothers, Glen, Melvin, and Raymond Hays; and

18 WHEREAS, Lester Hays is survived by his daughters, Nancy  
19 (Bill) Lange and Sue Ann Barto; his son, Leslie Marshall  
20 (Margie Rice) Hays; his 8 grandchildren; his 20

1 great-grandchildren; his sisters, Maxine Keltner and Emelene  
2 Batchelder; and several nieces and nephews; therefore, be it

3       RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL  
4 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of  
5 Lester Hays, and we extend our sincere condolences to his  
6 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it  
7 further

8       RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
9 presented to the family of Lester Hays as an expression of our  
10 deepest sympathy.