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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2           WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of  
3 Representatives are saddened to learn of the death of Delorse  
4 Ann Tyner Leeper of Cambria, who passed away on March 10, 2016;  
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6           WHEREAS, Delorse Leeper was born in rural Cambria "Eight  
7 Mile" to Henry and Demova (Gilkey) Tyner on September 15, 1941;  
8 she married Jack D. Leeper on September 15, 1961; and

9           WHEREAS, Delorse Leeper worked retail most of her life at a  
10 variety of places, including J.C. Penney's, Reynold's Market,  
11 and GTE Phone Mart; and

12           WHEREAS, Delorse Leeper was affectionately known as  
13 "Grammy"; she enjoyed traveling to places such as Branson,  
14 Missouri; the Smokey Mountains; England; France; Boston,  
15 Massachusetts; Florida; Alaska; and the U.S. Virgin Islands;  
16 she also enjoyed reading, shopping, and playing on her Kindle;  
17 and

18           WHEREAS, Delorse Leeper was preceded in death by her  
19 parents; her parents-in-law, Jesse and Carmen Leeper; her  
20 brother, Bill Tyner; her sisters and brothers-in-law, Roma and  
21 Don Modglin, June and Bob Martin, and Lana Sonnier; her

1 sister-in-law, Rita Leeper; her brothers-in-law, George Leeper  
2 and Bob Whitecotton; and her nephew, Patrick Tyner; and

3 WHEREAS, Delorse Leeper is survived by her loving husband,  
4 Jack; her children, Julia Leeper (Mark) Pluff and Bonnie Leeper  
5 (Mark) Evans; her grandchildren, Sarah and Andrew Pluff, and  
6 Jacob and Jesse Evans; her sisters, Jolene (Derril) Masters and  
7 Greta Whitecotton; her brothers, Gary (Paula) Tyner and Monty  
8 (Monica) Tyner; her sister-in-law, Carol Tyner; her  
9 brother-in-law, J.C. Leeper; many nieces, nephews,  
10 great-nieces, great-nephews, and great-great-nieces and  
11 nephews; and friends too numerous to count, especially the  
12 "Ethel to her Lucy", Joan Harvel Tregoning; therefore, be it

13 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE  
14 NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we  
15 mourn the passing of Delorse Ann Tyner Leeper, and extend our  
16 sincere condolences to her family, friends, and all who knew  
17 and loved her; and be it further

18 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
19 presented to the family of Delorse Leeper as an expression of  
20 our deepest sympathy.