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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 Charles Robert "Charlie" Boyett of Carlinville, who passed away on January 8, 2018; and

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WHEREAS, Charlie Boyett was born in Harrisburg to Robert Charles and Virginia (Ashe) Boyett on March 20, 1946; he graduated from Lincolnwood High School in 1964 and Ranken Technical College; he married Mary "Pat" Portwood in Springfield on November 22, 1969; and

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WHEREAS, Charlie Boyett served in the United States Army during the Vietnam War, where he received the Air Medal for distinguishing himself by meritorious achievement while participating in sustained aerial flight in support of combat ground forces during the period of May 1967 to October 1967; he participated in over 25 aerial missions over hostile territory during that time; he was also awarded the Bronze Star; and

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WHEREAS, Charlie Boyett worked for Monterey Coal Mine in Carlinville and Freeman Crown II Coal Mine in Virden; he retired from Freeman Crown III Coal Mine in Girard; and

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WHEREAS, Charlie Boyett was a long time member of Saints Mary and Joseph Catholic Church in Carlinville; he enjoyed

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1 mowing, gardening, riding 4-wheelers, fishing, and hot rods;
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3 WHEREAS, Charlie Boyett was preceded in death by his
4 parents; and

5 WHEREAS, Charlie Boyett is survived by his wife, Mary
6 "Pat"; his sons, Christopher Robert (Lyn) Boyett and Casey
7 Louis (Sarah) Boyett; his daughter, Carrie Elizabeth (Ryan)
8 Klotz; his grandchildren, Isabel and Vivian Klotz, Clara and
9 Lucas Boyett, and Lucy and Dillon Boyett; his sisters, Shirley
10 Martin and Linda (Larry) Burnet; and several nieces and
11 nephews; therefore, be it

12 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL
13 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
14 Charles Robert "Charlie" Boyett, and extend our sincere
15 condolences to his family, friends, and all who knew and loved
16 him; and be it further

17 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
18 presented to the family of Charlie Boyett as an expression of
19 our deepest sympathy.