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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 Janet E. Adams, who passed away on February 13, 2018; and

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WHEREAS, Janet Adams was born in Woodstock to John and Frances (Kiltz) Emery on March 12, 1940; she graduated from Woodstock High School in 1958; she then graduated from the Methodist Kahler School of Nursing in Rochester, Minnesota in 1961; and

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WHEREAS, Janet Adams worked as an office nurse for Dr. Stahlecker from 1962 until 1964; she then worked as a nurse at Woodstock Memorial Hospital (now Centegra) until 2007; she also worked as a part-time nurse at Northern Illinois Medical Center (McHenry); and

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WHEREAS, Janet Adams enjoyed reading and scuba diving; she was a world traveler and belonged to the McHenry Garden Club; she was an avid seamstress and made doll clothes and wedding dresses; she made 300 dresses for Dress a Girl Around the World; and

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WHEREAS, Janet Adams was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, William Adams; her son, Lawrence Heckathorne; her

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1 brother, Robert Emery; and her infant sister, Marilyn Kay  
2 Emery; and

3 WHEREAS, Janet Adams is survived by her children, Eugene  
4 (Dorothy) Heckathorne, Marilyn (John) Hill, Cindy (Kevin)  
5 Borman, Chris (Rusty) Hatfield, Kim Adams, Penny (Jeff) Lilly,  
6 and Terry (Olandis) Harris; her grandchildren, Rachael (Amy)  
7 Sobotka, Lewis (Samantha) Possehl, Renee (Jason) Busse, Jaron  
8 Hill, and Emery Hill; and her sister, Donna (Earl) Hass;  
9 therefore, be it

10 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL  
11 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of  
12 Janet E. Adams and extend our sincere condolences to her  
13 family, friends, and all who knew and loved her; and be it  
14 further

15 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
16 presented to the family of Janet Adams as an expression of our  
17 deepest sympathy.