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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 Sherman Coleman of East Moline, who passed away on May 8, 2019; and

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WHEREAS, Charles Coleman was born in Prentiss, Kentucky to Birchell and Nina Stevens Coleman on June 15, 1927; he served in the U.S. Army Air Forces and married Daisy Ferguson in Beaver Dam, Kentucky on December 23, 1950; and

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WHEREAS, Charles Coleman retired in the early 1980s as a heavy equipment operator; he was a member of the International Union of Operating Engineers Local 150; and

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WHEREAS, Charles Coleman was a lifelong fan of the University of Kentucky Wildcats; he was a former resident of Park Vista, where he enjoyed spending time with his friends, dancing and playing cards; and

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WHEREAS, Charles Coleman was preceded in death by his wife, Daisy; his parents; and his siblings, Eugene, Jewel, Wendell, Virginia, and Margie; and

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WHEREAS, Charles Coleman is survived by his children, Nancy (Wayne) Fountain, Patty (Tim) Taylor, and Katie (Kevin)

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1 Thornborough; his grandchildren, Kevin (Tracie) Fountain,
2 Scott Fountain, Bethany (John) White, Charity Taylor, Harmony
3 Taylor, Kolton (Ruby Grigsby) Thornborough, and Kyler
4 Thornborough; his great-grandchildren, Naomi and Milo
5 Fountain, Noah White, Ja'von White, John White III, Hudson
6 Crots, and Leana Grigsby; his sister, Betty Taylor; and his
7 special friend, Sue Fox; therefore, be it

8 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL
9 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
10 Charles Sherman Coleman and extend our sincere condolences to
11 his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
12 further

13 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
14 presented to the family of Charles Coleman as an expression of
15 our deepest sympathy.