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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 Jack D. Gentry of Silvis, who passed away on May 24, 2019; and

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WHEREAS, Jack Gentry was born in Atkinson to Ralph and Ruth (DeWolf) Gentry on September 12, 1932; he served in the United States Army; he married Elaine Cosner in Sterling on January 26, 1969; and

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WHEREAS, Jack Gentry worked as a truck driver for 25 years and retired in 1995; and

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WHEREAS, Jack Gentry was preceded in death by his brother, Raymond Gentry; his sister, Connie Edwards; and his stepdaughter, Linda Staples; and

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WHEREAS, Jack Gentry is survived by his wife of 50 years, Elaine Gentry; his children, Bonnie (John) DeMarlie, Carol (Allen) Deyoe, Susan (Mark) Vaughn, and David Peterson; his many grandchildren and great-grandchildren; his siblings, Winiford (Ruth) Gentry, Roy Gentry, Richard (Pat) Gentry, Keith (Sandra) Gentry, Jim (Audrey) Gentry, and Sheryl (Mike) Lewsader; and his many nieces and nephews; therefore, be it

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1 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL
2 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
3 Jack D. Gentry and extend our sincere condolences to his
4 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
5 further

6 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
7 presented to the family of Jack Gentry as an expression of our
8 deepest sympathy.