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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 Nelson Gene Peterson of Moline, who passed away on June 24, 2019; and

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WHEREAS, Nelson Peterson was born in Moline to Rudolph T. and Nellie (Nelson) Peterson on August 20, 1923; he graduated from Simpson College and served in the U.S. Army during World War II in Normandy, Northern France, the Rhineland, and Central Europe, earning several medals; and

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WHEREAS, Nelson Peterson worked as a history teacher at Silvis Junior High School for 25 years, retiring in 1983; and

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WHEREAS, Nelson Peterson was a member of Bethany Baptist Church, the National Education Association, and the Modern Woodmen of America; and

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WHEREAS, Nelson Peterson is survived by his cousins, Sylvia Maravelli, Kaye Strate, Susan Coopman, and Todd Nerdahl; therefore, be it

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RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of Nelson Gene Peterson and extend our sincere condolences to his

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1 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it  
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3       RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
4 presented to the family of Nelson Peterson as an expression of  
5 our deepest sympathy.