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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 Raymond G. Saelens of Moline, who passed away on July 21, 2022; and

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WHEREAS, Raymond Saelens was born in Silvis to Rene and Eliza (DeKoker) Saelens on February 4, 1930; he married Joyce Stahl in Havanah on August 17, 1957; and

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WHEREAS, Raymond Saelens worked for the U.S. Army as an accountant; prior to working for the Army, he worked for John Deere; and

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WHEREAS, Raymond Saelens was a member of St Mary's Catholic Church; and

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WHEREAS, Raymond Saelens was preceded in death by his parents and son, Lawrence "Larry"; and

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WHEREAS, Raymond Saelens is survived by his wife, Joyce; his children, Beth (Michael) Nickell, Mark (Jennifer) Saelens, Daniel (Deborah) Saelens, and Diane (Joseph) Gardner; 10 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren; therefore, be it

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RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL

1 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of  
2 Raymond G. Saelens and extend our sincere condolences to his  
3 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it  
4 further

5 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
6 presented to the family of Raymond Saelens as an expression of  
7 our deepest sympathy.