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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 B. Knox III of Silvis, who passed away on January 19, 2024; and

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WHEREAS, Charles Knox was born to Charles Jr. Knox and Betty Jean (Holstrom) Knox in Rock Island on January 21, 1946; he graduated from Rock Island High School in 1964; he married Barbara A. Denys in Davenport, Iowa on July 15, 1987; he served in the U.S. Army; and

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WHEREAS, Charles Knox worked for Sivyer Steel for 27 years; he then worked for John Deere for 10 years; and

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WHEREAS, Charles Knox was a member of the United Auto Workers (UAW); and

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WHEREAS, Charles Knox enjoyed spending time at the cabin his parents built on the Rock River; and

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WHEREAS, Charles Knox was preceded in death by his parents; and

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WHEREAS, Charles Knox is survived by his wife; his children, Jennifer L. (Mark) Rummell, Michael C. Knox, and

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1 Candace (Bruce) Woods; his grandchildren, Charles Francisco
2 Rummell, Adrian McDevitt, Robert Hunter Woods, Summer
3 (Zachary) O'Leary, and Derek (Jericha) Woods; and his lifelong
4 friends, Bill Leisteko and Mary Leisteko; therefore, be it

5 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL
6 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
7 Charles B. Knox III and extend our sincere condolences to his
8 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
9 further

10 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
11 presented to the family of Charles Knox as an expression of our
12 deepest sympathy.