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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 Goldie Hershman of Joliet, who passed away on September 21, 2014; and

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WHEREAS, Goldie Hershman studied at Northwestern University and at Chicago Teachers College, where she received her master's degree in Education; and

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WHEREAS, Goldie Hershman began teaching in Chicago and Maywood; she relocated with her husband to Joliet and taught at Marycrest School for 23 years; she also taught Sunday school at the synagogue for many years and tutored and mentored World War II survivors who came to the Will County area; and

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WHEREAS, Goldie Hershman has been an active member of the Silver Cross Celebrity Spotlight Visitation and Aid Society, the Women of Rotary, the Joliet Education Association, the Jewish Congregation Sisterhood and Hadassah, and has been a Community Trustee of Silver Cross Hospital; in 2007, she was recognized with Lewis University's DeLaSalle Award; and

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WHEREAS, Goldie Hershman was preceded in death by her husband of 56 years, Rabbi Morris M. Hershman; and

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1 WHEREAS, Goldie Hershman is the loving mother of Josh
2 (Kerry) Hershman and Naomi Hershman and the devoted grandmother
3 of Jenny (Blake) Contant and Ben Hershman; therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL
5 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
6 Goldie Hershman, and extend our sincere condolences to her
7 family, friends, and all who knew and loved her; and be it
8 further

9 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
10 presented to the family of Goldie Hershman as an expression of
11 our deepest sympathy.