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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 Edward F. Koester of Marengo, who passed away on August 20, 2017; and

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WHEREAS, Edward Koester was born in Chicago to Irvin and Magdalen (Rosner) Koester on October 25, 1932; and

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WHEREAS, Edward Koester was a veteran of the United States Army; he worked as a Sears repairman for 35 years; and

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WHEREAS, Edward Koester enjoyed gardening and spending time with his family; he was friendly to everyone he met; and

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WHEREAS, Edward Koester was preceded in death by his parents; and his siblings, Anna (Fred) Karner, Joan Torino, and George Koester; and

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WHEREAS, Edward Koester is survived by his wife, Jean; his children, Stephen (Barb), John, James (Trudy), Nancy (Mark) Bergeron, Patricia (Tim) Turbak, Carol (Jeff) Lehr, Joseph, and Jennifer (Chris) Riley; his grandchildren, Michael, David, Katie, Emily, Dillon, Matthew, Emma, Maggie, Austin, Julian, Mason, Aiden, Kevin, and Logan; his great-grandchildren, Gage, Hailey, Knox, Hannah, Brooklyn, Elisabeth, Olivia, Leah,

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1 Brady, Charley, Collins, Hoyt, and Shelby; and his siblings,
2 Irene Malina and Peter (Agnes) Koester; therefore, be it

3 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL
4 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
5 Edward F. Koester, and we extend our sincere condolences to his
6 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
7 further

8 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
9 presented to the family of Edward Koester as an expression of
10 our deepest sympathy.