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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 Orick M. "Corky" Nightlinger Jr. of Danville, who passed away on May 5, 2023; and

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WHEREAS, Corky Nightlinger was born to Orick Manning and Mildred Winfield Nightlinger Sr. in Fairmount on July 30, 1934; he attended Westville High School and Utterback Business College; he married Dolores Shaw in Westville on July 27, 1958; and

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WHEREAS, Corky Nightlinger served as a printing pressman for the University of Illinois and Danville Commercial News; and

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WHEREAS, Corky Nightlinger served on the Vermilion County Board of Directors for 11 years and the Danville Township Board of Trustees for many years; he also served as a precinct committeeman for the Democratic Party for many years; and

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WHEREAS, Corky Nightlinger attended Calvary Baptist Church, and he had served as a deacon and choir director at Edgewood Baptist Church; he previously served on the school board of the former Hope Christian High School; and

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1           WHEREAS, Corky Nightlinger loved working in his yard,  
2           spending time with his grandchildren and great-grandchildren,  
3           and passionately discussing politics; he also took a great  
4           interest in studying family genealogy; and

5           WHEREAS, Corky Nightlinger was beloved for his sense of  
6           light and humor; and

7           WHEREAS, Corky Nightlinger was preceded in death by his  
8           brothers, Carl J. Nightlinger, Blaine Nightlinger, and Gary  
9           Nightlinger; his grandson, Jacob Manning Burow; his  
10          granddaughter, Kandi Lynn Bray; and his niece, Merry Christina  
11          Conrad; and

12          WHEREAS, Corky Nightlinger is survived by his wife,  
13          Dolores; his daughters, Kitty (Jay) Dangcil, Kimberly (Don)  
14          Nightlinger-Bray, Krystal Nightlinger, Kelly (Bill) McMasters,  
15          and Kerry (Troy) Rippon; his niece and his nephew, who he and  
16          Dolores raised, Michael Marx and Michelle Rice; his  
17          grandchildren, Chastity Burow-Catney, Amanda Richards, Heather  
18          Nightlinger, Sarah Nightlinger, Kacie Henry, and Chase Rippon;  
19          and nine great-grandchildren; therefore, be it

20          RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL  
21          ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of  
22          Orick M. "Corky" Nightlinger Jr. and extend our sincere

1 condolences to his family, friends, and all who knew and loved  
2 him; and be it further

3       RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
4 presented to the family of Corky Nightlinger as an expression  
5 of our deepest sympathy.