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HOUSE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of Representatives are saddened to learn of the death of Steven Ross Sr.; and

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WHEREAS, Steven Ross Sr. was born in Chicago to Lucilla Ross and Aubrey Sanders on August 31, 1966; he attended West Pullman Elementary School and Percy L. Julian High School; he completed the criminal justice program at Truman College and married Jenetta Ross; and

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WHEREAS, Steven Ross Sr. owned and operated Ross Family Photography & Videography for over 20 years; he also worked at Supreme Security; and

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WHEREAS, Steven Ross Sr. served at Original Holy Ark M.B. Church for over 20 years; he sang in the Sunshine Choir, Inspirations, and the Voices Choir; he was part of the men's ministry, the marriage ministry, and the media ministry; and

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WHEREAS, Steven Ross Sr. and his wife also served at Living Word Christian Center; his wife took a position as Pastor at God's Healing Place Ministry and he accompanied her, where he served as Executive Pastor and Elder; and

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1 WHEREAS, Steven Ross Sr. was affectionately known as "Big
2 Baby" and "Picture Man"; and

3 WHEREAS, Steven Ross Sr. was preceded in death by his
4 father, Aubrey Sanders; and

5 WHEREAS, Steven Ross Sr. is survived by his wife, Pastor
6 Jenetta; his daughter, Jenell; his son, Steven Jr.; his mother,
7 Lucilla; his siblings, Charon, Sonja, Mark, Kimberly,
8 Patricia, Nicole, Alex Jr., Cherise, and NaKita; a host of
9 nieces, nephews, and cousins; his godchildren, Deetta, Amanda,
10 and Saniyyah; and many other family and friends; therefore, be
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12 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
13 HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
14 mourn the passing of Steven Ross Sr., and extend our sincere
15 condolences to his family, friends, and all who knew and loved
16 him; and be it further

17 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
18 presented to the family of Steven Ross Sr. as an expression of
19 our deepest sympathy.