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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 John M. Edmunds of Silvis, who passed away on May 11, 2017; and

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WHEREAS, John Edmunds was born in Bevier, Missouri to Miles and Mary Ellen Durham Edmunds on September 4, 1922; he served in the United States Army during World War II and married Mary "Vivian" Walker on December 20, 1942; and

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WHEREAS, John Edmunds worked at Case IH in Moline and the American Air Filter Company and Randolph's in Silvis; he was also a Sunday school bus driver, a taxi driver, and delivered coal by truck; and

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WHEREAS, John Edmunds was preceded in death by his parents; his wife, Mary Ellen; and eight siblings; and

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WHEREAS, John Edmunds is survived by his children, Dan (Lori) Edmunds and Debbie (Lenford) Coleman; five grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren; therefore, be it

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RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of John M. Edmunds, and extend our sincere condolences to his

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1 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
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3 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
4 presented to the family of John Edmunds as an expression of our
5 deepest sympathy.