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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 Frank J. Stefanich of Naples, Florida, formerly of Moline, who passed away on July 23, 2019; and

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WHEREAS, Frank Stefanich was born in Aurora to Frank and Magie (Barbic) Stefanich on December 5, 1917; he was a veteran of World War II and earned three Bronze Star medals in the three different Pacific Theaters; and

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WHEREAS, Frank Stefanich worked as an industrial manufacturing welder in Moline for 37 years; he then worked as a maintenance engineer at Sacred Heart Elementary School for many years; and

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WHEREAS, After the death of his wife, Frank Stefanich moved to Naples, Florida to be near his niece, Joanne, and great-niece, Debbie, who shared a love of McDonald's hamburgers with him every Wednesday; he was an avid walker and walked four to nine miles each day; later in life, he enjoyed watching the Stanley Cup playoffs and other sports and spending time with his great-nephew, Mark; and

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WHEREAS, Frank Stefanich was preceded in death by his wife of 69 years, Carmie; and

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1 WHEREAS, Frank Stefanich is survived by his half-sister,
2 Annie Retel; his sister-in-law, Josie (Cirrincione) Davito;
3 many nieces and nephews; and many great-nieces, great-nephews,
4 great-great-nieces, and great-great-nephews; therefore, be it

5 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL
6 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
7 Frank J. Stefanich and extend our sincere condolences to his
8 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
9 further

10 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
11 presented to the family of Frank Stefanich as an expression of
12 our deepest sympathy.