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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 Madeleine Burt Pryor, who passed away on January 15, 2022; and

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WHEREAS, Madeleine Pryor was born to Raymond J. Burt and Vergay Clark in Chicago on August 25, 1928; she graduated from grammar school and high school at Corpus Christi and St. Elizabeth Catholic Schools; she also graduated from junior college; she married Robert Pryor in May of 1950; and

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WHEREAS, Madeleine Pryor worked for the department of the U.S. Navy at the Great Lakes Naval Station; she transferred to the Federal Housing Authority in downtown Chicago, where she retired after 35 years with the government; and

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WHEREAS, Madeleine Pryor committed to her faith at an early age and attended St. Dorothy's and St. Phillips Catholic Church for most of her life; she had a spirit of compassion and found her ministry very early in her life, helping the sick, family members, and the nuns of the Sisters of the Blessed Sacrament; and

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WHEREAS, Madeleine Pryor was preceded in death by her husband and her parents; and

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1 WHEREAS, Madeleine Pryor is survived by her brothers,
2 Donald (Joslyn) Burt and William Anderson; her nieces, Jackie
3 McLeod and Rochelle Burt; her nephews, Bill Anderson Jr.,
4 Kenneth Anderson, Donald Jr., Phillip Taylor Jr., and Marshall
5 Burt; her cousins, James (Rosemary) Burt, Karen Lawrence,
6 Teresa Turner, Ronnie (Brunu) Burt, and Rozlynn Burt Dozier;
7 her grand-niece, Tia Johnson; her goddaughter, Shelline
8 Harper; her close friend, Vanessa Stewart; and a host of
9 relatives and friends; therefore, be it

10 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
11 HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
12 we mourn the passing of Madeleine Burt Pryor and extend our
13 sincere condolences to her family, friends, and all who knew
14 and loved her; and be it further

15 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
16 presented to the family of Madeleine Pryor as an expression of
17 our deepest sympathy.