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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 Alvin W. Martin Jr. of Rock Island, who passed away on November 11, 2021; and

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WHEREAS, Alvin Martin was born to Alvin and Marie (Vansoye) Martin in Moline on April 22, 1931; he served in the U.S. Army during the Korean War; he married Frances Hockenberry on April 4, 1952 while stationed at Camp Cook in California; and

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WHEREAS, Alvin Martin worked as a master electrician for the Rock Island Lines, Farmall, and Williams White and Company, Moline; and

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WHEREAS, Alvin Martin belonged to the International Association of Machinists, the Knights of Columbus Allouez Council 658, and AARP; he was an original member of St. Pius X Catholic Church, Rock Island; and

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WHEREAS, Alvin Martin was an avid Chicago Cubs and Iowa Hawkeye fan and coached Little League Baseball for many years; he and his wife enjoyed summers in Bagley, Wisconsin and their 18 years of wintering in Jensen Beach, Florida; and

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1 WHEREAS, Alvin Martin was preceded in death by his wife;
2 his parents; his siblings, Joyce Eisentrager and Jerry Martin;
3 his grandson, Jacob Crawford; and his daughter-in-law, Becky
4 Marti; and

5 WHEREAS, Alvin Martin is survived by his children, Rick
6 (Kathee) Martin, Cindy Crawford, Deborah Carlson, Michelle
7 (Ed) Vize, Bradley Martin, and Jennifer (Jeff) Wendland; his
8 grandchildren, Lynn (Aaron) Justinger, Luke (Courtney) Martin,
9 Brett (Sandra) Martin, Michael (Amy) Crawford, Joe (Christine
10 Lehigh) Crawford, Gregory (Kyra) Carlson, Ed (Kathy) Vize,
11 Eric (Joei) Vize, Sarah (Randy) Stevens, Allyson (Ken) Dogan,
12 Alexander (Samantha) Martin, Patrick Martin, Scott (Tara)
13 Wendland, and Meaghan (Ben) Jackson; his granddaughter-in-law,
14 Christina Lee; his 26 great-grandchildren; and his numerous
15 nieces and nephews; therefore, be it

16 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL
17 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
18 Alvin W. Martin Jr. and extend our sincere condolences to his
19 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
20 further

21 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
22 presented to the family of Alvin Martin as an expression of our
23 deepest sympathy.