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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 Richard B. Powell of Moline, who passed away on October 7, 2022; and

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WHEREAS, Richard Powell was born to Cloyse B. and Berdella A. Doyle Powell in Highland Park, Michigan on September 22, 1930; he served in the U.S. Air Force during the Korean Conflict; he married Darleen R. Beckstrom in Denver, Colorado on May 1, 1953, and she preceded him in death on April 5, 2009; and

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WHEREAS, Richard Powell worked as an accountant with Caterpillar Inc. from 1964 until his retirement in 1985; he also started the Powell Income Tax Service in 1966; he later became a realtor with both Century 21 and South Towne; and

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WHEREAS, Richard Powell was a member of Bethany Church in Moline; and

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WHEREAS, Richard Powell was preceded in death by his wife; his parents; his daughter, Debbie Loftin; and his brother, Joe; and

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WHEREAS, Richard Powell is survived by his children,

1 Donald Powell, Dori (John) McCartney, and Dawn (Tim) Robinson;  
2 his son-in-law, Mark Loftin; his 16 grandchildren; his 18  
3 great-grandchildren; and his sister-in-law, Mary Lea Powell;  
4 therefore, be it

5       RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL  
6 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of  
7 Richard B. Powell 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 Richard Powell as an expression of  
12 our deepest sympathy.