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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 Charles Laverne Griffith of Bettendorf, Iowa, who passed away on January 24, 2024; and

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WHEREAS, Charles Griffith, the son of Sidney and Ruby (Saunders) Griffith, was born in Keokuk, Iowa on March 30, 1949; he served in the U.S. Navy; and

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WHEREAS, Charles Griffith, who was affectionately known as "Chuck" or "Griffer", possessed a contagious zest for life and a boundless love and dedication to his wife, Terry, and his family; and

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WHEREAS, Charles Griffith's humor and his delicious, homemade family meals brightened the days of all who knew him; and

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WHEREAS, Charles Griffith will be remembered for his kindness, laughter, and warmth; and

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WHEREAS, Charles Griffith was preceded in death by his parents; his stepmother, Shirley; his brothers, William and Victor; his sister, Sharon; and his son, Nathan; and

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1 WHEREAS, Charles Griffith is survived by his wife, Terry;
2 his stepchildren, Jeff and Deanna; his granddaughters, Kelsey
3 and Carly (Mike); his great-granddaughter, Gracelyn; his
4 brothers, Vincent (Teresa) and Mike (Kim); his sister, Clarice
5 (Todd); and many nieces and nephews; therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL
7 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
8 Charles Laverne Griffith and extend our sincere condolences to
9 his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
10 further

11 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
12 presented to the family of Charles Griffith as an expression
13 of our deepest sympathy.