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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 E. "Dick" Lynch of Canton, who passed away on July 11, 2024; and

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WHEREAS, Dick Lynch was born in Milwaukee, Wisconsin to Thomas E. and Doris (Fraikes) Lyncon on September 25, 1937; he graduated from Canton High School in 1955 and attended Bowling Green State University on a baseball scholarship; he served in the United States Marines from November 28, 1956 to August 4, 1959; he married Scheralyn Duffield at First Baptist Church in Canton on April 21, 1962; and

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WHEREAS, Dick Lynch was employed by Household Finance in Waukegan and later by the Caterpillar Tractor Company for 33 years; and

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WHEREAS, Dick Lynch worked with the Junior Achievement program; he was a member of Morning Star Lodge 734 for 30 years, Scottish Rite Valley of Peoria, and the Mohammed Temple Shrine in Peoria; he enjoyed fishing and watching sports; he had a fantastic memory for details and history; and

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WHEREAS, Dick Lynch was preceded in death by his wife, Scheralyn; his parents; and his sister, Susan B. Lynch; and

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1 WHEREAS, Dick Lynch is survived by his son, Robin Lynch;
2 his sister, June (late Kenneth) Bath; and his nephews, Tom
3 (Sheila) and Jack "Jay" Bath (Christine Kruse); therefore, be
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5 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL
6 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
7 Richard E. "Dick" Lynch and extend our sincere condolences to
8 his 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 Dick Lynch as an expression of our
12 deepest sympathy.