

1 SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the State of
3 Illinois were saddened to learn of the death of Deacon Brian
4 David Campbell on April 29, 2003; and

5 WHEREAS, Brian David Campbell was the loving husband of
6 Cheryl Ann, who also passed away on April 29, 2003; and

7 WHEREAS, Brian David Campbell was born on December 21,
8 1954 in New York City, New York; he came to Illinois as an
9 infant and spent the greater part of his life in East St.
10 Louis; and

11 WHEREAS, Deacon Campbell attended school in East St.
12 Louis School District #189 and graduated from East St. Louis
13 High School in 1972; he received a bachelor of fine arts
14 degree from Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville and
15 a Masters Degree in Human Services from Webster University,
16 St. Louis, Missouri; and

17 WHEREAS, Deacon Campbell was employed by the State of
18 Illinois for a number of years with his last assignment
19 dealing with child support enforcement; and

20 WHEREAS, Deacon Campbell was an active member of St. Paul
21 Baptist Church for many years; at the time of his passing, he
22 was serving as Senior Deacon, and had previously served as
23 Superintendent and teacher of the Sunday School, as well as
24 in many other capacities in the church; and

25 WHEREAS, Deacon Campbell was an avid jazz fan and played
26 the drums with several groups at various venues in the
27 Bi-State area; and

28 WHEREAS, The passing of Deacon Brian David Campbell has
29 been deeply felt by all who knew him, especially his
30 grandmother, Mary Ferguson; his aunts, M. Manika Hyatt and

1 Dr. Katie (Marvin) Wright; his cousins, John (Sandrea)
2 Hyatt, Everal Maria Oldham, Virginia Jordan, and Kimberly
3 Millin; he is also survived by the Adams family and was a
4 dear friend of Alvin Parks, Jr.; therefore, be it

5 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL
6 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing
7 of Deacon Brian David Campbell and express our sincere and
8 deepest sympathy to his family and friends; and be it further

9 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
10 presented to the family of Deacon Brian David Campbell as an
11 expression of our condolences during their time of
12 bereavement.