



1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of  
3 Representatives were deeply saddened to learn of the death of  
4 Henry R. Flemming of Chicago on December 31, 2005; and

5 WHEREAS, Mr. Flemming was born on November 14, 1936, to  
6 John Flemming Sr., and Carrie Goodlaw Flemming; and

7 WHEREAS, He accepted Christ in his life at an early age, in  
8 Newport, Arkansas, at St. Paul A.M.E. Church; he served in the  
9 army from 1955 to 1957 after which he moved to Chicago and  
10 worked a variety of jobs; and

11 WHEREAS, Mr. Flemming was known for his goodness towards  
12 others, giving whatever he had to help out; he was generous,  
13 well-liked, and a friend to many; and

14 WHEREAS, Henry Flemming was preceded in death by his mother  
15 and father; his brothers, Nathan Hensley, and John Flemming  
16 Jr.; and his sisters Genevieve E. Johnson and Gladys B. Mays;  
17 and

18 WHEREAS, The passing of Henry Flemming has been deeply felt  
19 by all who knew and loved him, especially his daughter, Kiara  
20 Flemming; his stepson, Timothy Williams; his stepdaughter  
21 Renada Williams; his sisters Mary E. Wilson, Martha Coburn, and  
22 Glen (James) Moore; his nephew and special caregiver, Robert,  
23 and Gayle Coburn his wife; Barbara Reeves and Tedra Davis; and  
24 a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends; therefore, be  
25 it

26 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE  
27 NINETY-FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that  
28 we mourn the passing of Henry R. Flemming and extend our  
29 sincerest condolences to his family, friends, and community;

1 and be it further

2 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
3 presented to his family as an expression of our deepest  
4 sympathy.