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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2           WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of  
3 Representatives are saddened to learn of the death of Hamp  
4 Robinson, Jr., who passed away on September 28, 2007; and

5           WHEREAS, Hamp Robinson, Jr. was born on March 2, 1937 in  
6 Tribbett, Mississippi; his parents were Hamp Robinson, Sr. and  
7 Estella Robinson; he married Lee Anna Reed on November 9, 1957  
8 in Inverness, Mississippi; and

9           WHEREAS, Hamp Robinson, Jr. was educated in the public  
10 school system in Mississippi; he moved with his family from the  
11 south to Chicago in 1968; he worked at Spiegel in Chicago from  
12 1968 until Spiegel's relocation away from Illinois in 1996,  
13 when he worked for Greater Chicago Auction until his retirement  
14 in 2006; and

15           WHEREAS, Hamp Robinson, Jr. received Christ as his Lord and  
16 Savior in 1980 and was baptized at the Kingdomland Missionary  
17 Baptist Church; in 1981, he relocated to the New Faith  
18 Missionary Baptist Church, where he remained until his passing;  
19 he was well known in the church for his faith and love for the  
20 Lord and his followers; and

21           WHEREAS, Hamp Robinson, Jr. was preceded in death by his

1 son, Carl; his parents, Hamp, Sr. and Estella; his brothers,  
2 Cleveland, Sammy, Ellis Earl, Charlie, and Henry; and his  
3 sisters, Margaret and Maybell; and

4 WHEREAS, Hamp Robinson, Jr. is survived by his wife, Lee  
5 Anna; his daughter, Pamela; his granddaughter, Lakeisha; his  
6 god-daughter, Alicia; his god-granddaughter, Alissa; his  
7 brother, Johnny Robinson; his sisters, Sally Pearl Billingsly,  
8 Louise Johnson, and Laura Robinson; his 2 brothers-in-law and 8  
9 sisters-in-law; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and  
10 friends; therefore, be it

11 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE  
12 NINETY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we  
13 mourn, along with his family and friends, the passing of Hamp  
14 Robinson, Jr.; and be it further

15 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
16 presented to the family of Hamp Robinson, Jr. as an expression  
17 of our sympathy.