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HOUSE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of Representatives are saddened to learn of the death of Edna Rose Vaughns, who passed away on June 22, 2008; and

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WHEREAS, Edna Rose Vaughns worked as a volunteer community organizer for over 50 years, including volunteer service with the South Shore Commission Community Board, the South Shore Bank Community, and the Chicago Public School local School Council 1989; and

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WHEREAS, Edna Rose Vaughns was a founder of the Women United for South Shore (WUSS) and was a past founder of the Roosevelt University South Central Alumni Association and the South Shore Parkside Area Council, among many others; and

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WHEREAS, Edna Rose Vaughns was a member of the Alpha Gamma Pi Honor Sorority and Alpha Kappa Alpha Inc.; and

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WHEREAS, A poem...

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The Comfort and Sweetness of Peace

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After the clouds, the sunshine

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After the winter, the spring,

1 After the shower, the rainbow,
2 For life is a changeable thing;
3 After the night, the morning,
4 Bidding all darkness cease;
5 After life cares and sorrows,
6 The comfort and sweetness of peace; and

7 WHEREAS, Edna Rose Vaughns' love of life and ability to
8 live it to the fullest endeared her to her family members,
9 friends, and all who knew her, and enabled her to enrich their
10 lives in ways they will never forget; 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 her family and friends, the passing of Edna
14 Rose Vaughns; and be it further

15 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
16 presented to the family of Edna Rose Vaughns as an expression
17 of our sympathy.