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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 Fred P. Swagerty of North Chicago, who passed away on March 22, 2008; and

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WHEREAS, Fred P. Swagerty was born March 31, 1934 in Newport, Tennessee, to the late Herbert and Lillie Swagerty; Fred accepted the Lord and Savior Jesus Christ at an early age; the highlight of Fred Swagerty's life was when he was joined in holy matrimony on October 1, 1956 to his adoring wife, Hilda; and

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WHEREAS, He served in the United States Army during peace time and was employed at the Veterans Administration Hospital in North Chicago, from which he retired after 30 years of employment; he was also employed at the Shell service station in Deerfield; and

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WHEREAS, Fred's hobbies included playing golf and bowling; he received many awards for his passion for golf and bowling; Fred was also a past Exalted Ruler of the Little Fort Elks Lodge 1390 in North Chicago; and

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WHEREAS, Fred P. Swagerty was preceded in death by his parents, Herbert and Lillie Swagerty; his brothers, William

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1 "June" (Sally) Swagerty, Charles (Cheola) Swagerty, and Gene  
2 Swagerty; and his sister, Mary Davis Woods; and

3 WHEREAS, Fred Swagerty leaves to cherish his memory his  
4 beautiful wife of 52 years, Hilda Swagerty; his sister,  
5 Katherine Swagerty; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins; and  
6 many, many friends; Fred will also be dearly missed by his  
7 bowling buddies, "The Wolfpack", "The Sunday Night Mixed"  
8 bowling league, and the members of the Little Fort Elks Lodge  
9 1390; therefore, be it

10 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-FIFTH GENERAL  
11 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn, along with  
12 his family and friends, the passing of Fred P. Swagerty; and be  
13 it further

14 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
15 presented to the family of Fred P. Swagerty as a symbol of our  
16 sincere sympathy.