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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 Charlotte Louise Miller, who passed away on April 20, 2009; and

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WHEREAS, Charlotte Miller was born on January 20, 1940 in Duncan, Mississippi; her parents were the late Walter and Katie Melton; and

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WHEREAS, Charlotte Miller confessed her hope in Christ at New Friendship Missionary Baptist Church under the leadership of Reverend Benjamin J. Holmes; and

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WHEREAS, Charlotte Miller was employed with the Lake County Rehabilitation Center in East Chicago for many years; and

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WHEREAS, Charlotte Miller was preceded in death by her parents; her daughters, Lorraine Blair and Charlene Smith; her grandchildren, Oscar Kelly III, Kenyall Dante Blair, and Debria Walker; her sisters, Dora Mae Kendricks and Katie Blair; her brothers, Reverend Willie Melton and Walter Melton Jr.; and her nephew, Westley Herrod Jr.; and

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WHEREAS, Charlotte Miller is survived by her husband, Robert Miller; her daughters, Gwendolyn (James) Cates, Tina

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1 Fade, and LaTonya Blair; her sons, Ronald Blair, Harbest  
2 (Anita) Blair, Michael Blair, and Lionel Blair; her 47  
3 grandchildren and 46 great-grandchildren; her sisters, Ruth  
4 Cooley, Corrine Farrow, and Ernestine Melton; her brothers,  
5 Lyndell Melton and Eddie Melton; her aunt, Lillie Davis; and  
6 her many nephews, nieces, other relatives, and friends;  
7 therefore, be it

8 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL  
9 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn, along with  
10 her family and friends, the passing of Charlotte Louise Miller;  
11 and be it further

12 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
13 presented to the family of Charlotte Miller as an expression of  
14 our sympathy.