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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 Rev. Stanley G. Lane of Joliet, who passed away on December 30, 2015; and

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WHEREAS, Rev. Lane was born in Yuma, Colorado to Lloyd J. and Nellie (nee Atkinson) Lane on August 20, 1925; he served as a Tech Artillery Sergeant in the United States Army during World War II in France and Germany; he married Betty Lou Voight on June 6, 1947; he graduated from Nebraska Wesleyan University, Garrett Theological Seminary, and took chaplain training at the Topeka State Mental Hospital, while being a Methodist minister in Kingston, Scales Mound, and Elizabeth, and Williamsburg, Kansas; and

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WHEREAS, Rev. Lane served as Chaplain at the Illinois Youth Commission and the Reception and Diagnostic Center for Delinquent Boys in Joliet for 30 years; he was instrumental in starting the Community Services Center, the Senior Services Center, and the Big Brothers of Will County; and

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WHEREAS, Rev. Lane served on numerous boards throughout Will County; he also volunteered at Saint Joseph Medical Center for over 10 years; and

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1 WHEREAS, Rev. Lane was preceded in death by his wife of 63
2 years, Betty; his grandson, Jeremy L. Lane; his
3 daughter-in-law, Mary Lane; and his parents; and

4 WHEREAS, Rev. Lane is survived by his children, Jerry (Jean
5 Evans), Sydney (Catherine), David, and Linda (Stephen)
6 Meister; his 11 grandchildren; and his 13 great-grandchildren;
7 therefore, be it

8 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL
9 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
10 Rev. Stanley G. Lane, and extend our sincere condolences to his
11 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
12 further

13 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
14 presented to the family of Rev. Lane as an expression of our
15 deepest sympathy.