Regular Session, 2010

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 199

BY REPRESENTATIVE LOPINTO

A RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of Ella May Kattengell Niemeyer of Metairie.

WHEREAS, it is with deep regret and profound sorrow that the members of the Louisiana House of Representatives have learned of the death of Ella May Kattengell Niemeyer of Metairie on Friday, June 18, 2010, at the age of eighty-two; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Niemeyer was widely respected and admired for her service to her loved ones and her community; and

WHEREAS, a native of New Orleans and a fifty-eight-year resident of Metairie, Mrs.

Niemeyer was a longtime teacher at St. Christopher School and volunteered for fifteen years at East Jefferson General Hospital; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Niemeyer was a woman whose generosity and loving heart have left an indelible mark on the many people whose lives she touched; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Niemeyer deserves recognition and posthumous gratitude for the joy and light that she brought to her community; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Niemeyer was preceded in death by her husband, Edward George Niemeyer, Jr., and her parents, Mary Miller and William Kattengell; she is survived by her children, Anita Miller and her husband Thomas, Phyllis D'Anna and her husband Ronald, and Sandra Niemeyer; her grandchildren, Troy Taillac, Todd Taillac, and Ashley Miller; and her great-granddaughter, Emily Taillac; and

WHEREAS, with the death of Mrs. Niemeyer, Louisiana has lost one of her finest citizens, and though her death has created a tremendous void in her community, she will forever remain an inspiration in the minds and hearts of all who knew and loved her.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the

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death of Ella May Kattengell Niemeyer of Metairie, does hereby recognize her outstanding achievements and singular contributions, does hereby record for posterity her extraordinary gifts and talents, and does hereby extend appreciation for her enduring legacy that will continue to be a source of great pride and honor for her family and friends, for Jefferson Parish, and for the state of Louisiana.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the family of Ella May Kattengell Niemeyer.

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES