SENATOR MILLER, R.

In memory of Gilbert Price.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 128th General Assembly of Ohio were deeply saddened to learn of the death of Gilbert Price and extend our heartfelt condolences to his family and friends; and

WHEREAS, Gilbert Price left an indelible impression on the people whose lives he touched, and he will be remembered as a spirited individual who contributed immeasurably to the State of Ohio, as well as the world around him. Over the years, he served in such roles as pastor of Mount Zion Apostolic Holiness Church, a managing editor, writer, and columnist for The Call and Post, a legislative aide for former State Representative John Thompson, coordinator of Ohio's equal employment opportunity program, chief of staff of the Ohio Senate Democratic Caucus, a public policy analyst on television programs, and a community activist; and

WHEREAS, Gilbert Price's regard for improving the quality of life in our society was clearly evident in his personal sacrifices of time and effort to his family, friends, and community. Giving generously of his energy and abilities in all of his endeavors, he displayed exceptional concern and insight, and his absence will be keenly felt; and

WHEREAS, A loving husband to his wife, Jesse, a devoted father to his seven children, and the proud grandfather of several grandchildren, Gilbert Price always used his talents to the benefit of others, and the laurels of his life stand as a tribute not only to him but also to those he left behind. Although the void his death has created can never be filled, the legacy of care and commitment he established will surely live on. It is certain that the world is a richer place for his having been in it, and he will be sorely missed; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 128th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, express a profound sense of loss and sincere regret at the death of Gilbert Price and, in so doing, pay tribute to the memory of a truly unique individual; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to the family of Gilbert Price.

I, Vincent L. Keeran, hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of Senate Resolution No. 261, adopted by the Ohio Senate, June 24, 2010.

Vincent L. Keeran Clerk of the Senate

Senator Bill Harris President of the Senate

Senator Ray Miller Senate District 15