

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 802

By Finney

A RESOLUTION to honor the memory of Marion Canale King Woodall.

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly were greatly saddened to learn of the passing of Marion Canale King Woodall; and

WHEREAS, Marion Canale King Woodall was an exemplary individual who worked assiduously to improve the quality of life for her fellow citizens in numerous capacities; and

WHEREAS, the daughter of Marion and John S. King, Jr., Marion Canale King Woodall was born in Memphis on December 18, 1934, graduated from Hutchison School, and attended Bennett College in New York; and

WHEREAS, active in her community, Mrs. Woodall was a member of the Memphis Garden Club, the Tuesday Study Club, the Memphis Hunt & Polo Club, and the Memphis Country Club, and she was a past president of the Children's Foundation; and

WHEREAS, Marion Canale King Woodall was deeply devoted to her family, and she always endeavored to remain true to family values of the highest order; and

WHEREAS, preceded in death by her beloved husband, Russell Dale Woodall, and her parents, she is survived by her two daughters and their spouses, Estelle Woodall Harris and husband Rhett, and Marion Woodall Bonds and husband Tom, and her three treasured grandchildren, Andrew Dale Harris, Joseph Canale Harris, and Russell Woodall Bonds; and

WHEREAS, she will be fondly remembered by her sister and brother-in-law, Estelle King Sheahan and husband John, her brother, John S. King III, and six nieces and nephews, John P. Sheahan, Jr., Kevin Sheahan, Whitfield Sheahan, John S. King IV, Robert W. King, and Lele King Fallon; and

WHEREAS, Marion Canale King Woodall leaves behind an indelible legacy of integrity, compassion, and dedication in all her chosen endeavors; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that this General Assembly should pause to remember the bountiful life of this exceptional citizen and human being; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we honor the memory of Marion Canale King Woodall, reflecting fondly upon her impeccable character and her stalwart commitment to living the examined life with courage and conviction.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we express our sympathy and offer our condolences to the family of Marion Canale King Woodall.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.