

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 830

By Kelsey

A RESOLUTION to honor the memory of Clint W. McCollum of Germantown.

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly were greatly saddened to learn of the untimely passing of Clint W. McCollum; and

WHEREAS, Clint McCollum was a loving son and brother and a loyal, funny, and fierce friend who impacted countless lives in his nineteen years on this earth; and

WHEREAS, the son of Bill and Melissa McCollum, Clint McCollum was born on October 10, 2000, in Charlotte, North Carolina, and he and his family moved to Tennessee when he was eleven months old; and

WHEREAS, growing up in Germantown, he played lacrosse through elementary, middle, and high school; he also enjoyed skateboarding, and he could often be found at the Dust Bowl behind Houston High School; and

WHEREAS, Mr. McCollum was a student in Southwest Community College's automotive program in preparation for a career as a mechanic; shortly before his death, he had acquired a 1970 International Scout to fix up in his spare time; and

WHEREAS, Clint McCollum was a devout Christian who shared his love for the Lord on mission trips to Guatemala, Mexico, and Uganda; closer to home, he and his family volunteered at Calvary Rescue Mission; and

WHEREAS, left to cherish his memory are his parents, Bill and Melissa McCollum; his sister, Amber McCollum; his dog, Lucy; and a host of extended family and dear friends; and

WHEREAS, Clint McCollum's time on earth was far too brief, but he inspired his family, friends, and community through his work ethic and his welcoming personality, and we are grateful that his life touched ours; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED ELEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we honor the memory of Clint W. McCollum, reflecting fondly upon his impeccable character and his 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 and friends of Mr. McCollum.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.