

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 845

By Gresham

A RESOLUTION to honor the memory of Ruth R. Moore of Selmer.

WHEREAS, we were greatly saddened to learn of the passing of Ruth R. Moore; and

WHEREAS, born on June 9, 1912, to James Edgar and Lillie Morrison Reaves Moore, Ruth Moore was an exemplary public servant and consummate professional who worked assiduously to improve the quality of life for her fellow citizens in numerous capacities; and

WHEREAS, she served with acumen and alacrity at Shoe Factory V, where she earned the respect of her peers and superiors alike for the exemplary quality of her work; and

WHEREAS, Ruth Moore was an active and devout member of Selmer Second Baptist Church, which she served faithfully for many years; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Moore was also deeply devoted to her family, and she always endeavored to remain true to family values of the highest order; and

WHEREAS, she is survived by three daughters, Brenda Cook, Doris Choate, and Juanita Ackley; ten grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; eight great-great-grandchildren; and a host of extended family and close friends; and

WHEREAS, in addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by a daughter, Donna K. Kiser; a son, W. Larry Moore; four sisters, Oline Henson, Eddie Lou Moore, Carlene Jordan, and Minnie Joe Enoch; and two brothers, Virgil Lee Moore and James Clifford Moore; and

WHEREAS, Ruth Moore leaves behind an indelible legacy of integrity and probity in public life, compassion and loyalty in private life, and diligence and dedication in all her chosen endeavors; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that we should pause to remember the bountiful life of this exceptional public servant and human being; 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 Ruth R. Moore, 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 Mrs. Moore.

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.