

118TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

# S. RES. 731

Honoring the memory of the victims of the heinous attack at the Pulse nightclub on June 12, 2016.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JUNE 12, 2024

Mr. SCOTT of Florida (for himself and Mr. RUBIO) submitted the following resolution; which was considered and agreed to

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## RESOLUTION

Honoring the memory of the victims of the heinous attack at the Pulse nightclub on June 12, 2016.

Whereas, on June 12, 2016, a gunman inspired by the Islamic State of Iraq and Syria targeted the Pulse nightclub in Orlando, Florida, where he killed 49 innocent victims and wounded dozens more in a despicable attack;

Whereas the attack at the Pulse nightclub was an attack on the LGBTQ community, the Hispanic community, the City of Orlando, the State of Florida, and the United States;

Whereas the Orlando community continues to mourn the tragic loss of life but has demonstrated remarkable strength, unity, and resilience in the aftermath of the horrendous event;

Whereas June 12 is designated as “Pulse Remembrance Day” in the State of Florida to honor the victims and survivors of the senseless attack;

Whereas the people of the United States continue to pray for those affected by the tragedy; and

Whereas June 12, 2024, marks 8 years since the lives of the 49 innocent victims were tragically cut short by this senseless act of terrorism: Now, therefore, be it

1       *Resolved*, That the Senate—

2               (1) commemorates the 49 innocent victims  
3       killed in the attack at the Pulse nightclub in Or-  
4       lando, Florida, on June 12, 2016, and offers heart-  
5       felt condolences to the families, loved ones, and  
6       friends of the victims;

7               (2) honors the dozens of survivors of the attack  
8       and pledges continued resolve to stand against ter-  
9       rorism and hate; and

10              (3) expresses gratitude to the brave law en-  
11       forcement and emergency medical personnel who re-  
12       sponded to the attack.

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