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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The family and friends of Tonja Geanice Fields of  
2 Hooks suffered an immeasurable loss with her passing on May 31,  
3 2023, at the age of 58; and

4 WHEREAS, The daughter of Harold and Ouidamae Neal, the former  
5 Tonja Neal was born in Texarkana on June 11, 1964, and she grew up  
6 with the companionship of two siblings, Joey and Ranay; and

7 WHEREAS, Mrs. Fields enjoyed a rewarding career with the  
8 Hooks Independent School District that spanned more than three  
9 decades; a woman of deep faith, she was also a dedicated member of  
10 Landmark Pentecostal Church for over 50 years; and

11 WHEREAS, In all her endeavors, Mrs. Fields enjoyed the love  
12 and support of her husband, Jay, with whom she shared nearly four  
13 decades; she was a devoted mother to her three children, Casey,  
14 Chad, and Miranda, and she delighted in becoming "Nonna" to her six  
15 grandchildren, Nicholas, Jace, Cason, Annabella, Noah, and Hudson;  
16 and

17 WHEREAS, Although she will be deeply missed, the passage of  
18 time will never diminish the joy and love that Tonja Fields brought  
19 into the lives of all who knew her; now, therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the Senate of the 88th Texas Legislature, 1st  
21 Called Session, hereby pay tribute to the memory of Tonja Geanice  
22 Fields and extend heartfelt sympathy to the members of her family:  
23 to her husband, Jay Fields; to her children, Casey Fields and his  
24 wife, Natasha, Chad Fields and his wife, Alyssa, and Miranda Bowman

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1 and her husband, Tyler; to her grandchildren, Nicholas, Jace,  
2 Cason, Annabella, and Noah Fields, and Hudson Bowman; to her  
3 brother, Joey Neal; to her sister, Ranay Ballan; and to her many  
4 other relatives and friends; and, be it further

5         RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
6 prepared for her family and that when the Texas Senate adjourns this  
7 day, it do so in memory of Tonja Fields.