

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, A life lived with joy and purpose drew to a close  
2 with the passing of Jean Ellen Schwiening Jacoby of Junction on  
3 September 7, 2023, at the age of 79; and

4           WHEREAS, Born in Sherman on October 4, 1943, the former Jean  
5 Schwiening was the daughter of Alfred Schwiening Jr. and Sara  
6 Schwiening; she graduated from high school at the age of 16 and went  
7 to finishing school before attending Austin College, where she  
8 graduated with a degree in English and history; she later obtained  
9 her master's degree in counseling at Angelo State University; and

10           WHEREAS, Mrs. Jacoby enjoyed a rewarding career in education  
11 that spanned three decades, teaching in Connecticut, South  
12 Carolina, Texas, and Poland; beloved by her students, she retired  
13 as a counselor at Junction High School; and

14           WHEREAS, In all her endeavors, Mrs. Jacoby benefited from the  
15 love and support of her husband, Ray Jacoby, until his passing; she  
16 took great pride in her three children, Alfred, Bryan, and Ashley,  
17 and her two stepchildren, Jana and Randa, and with the passing  
18 years, her treasured family grew to include numerous grandchildren  
19 and great-grandchildren; she took pleasure in traveling with her  
20 husband and friends and in cooking and volunteering in the  
21 community; and

22           WHEREAS, Although Jean Jacoby is greatly missed, memories of  
23 her vibrant personality, her wit, and her devotion to her loved ones  
24 remain to inspire those she leaves behind, and she will forever hold

1 a special place in the hearts of all those who were fortunate enough  
2 to know her; now, therefore, be it

3         RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 88th Texas  
4 Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby pay tribute to the life of  
5 Jean Ellen Schwiening Jacoby and extend heartfelt condolences to  
6 the members of her family: to her children, Alfred Campbell and his  
7 wife, Sara, Bryan Campbell and his wife, Brandy, and Ashley Craig  
8 and her husband, Dwayne; to her stepchildren, Jana Pridemore and  
9 her husband, Shane, and Randa Jacoby; to her grandchildren,  
10 Michele, Charlie, Nick, Nelson, Al, Anna-Kate, and Abigail; to her  
11 step-grandchildren, Brittany, Lindsey, Bannon, and Jacy; to her  
12 great-grandchildren; to her sister, Clara St. Clair; and to her  
13 other relatives and friends; and, be it further

14         RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
15 prepared for her family and that when the Texas House of  
16 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Jean  
17 Jacoby.

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H.R. No. 53

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 53 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on November 1, 2023.

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Chief Clerk of the House