

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Words cannot adequately express the heartache felt  
2 by the family and friends of Alexandria Aniyah Rubio of Uvalde, who  
3 passed away on May 24, 2022, at the age of 10; and

4           WHEREAS, Alexandria Rubio, who was affectionately known as  
5 "Lexi," was born in Hondo on October 20, 2011, to Kimberly  
6 Mata-Rubio and Felix Rubio; she shared a loving bond with her two  
7 sisters, Jahleela and Kalisa, and her three brothers, Julian,  
8 David, and Isaiah, and she drew on the support of a large extended  
9 family that included her grandparents, great-grandparents, aunts,  
10 uncles, and cousins; and

11           WHEREAS, An athletic and energetic fourth-grader, Alexandria  
12 inherited her father's passion for playing softball and basketball;  
13 they devoted many hours to their one-on-one practice sessions, and  
14 Lexi relished the experience of winning a championship with her  
15 youth basketball team last season; she also drew inspiration from  
16 her mother, who was pursuing a degree from St. Mary's University in  
17 San Antonio, and she hoped to one day enroll at the university  
18 herself to study mathematics then attend law school; and

19           WHEREAS, Alexandria cherished the time she spent with her  
20 family and friends, and some of her favorite activities included  
21 baking cookies with her great-grandmother, exchanging jokes with  
22 her loved ones, and curling up on the couch with a book; though she  
23 possessed a sarcastic wit, she was also caring and generous, and she  
24 had a beautiful smile that naturally progressed into hearty

1 laughter whenever she was around her siblings; and

2 WHEREAS, Alexandria Rubio was a source of immense joy to  
3 everyone in her life, and although her loss is tremendously  
4 difficult to bear, her memory will forever be treasured by all who  
5 were blessed to know her; now, therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 88th Texas  
7 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Alexandria Aniyah  
8 Rubio and extend sincere condolences to the members of her family:  
9 to her parents, Kimberly Mata-Rubio and Felix Rubio; to her  
10 siblings, Julian Rubio, Jahleela Rubio, David Falcon III, Kalisa  
11 Barboza, and Isaiah Rodriguez; to her aunt, Analyse Mata, and her  
12 uncle, Brandon Mendoza Sr.; to her cousins, Brandon Mendoza Jr.,  
13 Derek Mendoza, and Mary-Claire Mendoza; to her grandparents, Cindy  
14 Castillo and her husband, Victor, Ruben F. Mata and his wife,  
15 Larisa, and Connie and Luis "Chacho" Rubio; to her  
16 great-grandparents, Mary and Ruben Mata, Margie and Julian Moreno,  
17 Oralia Orona and Trini Gutierrez, and Jesse and Maxine Martinez; to  
18 her numerous great-aunts, great-uncles, and cousins; to her best  
19 friend, Sarah; and to the countless others in Uvalde and beyond who  
20 mourn her passing; and, be it further

21 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
22 prepared for her family and that when the Texas House of  
23 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Alexandria  
24 Rubio.

King of Uvalde

H.R. No. 1383

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1383 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on May 2, 2023.

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Chief Clerk of the House