

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, The family of Sergeant Edward John Anguiano of Los  
2           Fresnos has sustained an enormous loss with the death of this  
3           courageous soldier, whose life was tragically cut short at the age  
4           of 24; and

5           WHEREAS, Support specialist Anguiano was with a group of  
6           soldiers from the 507th Maintenance Company that was ambushed by  
7           Iraqi troops on March 23, 2003, near the city of Nasiriyah; a  
8           mechanic with Company A of the 3rd Infantry Forward Support  
9           Battalion, he was based in Fort Stewart, Georgia, before his  
10          deployment to the Persian Gulf; and

11          WHEREAS, This outstanding South Texan was a 1998 graduate of  
12          Hanna High School in Brownsville, where he was a member of the ROTC  
13          program; he impressed instructors and classmates alike as a  
14          soft-spoken, highly motivated, and well-disciplined student of  
15          immense character and commitment; and

16          WHEREAS, Our state and our nation are fortunate to have young  
17          men and women whose love of country leads them to military service,  
18          yet the death of this exemplary young man is a sobering reminder  
19          that armed conflict is not without great and terrible cost; the  
20          passing of Sergeant Anguiano is a tremendous loss to the family,  
21          friends, and fellow soldiers he leaves behind, and his sacrifice in  
22          the meritorious service of his nation will not soon be forgotten;  
23          now, therefore, be it

24          RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas

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1 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Sergeant Edward John  
2 Anguiano, United States Army, and extend profound sympathy to the  
3 members of his family: to his mother, San Juanita Anguiano; to his  
4 sisters, Becky and Jennifer; and to his other relatives and many  
5 friends and colleagues; and, be it further

6         RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
7 prepared for the members of his family and that when the Texas  
8 House of Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of  
9 U.S. Army Sergeant Edward John Anguiano.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1041 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on May 7, 2003.

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Chief Clerk of the House