

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, The tragedy of a young life cut short is a sobering  
2 reminder of the fragility of life and the brevity of our time on  
3 this earth, and it is with deep sorrow that we join in mourning the  
4 passing of Michael Ryan Davis of La Grange, who died on April 21,  
5 2005, at the age of 26; and

6           WHEREAS, Born on October 15, 1978, in Alexandria, Virginia,  
7 to Larry and Linda Davis, Mikey Davis was a talented athlete who  
8 played second base for the Fayetteville High School Lions baseball  
9 team and helped capture the 1997 Conference A State Baseball  
10 Championship; and

11           WHEREAS, Previously employed as a lineman for Reliant Energy  
12 in Houston, he worked for the Lower Colorado River Authority for the  
13 past four years; and

14           WHEREAS, A Baptist by faith, the quiet-natured individual  
15 enjoyed the friendship and affection of a close-knit group of  
16 admirers who enjoyed his quick wit; and

17           WHEREAS, Although his passing is a wound that only time may  
18 heal, his spirit will continue to shine brightly in the hearts of  
19 all those fortunate enough to have known him; now, therefore, be it

20           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas  
21 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Michael Ryan Davis and  
22 extend sincere sympathy to the members of his family: to his son,  
23 Ryan Davis; to his son's mother, Tracie Ortiz; to his mother, Linda  
24 Davis; to his grandmother, La Rue Rombs; to his sister, Tina Davis

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1 Cazares; to his brother and sister-in-law, Marc and Allyson Davis;  
2 to his fiancée, Tabitha Rose; to his nieces and nephews, Shawn,  
3 Steven, and Megan Davis and Alex and Sophia Cazares; and to all who  
4 mourn his passing; and, be it further

5       RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
6 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of  
7 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Michael  
8 Ryan Davis.

Cook of Colorado

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1654 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on May 25, 2005.

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Chief Clerk of the House