

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, A life marked by commendable service to his country  
2 and community drew to a close with the passing of World War II  
3 veteran Norman Randle of Eastland on October 29, 2001; and

4           WHEREAS, Born on June 29, 1917, in Edgewood, Mr. Randle was  
5 raised in Van Zandt County; he married his first wife, the former  
6 Pinkie Love, as a young man, and they lived in Eastland and Ranger;  
7 and

8           WHEREAS, In 1942, Mr. Randle enlisted in the U.S. Army and  
9 became a member of the 24th Infantry Division, 647th Ordnance; his  
10 tour of duty in World War II included service in Europe, New Guinea,  
11 the Philippines, and Australia, and he was among the troops who  
12 occupied Japan after its surrender; he was awarded the  
13 Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Medal with Arrowhead device and the World  
14 War II Victory Ribbon; and

15           WHEREAS, After returning from his military service, Mr.  
16 Randle was employed by the Premier Oil Company until it closed and  
17 then worked for Ranger College for 20 years; a man of faith, he was a  
18 valued member of St. Paul Baptist Church in Ranger, where he was a  
19 deacon for 34 years; after Pinkie Randle passed away, Mr. Randle  
20 married Ledell King in 1990, and the couple moved to Eastland, where  
21 they shared 11 happy years together; and

22           WHEREAS, A loyal friend to many and a devoted companion to his  
23 loved ones, Norman Randle will be deeply missed, but he will always  
24 be remembered with great admiration and affection; now, therefore,

1 be it

2           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas  
3 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Norman Randle and  
4 extend sincere sympathy to his wife, Ledell Randle, and to his other  
5 relatives and friends; and, be it further

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

Keffer

Craddick	Gattis	Miles
Allen	Geren	Miller
Alonzo	Giddings	Moreno
Anchia	Gonzales	Morrison
Anderson	Gonzalez Toureilles	Mowery
Aycock	Goolsby	Murphy
Bailey	Guillen	Naishtat
Berman	Haggerty	Noriega
Bohac	Hamilton	O'Day
Bolton	Hancock	Oliveira
Bonnen	Hardcastle	Olivo
Branch	Harless	Orr
Brown of Kaufman	Harper-Brown	Ortiz, Jr.
Brown of Brazos	Hartnett	Otto
Burnam	Heflin	Parker
Callegari	Hernandez	Patrick
Castro	Herrero	Paxton
Chavez	Hilderbran	Pena
Chisum	Hill	Phillips
Christian	Hochberg	Pickett
Cohen	Hodge	Pierson
Coleman	Homer	Pitts
Cook of Navarro	Hopson	Puente
Cook of Colorado	Howard of Fort Bend	Quintanilla
Corte	Howard of Travis	Raymond
Crabb	Hughes	Riddle
Creighton	Isett	Ritter
Crownover	Jackson	Rodriguez
Darby	Jones	Rose
Davis of Harris	Keffer	Smith of Tarrant
Davis of Dallas	King of Parker	Smith of Harris
Delisi	King of Taylor	Smithee
Deshotel	King of Zavala	Solomons
Driver	Kolkhorst	Strama
Dukes	Krusee	Straus
Dunnam	Kuempel	Swinford
Dutton	Latham	Talton
Eiland	Laubenberg	Taylor
Eissler	Leibowitz	Thompson
Elkins	Lucio III	Truitt
England	Macias	Turner
Escobar	Madden	Van Arsdale
Farabee	Mallory Caraway	Vaught
Farias	Martinez	Veasey
Farrar	Martinez Fischer	Villarreal
Flores	McCall	Vo
Flynn	McClendon	West
Frost	McReynolds	Woolley
Gallego	Menendez	Zedler
Garcia	Merritt	Zerwas

H.R. No. 847

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 847 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on March 28, 2007.

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Chief Clerk of the House