

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, No words can soften the pain of a young life cut
2 short, and we join the family of Emilio Gonzales of Lockhart in
3 mourning the death of this beloved little boy; and

4 WHEREAS, Born on November 3, 2005, Emilio captured the
5 attention and hearts of citizens across our state and nation as he
6 battled the rare terminal illness that ultimately claimed his life;
7 and

8 WHEREAS, During his all-too-brief time on this earth, Emilio
9 was well-loved and nurtured by his devoted mother, Catarina
10 Gonzales, who fought bravely for her son and asked only that he be
11 allowed to live until the Lord was ready to take him home; that day
12 came for Emilio on May 19, 2007, when he left the loving embrace of
13 his mother to bask in the love of God; and

14 WHEREAS, Though it is difficult to understand why this
15 innocent child was born with such severe disabilities, may his
16 family find comfort in God's immense love for Emilio and for them;
17 secure in the knowledge that he no longer suffers, may they also
18 find solace in the prayers and kind wishes of the many individuals
19 throughout the country who share in their sorrow; now, therefore,
20 be it

21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
22 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Emilio Gonzales and
23 extend deepest sympathy to his mother, Catarina Gonzales, and to
24 all those who mourn his passing; and, be it further

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1 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
2 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
3 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Emilio
4 Gonzales.

Hughes
Rose
Rodriguez
Parker
Turner

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

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2948 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on May 28, 2007.

Chief Clerk of the House