

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 506

In Memory
of
Gussie M. Jones

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas honors and commemorates the life of Captain Gussie M. Jones, who died March 7, 2004, at the age of 41 while serving her country in Iraq; and

WHEREAS, Captain Jones was assigned to the army's 31st Combat Support Hospital, based out of Fort Bliss; she died in the Baghdad hospital where she worked as a surgical nurse; and

WHEREAS, She had served at the William Beaumont Army Medical Center's Intensive Care Unit, where she was known for being maternal and caring to the nurses with whom she worked; and

WHEREAS, Our nation is fortunate to have men and women whose love for their country inspires them to take up military service, and Captain Jones embodied the highest ideals of the United States Army; and

WHEREAS, Captain Jones demonstrated unwavering resolve and courage in the performance of her duties, and she will long be remembered for her generous spirit and her many accomplishments; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 80th Legislature, hereby pay tribute to the life of Captain Gussie M. Jones and extend sincere condolences to all those who mourn her passing; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for the members of her family as an expression of deepest sympathy

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from the Texas Senate, and that when the Senate adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Captain Gussie M. Jones.

Shapleigh

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Hinojosa
Jackson
Janek
Lucio
Nelson
Nichols
Ogden
Patrick

Seliger
Shapiro
Uresti
Van de Putte
Watson
Wentworth
West
Whitmire
Williams
Zaffirini

Dewhurst, President of the Senate

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on March 19, 2007, by a rising vote.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate