

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1142

In Memory
of
Sara Alvarez Canchola

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas joins the citizens of Austin in mourning the loss of Sara Alvarez Canchola, who died February 20, 2007, at the age of 89; and

WHEREAS, She was born in Kingsville on December 15, 1917; she was married to the late Victorino R. Canchola for 46 years, and the couple was blessed with two children; they moved from Corpus Christi to Austin in 1981 to live near their daughter; and

WHEREAS, In Austin, Sara Canchola worked for the Austin Independent School District as a bus monitor for disabled children; after her retirement, she lived with her daughter, who lovingly cared for her for 11 years; and

WHEREAS, She was a member of Beacon Ridge Baptist Church and she touched many people with her devout faith, her unwavering courage, and her selfless devotion to her family; and

WHEREAS, A dearly loved mother and grandmother, she was an inspiration to all who knew her, and her family and friends will long remember her endless patience, her unconditional love, and her warmth and kindness; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 80th Legislature, hereby extend sincere condolences to the bereaved family of Sara Alvarez Canchola: her daughter, Maria Canchola; her son and daughter-in-law, Dr. Samuel Victor Canchola and Cindy Canchola; her five grandchildren, David Canchola, Dr. Daniel Canchola, Jennifer Weeks, Monica Canchola, and Peyton Canchola; and her five great-grandchildren; 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 from the Texas Senate, and that when the Senate adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Sara Alvarez Canchola.

Watson

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on May 24, 2007, by a rising vote.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate