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RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Family and friends were greatly saddened by the
- 2 passing of Barbara Ann Neal McLaughlin of Uvalde on November 11,
- 3 2008, at the age of 70; and
- WHEREAS, Born on November 9, 1938, in Austin, the former
- 5 Barbara Neal was the daughter of Bart and Mary Neal and enjoyed the
- 6 companionship of a sister, Millo, and a brother, B. D.; and
- WHEREAS, She exchanged vows with Donald E. McLaughlin, Sr.,
- 8 on July 9, 1957, at a ceremony held in Taylor, and together they
- 9 shared a loving marriage that spanned more than half a century; the
- 10 devoted couple experienced the joy of raising 3 children, and with
- 11 the passing years, their family grew to include 10 grandchildren
- 12 and 3 great-grandchildren; and
- WHEREAS, Mrs. McLaughlin was a parishioner at St. Philip's
- 14 Episcopal Church, where she took an active role in its chapter of
- 15 Daughters of the King; and
- 16 WHEREAS, A kind and gracious woman, Barbara McLaughlin will
- 17 forever hold a treasured place in the hearts of all those who were
- 18 fortunate enough to share in her love and friendship; now,
- 19 therefore, be it
- 20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
- 21 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Barbara Ann Neal
- 22 McLaughlin and extend sincere sympathy to the members of her
- 23 family: to her husband, Donald E. McLaughlin, Sr.; to her children,
- 24 Connie Tidwell and her husband, Walter, Bart Neal McLaughlin and

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- 1 his wife, Jan, and Don McLaughlin, Jr., and his wife, Karen; to her
- 2 grandchildren, Barton, Hunter, Wilkins, Mac, and Backor
- 3 McLaughlin, Steven and Maggie McNew, Emily, Milo, and Justin
- 4 Tidwell and his wife, Krissy; to her great-grandchildren, Brook,
- 5 Riley, and Ashlyn Tidwell; to her brother, B. D. Neal; and to her
- 6 other relatives and friends; and, be it further
- 7 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 8 prepared for her family and that when the Texas House of
- 9 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Barbara Ann
- 10 Neal McLaughlin.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1185 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on April 16, 2009.

Chief Clerk of the House