

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 361

In Memory  
of  
Salvadore Rios Hernandez, Sr.

**WHEREAS,** The Senate of the State of Texas joins the citizens of San Antonio in mourning the loss of Salvadore Rios Hernandez, Sr., who died recently at the age of 80; and

**WHEREAS,** Salvadore R. Hernandez was born June 22, 1928, in Ohio; he served the nation for 20 years in the United States Air Force, retiring at the rank of technical sergeant; and

**WHEREAS,** Following his retirement from military service, Mr. Hernandez worked in civil service for many years at Kelly Air Force Base, Lackland Air Force Base, and Fort Sam Houston; and

**WHEREAS,** Mr. Hernandez was active in numerous civic and community organizations, taking particular pleasure in his work with the Boys and Girls Clubs of San Antonio; he was a vital part of the Golden Gloves Boxing Tournament for nearly 40 years; and

**WHEREAS,** A man of courage, strength, and compassion, Mr. Hernandez had an exemplary work ethic and gave unselfishly to others, and his kindness and generosity will not be forgotten by those who knew him; and

**WHEREAS,** He was a devoted husband, father, and grandfather, and his family and friends will continue to live with the cherished memories of his life and his many accomplishments; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED,** That the Senate of the State of Texas, 81st Legislature, hereby extend sincere condolences to the bereaved family of Salvadore Rios Hernandez, Sr.: his loving wife of 50 years, Frances M. Hernandez; his daughters and sons-in-law,

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Esperanza and Carlos Rodriguez, Consuelo and Armando Hernandez, and Margarita and Kent Martinez; his sons and daughter-in-law, Salvadore M. Hernandez, Jr., Steven and Velma Hernandez, and Daniel Hernandez; his brothers, Jesus, Alex, Ruben, and Ricardo Hernandez; his sister, Mary Louise Wilson; and his 12 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for his 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 Salvadore Rios Hernandez, Sr.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on March 3, 2009, by a rising vote.

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Secretary of the Senate

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Member, Texas Senate