## SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 553 In Memory of Kathleen Moore Cullum

WHEREAS, Memories of a life filled with joyful times and meaningful accomplishments remain to comfort the family and friends of Kathleen Moore Cullum of Dallas, who passed away on March 11, 2009, at the age of 89; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Cullum was born in Sabinal on July 2, 1919, to Clara and Walter Moore; she earned a bachelor's degree in art from Southern Methodist University, where she was president of Tri Delta sorority; it was also at Southern Methodist University that she met her future husband, George Cullum, Jr., on a blind date; the couple were married in 1942 and were later blessed with three children; and

WHEREAS, A well-respected member of her community, Mrs. Cullum served on the board of the Dallas Woman's Club and was a member of the Dallas Country Club, Marianne Scruggs Garden Club, Mary K. Craig Class, Dallas Dinner Dance Club, and the Dallas Women of Rotary; appointed by Governor Dolph Briscoe to serve on the board of regents at Stephen F. Austin State University, she was also a valued congregant of Oak Lawn United Methodist Church, and she faithfully attended the Lillian Tate Sunday school class; and

WHEREAS, In her free time, she enjoyed cheering on her favorite Southern Methodist University sports teams and traveling the world with her family; and

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WHEREAS, Kathleen Cullum was a caring and gracious woman who is deeply missed, and she will long be fondly remembered for her radiant smile and her kind and generous spirit; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 81st Legislature, hereby pay tribute to the life of Kathleen Moore Cullum and extend deepest sympathy to the members of her family: to her husband of 67 years, George Cullum, Jr.; to her children, Linda and Ray Tunnell, Mark and Sally Cullum, and Philip and Dale Cullum; to her grandchildren, Jim and Wendy, Christian and Becky, Carolina, Susannah, Leigh and Jason, Beth and Buddy, George and Allie, and Callie; to her great-grandchildren, Cullum, Kamryn, and George; and to her other relatives and many friends; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, That an official copy of this Resolution be prepared for her family and that when the Texas Senate adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Kathleen Cullum.

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## President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on April 1, 2009, by a rising vote.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate