

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 706

In Memory  
of  
A. Gale Cornyn

**WHEREAS,** The Senate of the State of Texas joins the citizens of San Antonio in mourning the loss of A. Gale Cornyn, who died April 3, 2009, at the age of 87; and

**WHEREAS,** A. Gale Cornyn was born December 27, 1921, in Robstown; she met her husband, John, while he was stationed at the United States Naval Air Station in Corpus Christi, and the couple shared a loving marriage for more than four decades; and

**WHEREAS,** During Mr. Cornyn's 31-year career in the United States Air Force, the couple lived in many different locations throughout the world, including such postings as Frankfurt, Germany, Washington, D.C., and Tokyo, Japan; they retired in San Antonio in 1974; and

**WHEREAS,** Mrs. Cornyn possessed an independent spirit, and she was devoted to the pursuit of politics; she was a devout Christian who practiced her faith in her daily life; and

**WHEREAS,** A woman of courage, strength, and compassion, she gave generously to others, and her outgoing nature and enthusiasm for living each day to the fullest will not be forgotten by those who knew her; and

**WHEREAS,** A devoted wife, mother, and grandmother, she leaves behind memories that will be cherished forever by her family and many friends; now, therefore, be it

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**RESOLVED**, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 81st Legislature, hereby extend sincere condolences to the bereaved family of A. Gale Cornyn: her daughter, Olivia Diann; her sons and daughter-in-law, John and Sandy Cornyn and Mark Cornyn; and her grandchildren, Gabriel, Danley, and Haley; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for 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 A. Gale Cornyn.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on April 23, 2009, by a rising vote.

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Secretary of the Senate

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Member, Texas Senate