

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 767

In Memory  
of  
Tim Curry

**WHEREAS**, The Senate of the State of Texas honors and commemorates the life of longtime Tarrant County district attorney Tim Curry, who died April 24, 2009, at the age of 70; and

**WHEREAS**, Tim Curry was 33 years old when he became Tarrant County's top prosecutor in 1972; born in the small town of Tulia, he graduated from Texas Christian University and Baylor Law School and soon joined his father and brother in their Fort Worth law firm; and

**WHEREAS**, He became involved with politics when trying to find a candidate for the district attorney's office then known for widespread corruption; when his candidate backed out, Mr. Curry accepted the challenge himself, and while he would go on to win every subsequent election, he had a longstanding reputation for his ability to keep politics out of the district attorney's office; and

**WHEREAS**, Tim Curry was admired and respected for his legal expertise, his unassuming personality, and his high ethical standards; he won praise for his straightforward and sincere approach in fulfilling the demands of his office; in 2007, he received the Blackstone Award, the Tarrant County Bar Association's highest honor; and

**WHEREAS**, He was a devoted husband, father, and son, and he leaves behind memories that will be treasured forever by his family and his 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 Tim Curry: his wife, Jan; his daughter, Beth; his son, Cullen; and his mother, Rae; 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 Tim Curry.

Nelson, Davis, Harris

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on April 29, 2009, by a rising vote.

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Secretary of the Senate

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Member, Texas Senate

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