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H.R. No. 223

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The certain knowledge of a life well lived may  
2 temper the profound sadness felt by the loved ones of David Walker,  
3 who died on January 7, 2011, at the age of 59; and

4 WHEREAS, "Lee" Walker was born in Austin on January 27, 1951,  
5 to Odis and Nelda Walker; as a young man, he loved playing sports,  
6 especially baseball; he graduated from Reagan High School in 1969;  
7 and

8 WHEREAS, Pursuing an interest in aviation, Mr. Walker trained  
9 as a pilot at Central Texas College, earning his associate's degree  
10 in applied science in 1972; he went on to join his family's  
11 business, Walker Tire Company, in Austin, where he worked for  
12 nearly 40 years; and

13 WHEREAS, Mr. Walker enjoyed spending time with his family and  
14 friends, and he delighted in telling humorous stories about his  
15 hunting and fishing exploits; a resident of Dripping Springs, he  
16 was an active member of Wimberley Church of Christ; and

17 WHEREAS, This devoted husband and father will be deeply  
18 missed, but the generosity, loyalty, and unconditional love he  
19 exhibited toward others will forever inspire all who had the good  
20 fortune to know him; now, therefore, be it

21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas  
22 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of David "Lee" Walker and  
23 extend sincere condolences to the members of his family: to his  
24 wife, Sue Walker; to his parents, Odis and Nelda Walker; to his son,

1 David Walker, and his wife, Julie; to his daughter, Emily Chumchal,  
2 and her husband, Matt; to his brothers, Wayne Walker and his wife,  
3 Regan, and Roy Walker; to his grandchildren, Tate and Grant Walker  
4 and Ella and Lily Chumchal; to his nephew Nate Walker and his many  
5 other relatives and friends; and, be it further

6         RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
7 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of  
8 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in honor of David "Lee"  
9 Walker.