

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Family and friends are mourning the loss of Lon
2 Felts, Jr., of Uvalde, who died on January 17, 2011, at the age of
3 75; and

4 WHEREAS, Lon Felts, Jr., was born on a ranch in Edwards County
5 on June 11, 1935, to Lon and Lillie Wallace Felts; he graduated in
6 1954 from Barksdale High School, where he was a member of the
7 football team; after attending Texas College of Arts and Industries
8 in Kingsville for a semester, he answered his nation's call to duty,
9 serving as a paratrooper in the U.S. Army; and

10 WHEREAS, Mr. Felts married the former Cora Carter in 1960,
11 and through the years their family grew to include two children,
12 Cora and Lon, as well as four grandsons, Hayden, David, Nathan, and
13 Ian; and

14 WHEREAS, An enthusiastic outdoorsman, Mr. Felts worked for a
15 time as a trapper and later trained horses and raised cattle; he
16 moved to Uvalde in 1996 and raised Boer goats and Dorper sheep; he
17 took great pleasure in sharing his passion for hunting and the
18 outdoors with his loved ones; and

19 WHEREAS, Although Lon Felts will be deeply missed, cherished
20 memories of time spent in his company will long endure in the hearts
21 of all those who were privileged to know him; now, therefore, be it

22 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas
23 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Lon Felts, Jr., and
24 extend sincere condolences to the members of his family: to his wife

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1 of 50 years, Cora Felts; to his daughter, Cora Lynn Jasso, and her
2 husband, Jesus; to his son, Lon C. Felts, and his wife, Melissa; to
3 his grandsons, Hayden Felts and David, Nathan, and Ian Westmeyer;
4 to his brothers, Philip Felts, and his wife, Barbara, and William
5 Felts; and to his 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 memory of Lon Felts.

Gallego

Straus	Gonzales of Williamson	Morrison
Aliseda	Gonzalez	Munoz, Jr.
Allen	Gooden	Murphy
Alonzo	Guillen	Naishtat
Alvarado	Gutierrez	Nash
Anchia	Hamilton	Oliveira
Anderson of Dallas	Hancock	Orr
Anderson of McLennan	Hardcastle	Otto
Aycock	Harless	Parker
Beck	Harper-Brown	Patrick
Berman	Hartnett	Paxton
Bohac	Hernandez Luna	Pena
Bonnen	Hilderbran	Perry
Branch	Hochberg	Phillips
Brown	Hopson	Pickett
Burkett	Howard of Fort Bend	Pitts
Burnam	Howard of Travis	Price
Button	Huberty	Quintanilla
Cain	Hughes	Raymond
Callegari	Hunter	Reynolds
Carter	Isaac	Riddle
Castro	Jackson	Ritter
Chisum	Johnson	Rodriguez
Christian	Keffer	Schwertner
Coleman	King of Parker	Scott
Cook	King of Taylor	Sheets
Craddick	King of Zavala	Sheffield
Creighton	Kleinschmidt	Shelton
Crownover	Kolkhorst	Simpson
Darby	Kuempel	Smith of Harris
Davis of Dallas	Landtroop	Smith of Tarrant
J. Davis of Harris	Larson	Smithee
S. Davis of Harris	Laubenberg	Solomons
Deshotel	Lavender	Strama
Driver	Legler	Taylor of Collin
Dukes	Lewis	Taylor of Galveston
Dutton	Lozano	Thompson
Eiland	Lucio III	Torres
Eissler	Lyne	Truitt
Elkins	Madden	Turner
Farias	Mallory Caraway	Veasey
Farrar	Margo	Villarreal
Fletcher	Marquez	Vo
Flynn	Martinez	Walle
Frullo	Martinez Fischer	Weber
Gallego	McClendon	White
Garza	Menendez	Woolley
Geren	Miles	Workman
Giddings	Miller of Comal	Zedler
Gonzales of Hidalgo	Miller of Erath	Zerwas

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 489 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on March 3, 2011.

Chief Clerk of the House