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H.R. No. 945

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The untimely passing of Danny Duggan of Cherokee on
2 January 18, 2011, at the age of 59, brought a profound loss to his
3 community and many loved ones; and

4 WHEREAS, Danny Duggan was born in Pecos on September 3, 1951,
5 to Jerry and Mary Duggan; for much of his working life, he was
6 associated with the Cherokee Home for Children, which was founded
7 by the Cherokee Church of Christ in 1956; Mr. Duggan was a member of
8 the church and served as the home's director of development from
9 1982 to 1992; during that time, the organization expanded to
10 include more housing, a library, and a conference center; and

11 WHEREAS, Mr. Duggan returned to the Cherokee Home for
12 Children as executive director in 1998; he served in that capacity
13 until his death, taking an active interest in the lives of the
14 residents under his care; he was known for his warmth and compassion
15 and for the strong faith that informed every aspect of his life; and

16 WHEREAS, In all of his endeavors, he enjoyed the love and
17 support of his wife, Janiece, whom he married in 1970; together they
18 were blessed with four children, Kaci, Jerrod, Ryan, and Malcom,
19 and shared in the joy of welcoming six grandchildren into their
20 family; and

21 WHEREAS, A devoted husband and father and an inspiring
22 leader, Danny Duggan touched the hearts of countless people through
23 the years, and he leaves behind a legacy that will forever be
24 treasured by all those who knew and loved him; now, therefore, be it

1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas
2 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Danny Duggan and
3 extend sincere condolences to the members of his family: to his
4 wife, Janiece; to his children, Kaci Morrison and her husband,
5 Tommy, Jerrod Duggan and his wife, Kim, Ryan Duggan and his wife,
6 Laci, and Malcom Duggan; to his grandchildren, Talli and Tori
7 Morrison and Landon, Mason, Payton, and Preslee Duggan; to his
8 parents, Jerry and Mary Duggan; to his brothers, Dale Duggan and his
9 wife, Linda, and Tim Duggan and his wife, Jackie; to his foster son,
10 Jeff Presswood; to his foster grandson, Kevin Jones; and to his
11 other relatives and many friends; and, be it further

12 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
13 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
14 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Danny
15 Duggan.