

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, The certain knowledge of a life well lived may  
2 comfort those saddened by the death of Gilda Marie Gonzalez of El  
3 Paso on March 21, 2011, at the age of 58; and

4           WHEREAS, A native of Los Angeles, California, the former  
5 Gilda Pena was born on August 7, 1952, to Salvador and Amparo Pena;  
6 she earned a bachelor's and double master's degrees from The  
7 University of Texas at El Paso and went on to devote more than 35  
8 years to the students of the El Paso, Socorro, and Ysleta  
9 Independent School Districts as a counselor and speech pathologist;  
10 and

11           WHEREAS, In 1984, she married Edwin Gonzalez, with whom she  
12 shared many happy years and raised two children, Jeffrey and  
13 Natalie; she cherished the company of her loved ones, and in her  
14 free time she enjoyed solving puzzles, drawing, and singing; and

15           WHEREAS, Gilda Gonzalez was a mentor to many coworkers, and  
16 she inspired others with her kind and caring ways; she will forever  
17 be remembered with deep affection by all those who were privileged  
18 to know her; now, therefore, be it

19           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas  
20 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Gilda Marie Gonzalez  
21 and extend sincere sympathy to the members of her family: to her  
22 husband, Edwin Gonzalez; to her son, Jeffrey Gonzalez; to her  
23 daughter, Natalie Gonzalez; to her sister, Ruth Pena; and to her  
24 other relatives and friends; and, be it further

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1           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
2 prepared for her family and that when the Texas House of  
3 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Gilda Marie  
4 Gonzalez.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1103 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on April 14, 2011.

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Chief Clerk of the House