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H.R. No. 1821

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, A life made rich through meaningful service drew to
2 a close when Rhonda H. Picon of Plano passed away on February 27,
3 2010, at the age of 59; and

4 WHEREAS, Rhonda Picon was born on May 3, 1950; for more than
5 four decades, she shared her life with Deacon Arnold Picon, a
6 mechanical engineer, the director of the Diaconate Ministry of the
7 Diocese of Dallas, and a member of the Spanish ministry at St. Mark
8 the Evangelist Catholic Church in Plano; she was also the devoted
9 mother of two sons, Jeffrey and Gabriel; and

10 WHEREAS, Working alongside her husband, Mrs. Picon valued her
11 role assisting the wives of men in deacon formation; leading by
12 example, she helped them learn how to support their husbands in
13 their service to the Catholic Church, inspiring many with her
14 wisdom and experience; and

15 WHEREAS, Rhonda Picon's generosity of spirit and concern for
16 others were of tremendous value to all who had the good fortune to
17 know her, and memories of this beloved woman will forever endure in
18 their hearts; now, therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas
20 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Rhonda H. Picon and
21 extend sincere sympathy to the members of her family: to her
22 husband, Deacon Arnold Picon; to her sons, Jeffrey and Gabriel
23 Picon; and to her other relatives and friends; and, be it further

24 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

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1 prepared for her family and that when the Texas House of
2 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Rhonda
3 Picon.