## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Family and friends will long cherish their memories of Maria Emma Castro of Waco, who passed away on April 17, 2011, at the age of 88; and

WHEREAS, Born on February 26, 1923, in Rosebud to Francisco and Concha Rivera Segovia, the former Maria Segovia was one of eight children; she married Antonio Castro in Waco in 1944, and the couple welcomed two children into their family before his passing; and

WHEREAS, A retired seamstress, Mrs. Castro was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church and First Spanish Assembly of God and also participated with the Sociedad Mutualista Mexicana de Jornaleros; and

WHEREAS, Maria Castro lived a caring and purposeful life, and those who were privileged to share in the joy of her company will forever hold her close in their hearts; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas Legislature hereby pay tribute to the memory of Maria Emma Castro and extend sincere sympathy to the members of her family: to her children, Tony Castro and his wife, Renee LaSalle, and Dora Rodriguez and her husband, Pat Rodriguez; to her grandchildren, Angela Dawn Rodriguez, Robert Rodriguez, Trey LaSalle-Castro, and Ryan LaSalle-Castro; to her brother, Jesse Segovia and his wife, Modesta; to her sisters, Reyna Ursua and her husband, Luciano, and Lydia Perez; to her sister-in-law, Matilda Castro; and to her other relatives and friends; and, be it further

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2218 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on May 26, 2011.

Chief Clerk of the House

