

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, A full and generous life drew to a close with the
2 passing of Nell Yates Helka of Waco on April 17, 2011, at the age of
3 82; and

4 WHEREAS, Born in South Bosque on January 9, 1929, the former
5 Nell Yates was the daughter of Lawrence and Mary Yates; she shared a
6 rewarding relationship with her husband, Vincent George Helka, and
7 was a loving mother to her daughter, Jan, and her son, James; and

8 WHEREAS, Mrs. Helka was employed as a bookkeeper until her
9 retirement, and in her free time she enjoyed dancing; and

10 WHEREAS, Although Nell Helka will be deeply missed, cherished
11 memories of time spent in her company will long endure in the hearts
12 of her family and friends; now, therefore, be it

13 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas
14 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Nell Yates Helka and
15 extend sincere sympathy to the members of her family: to her
16 daughter, Jan Hopper; to her son, James E. Hopper, Jr., and his
17 wife, Sherry; and to her other relatives and friends; and, be it
18 further

19 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
20 prepared for her family and that when the Texas House of
21 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Nell Yates
22 Helka.

Anderson of McLennan

H.R. No. 2240

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2240 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on May 30, 2011.

Chief Clerk of the House