

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 884

In Memory
of
Janie Cuellar Salinas

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas honors and commemorates the life of Janie Cuellar Salinas, who died June 12, 2010, at the age of 43; and

WHEREAS, Janie Cuellar was born and raised in Weslaco; she graduated from Weslaco High School in 1985 and received a bachelor's degree from North Texas State University in 1989; and

WHEREAS, Janie excelled in everything she did; she was a hardworking and dedicated employee of various businesses and was very involved in politics, campaigning successfully for family members, including her husband, J. D. Salinas III, a former Hidalgo County Judge; and

WHEREAS, She was very active in the Saint Joseph Catholic Church in Edinburg and more recently at Holy Family Catholic Church in Fort Worth; she was a positive, outgoing, and cheerful woman and made friends easily; she had already established many friendships and a sense of community in her neighborhood in Fort Worth; and

WHEREAS, Janie enjoyed cooking and scrapbooking, but most of all, she enjoyed being a mother; she was deeply involved with her children's activities and participated in races for various organizations and in fundraising for Relay for Life; and

WHEREAS, Janie Salinas was a devoted wife, mother, and sister, and she leaves behind memories that will be treasured forever by her family and her many friends; now, therefore, be it

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RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 82nd Legislature, hereby pay tribute to the life of Janie Cuellar Salinas and extend sincere condolences to her bereaved family: her husband, J. D. Salinas III; her children, Nicholas, Samantha, Victoria, Gianna, and Gabriella; her brothers and sisters; and her nieces and nephews; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for her family as an expression of deepest sympathy from the Texas Senate, and that when the Senate adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Janie Cuellar Salinas.

Lucio, Hinojosa

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on May 2, 2011, by a rising vote.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate

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