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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Family and friends will long cherish their memories
2 of Olen Garrett Weishuhn of Wall, who passed away on October 7,
3 2011, at the age of 79; and

4 WHEREAS, The son of Jesse and Katherine Braden Weishuhn,
5 Mr. Weishuhn was born in Frelsburg on November 28, 1931; his family
6 moved to Wall in 1945, and six years later he began a lifelong
7 career in farming and ranching; his outstanding work was recognized
8 in the spring of 2011, when the soil and water conservation district
9 recognized him as the Tom Green Conservation Farmer of the Year; and

10 WHEREAS, Mr. Weishuhn married the love of his life, Merline
11 Michalewicz, in 1954, and their nearly six decades together were
12 made even richer by their fine family, which grew to include three
13 more generations; and

14 WHEREAS, An active figure in his community, Mr. Weishuhn was
15 a valued member of St. Ambrose Catholic Church in Wall and the
16 Knights of Columbus; he was an avid fisherman, and he enjoyed
17 cheering on his children and grandchildren in their sporting
18 activities, spending mornings at the cotton gin with friends, and
19 dancing; and

20 WHEREAS, Those fortunate enough to have known Olen Weishuhn
21 will remember the way he touched their lives with his welcoming
22 nature and jovial smile, and he will forever hold a treasured place
23 in their hearts; now, therefore, be it

24 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas

1 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Olen Garrett Weishuhn
2 and extend sincere sympathy to the members of his family: to his
3 wife, Merline Weishuhn; to his daughter, Lisa Weishuhn Edwards, and
4 her husband, David; to his sons, Darryl Weishuhn and his wife,
5 Carolyn, Clayton Weishuhn and his wife, Diane, Karl Weishuhn and
6 his wife, Charlotte, and Doyle Weishuhn and his wife, Michele; to
7 his grandchildren, Jacob Weishuhn, Marty Weishuhn, Zachary
8 Weishuhn, Katelyn Edwards Nicholson and her husband, Chris, Will
9 Edwards, Dr. Brandi Loomis and her husband, Evan, Shannon Eggemeyer
10 and her husband, Curtis, Lauren Weishuhn and her fiance Lance
11 Tissue, Trey Weishuhn and his wife Ashlee, Slade Weishuhn and his
12 wife Brianna, Chase Weishuhn, Paige Weishuhn, Hunter Weishuhn, and
13 McKaylee Weishuhn; to his great-grandchildren, Lane Whitesell and
14 Jackson Douglas Weishuhn; to his brother, Presley Weishuhn, and his
15 wife, Ethel; to his sister-in-law, Jerline Weishuhn; and to his
16 other relatives and many friends; and, be it further

17 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
18 prepared for the members of his family and that when the Texas House
19 of Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Olen
20 Weishuhn.