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RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Family and friends will long cherish their memories
- 2 of Abbie K. King of Aubrey, who passed away on March 14, 2013, at the
- 3 age of 98; and
- WHEREAS, A native of Aubrey, the former Abbie Wilson was born
- 5 on November 13, 1914, to Thomas and Jimmie Wilson; she came of age
- 6 during the Great Depression and was witness to many events that
- 7 shaped our nation's history; and
- 8 WHEREAS, She found a life partner in William Iley King, whom
- 9 she married on October 25, 1930, in Marietta, Oklahoma; the couple
- 10 had five children, Monroe, Jimmy, Gene Paul, Gaylon, and Lois, and
- 11 with the passing years, Mrs. King's family grew to include 16
- 12 grandchildren, 34 great-grandchildren, and 37
- 13 great-great-grandchildren; and
- 14 WHEREAS, Abbie King treasured the time she spent in the
- 15 company of her family and friends, and those she leaves behind will
- 16 in turn cherish their memories of this kind and caring woman; now,
- 17 therefore, be it
- RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
- 19 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Abbie K. King and
- 20 extend sincere sympathy to the members of her family: to her
- 21 children, Jimmy King and his wife, Lanessia, Gene Paul King and his
- 22 wife, Nancy, Gaylon King and his wife, Donna, and Lois Harmon and
- 23 her husband, L. Z.; to her grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and
- 24 great-great-grandchildren; to her sisters, Willie Mae Kruger and

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- 1 her husband, L. H., and Dorothy Brockett; to her sister-in-law,
- 2 Laura Hampton; and to her other relatives and friends; and, be it
- 3 further
- 4 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 5 prepared for her family and that when the Texas House of
- 6 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Abbie King.