

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 75

In Memory
of
Albert Byron Sibbet

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas honors and commemorates the life of Albert Byron Sibbet, who died January 9, 2013, at the age of 66; and

WHEREAS, Byron Sibbet was born October 30, 1945, in Fort Worth; he attended York Christian College and Abilene Christian University and earned a degree in business from McMurry University; he married Joan Hatfield in 1973 and the couple raised a daughter, Staci, who blessed them with a grandchild, Taylor; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Sibbet began his professional career with Hobbs Trailers in Fort Worth; he went on to work at Bell Helicopter and later joined the staff of Lockheed Martin; after his retirement, he obtained a real estate license and worked for Keller Williams Realty in Southlake; and

WHEREAS, He became interested in politics while still in high school, and he drew on that attraction later in life by running for and serving in elected office; he served as a city councilmember in North Richland Hills and was mayor pro tempore for a decade; he was president of Midcities Democrats and served as an election judge; and

WHEREAS, A man of courage, strength, and compassion, he gave unselfishly to others, and his wisdom, warmth, and valued counsel will not be forgotten by those who knew him; and

WHEREAS, He was a devoted husband, father, and grandfather, and he leaves behind memories that will be treasured forever by his family and many friends; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 83rd Legislature, hereby extend sincere condolences to the bereaved family of Albert Byron Sibbet; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for his 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 Albert Byron Sibbet.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on January 28, 2013, by a rising vote.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate