

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 783

In Memory  
of  
Bobbie Lucille Epperson Kilpatrick

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas honors and commemorates the life of Bobbie Lucille Epperson Kilpatrick, who died April 8, 2013, at the age of 89; and

WHEREAS, Bobbie Kilpatrick was born March 18, 1924, in Ryan, Oklahoma, and her family moved to Texas when she was a child; she graduated from Arlington Heights High School in 1942, and that summer, she met her life's love, Donald Lee Kilpatrick; they married the following year, just before he was summoned to serve in World War II; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Kilpatrick made Fort Worth their home, and over the years, they raised five sons; and

WHEREAS, Bobbie Kilpatrick was known throughout her life as a vivacious and generous soul, and she impressed virtually everyone she met with her easy smile and her joie de vivre; she had a passion for reading and was seldom seen without a book close at hand; she also took great satisfaction from volunteering at the First Street Mission, and she was deeply loved and respected by her friends in the Covenant Class at First United Methodist Church; and

WHEREAS, She was devoted to her family and very proud of her children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces, and nephews, and she spent countless happy hours in their company; she had many dear friends in the Fort Worth community, and they

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and the Kilpatrick family will long cherish the memory of her exceptional and kind spirit; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED,** That the Senate of the State of Texas, 83rd Legislature, hereby extend sincere condolences to the bereaved family of Bobbie Lucille Epperson Kilpatrick; 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 Bobbie Kilpatrick.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on April 30, 2013, by a rising vote.

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Secretary of the Senate

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Member, Texas Senate