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RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, The certain knowledge of a life well lived may
- 2 temper the profound sadness felt at the death of Jeff Bass Young of
- 3 Chalk Mountain on March 4, 2014, at the age of 57; and
- WHEREAS, Jeff Young was born in Fort Worth on February 21,
- 5 1957, to Hollis and Carolyn Bass, and he was later adopted by his
- 6 grandparents, J. O. and Mary Jane Young; he graduated as the
- 7 valedictorian of Springtown High School in 1975, earning the
- 8 affectionate nickname "Perch" as the manager of the varsity
- 9 football team; and
- 10 WHEREAS, A veteran of the U.S. Navy nuclear program,
- 11 Mr. Young enjoyed a notable career with the Comanche Peak Nuclear
- 12 Power Plant before retiring; he also worked as a licensed
- 13 vocational nurse in Glen Rose; and
- 14 WHEREAS, This esteemed gentleman was a devout Christian who
- 15 served as a deacon and Sunday school teacher at Plainview Baptist
- 16 Church; and
- 17 WHEREAS, Although Jeff Young is deeply missed, cherished
- 18 memories of time spent in his company will long endure in the hearts
- 19 of his family and friends; now, therefore, be it
- 20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
- 21 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Jeff Bass Young and
- 22 extend sincere condolences to the members of his family: to his
- 23 wife, Dianne Young; to his sisters, Holly Moore and her husband,
- 24 Phillip, Shelly Cagle and her husband, Sam, and Carrie Montgomery

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- 1 and her husband, Bobby; to his sister-in-law, LaQuita Johnson; to
- 2 his brothers-in-law, Vic Johnson and Tony Smith and his wife, Joan;
- 3 to his nephews, Andrew and Jay Johnson; to his stepmother, Martha
- 4 Erickson; to his aunt, Jean Henderson; to his special friend, John
- 5 Mohr; and to his many other relatives and friends; and, be it
- 6 further
- 7 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 8 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
- 9 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Jeff Bass
- 10 Young.