

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Family and friends will long cherish their memories
2 of Teresa de Jesus Flores Solis, who passed away on April 24, 2014,
3 at the age of 85; and

4 WHEREAS, Teresa Solis was born on October 15, 1928, and
5 raised in Laredo, where she attended Guadalupe Catholic School,
6 Christian Middle School, and Martin High School; an illness
7 prevented her from completing her studies, so she entered the
8 workforce early; and

9 WHEREAS, On November 7, 1951, she married Juan Manuel Solis;
10 the couple were blessed with 11 children, Juanita, Diana, Sylvia
11 Nora, Elia, Virginia, Manuel de Jesus, Javier, Juan Gerardo,
12 Adriana, Sandra, and Ruben; and

13 WHEREAS, After raising her children, Mrs. Solis returned to
14 school and received her GED from Laredo Community College at 53
15 years of age; she had a desire to help others, particularly young
16 people, so she went to work at a children's learning center with the
17 City of Laredo Community Development program in 1972; she retired
18 in 1992 in order to spend more time with her grandchildren and
19 great-grandchildren; and

20 WHEREAS, A loving wife and mother and a superb chef,
21 Mrs. Solis always had room for more loved ones around the table at
22 "Guela's house," as her grandchildren called it, and was
23 continually ready with a hot mug of atole or cafecito and sweets
24 such as capirotada and pan dulce; in addition, she loved to dance

1 and enjoyed attending weddings, quinceañeras, reunions, and other
2 parties; she is remembered as a woman of steady faith and great
3 strength, full of light and laughter and compassion for others; and

4 WHEREAS, Teresa de Jesus Flores Solis lived a caring and
5 purposeful life; she treasured the time she spent in the company of
6 family and friends, and she is deeply missed by all those who held
7 her dear; now, therefore, be it

8 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
9 Legislature hereby honor the memory of Teresa de Jesus Flores Solis
10 and extend sincere sympathy to the members of her family: to her
11 children, Juanita Soliz and her husband, Joseph, Sylvia N. Brewster
12 and her husband, Sam, Elia Rios and her husband, Orlando, Manuel de
13 Jesus Solis and his wife, Martha, Javier Solis and his wife, Elena,
14 Juan Gerardo Solis, Adriana Degollado and her husband, Enrique,
15 Sandra Solis, and Ruben Solis and his wife, Marina; to her 25
16 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren; and to her many other
17 relatives and friends; and, be it further

18 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
19 prepared for her family and that when the Texas House of
20 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Teresa de
21 Jesus Flores Solis.

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Alvarado	Gutierrez	Peña
Anchia	Harless	Phelan
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Anderson of McLennan	Herrero	Pickett
Ashby	Howard	Price
Aycock	Huberty	Raney
Bell	Hughes	Raymond
Bernal	Hunter	Reynolds
Blanco	Isaac	Riddle
Bohac	Israel	Rinaldi
Bonnen of Brazoria	Johnson	Rodriguez of Bexar
Bonnen of Galveston	Kacal	Rodriguez of Travis
Burkett	Keffer	Romero, Jr.
Burns	Keough	Rose
Burrows	King of Hemphill	Sanford
Button	King of Parker	Schaefer
Canales	King of Taylor	Schofield
Capriglione	King of Uvalde	Schubert
Clardy	Klick	Shaheen
Coleman	Koop	Sheets
Collier	Krause	Sheffield
Cook	Kuempel	Simmons
Craddick	Landgraf	Simpson
Crownover	Larson	Smith
Cyrier	Laubenberg	Smithee
Dale	Leach	Spitzer
Darby	Longoria	Springer
Davis of Dallas	Lozano	Stephenson
Davis of Harris	Lucio III	Stickland
Deshotel	Márquez	Thompson of Brazoria
Dukes	Martinez	Thompson of Harris
Dutton	Martinez Fischer	Tinderholt
Elkins	McClendon	Turner of Collin
Faircloth	Metcalf	Turner of Harris
Fallon	Meyer	Turner of Tarrant
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Farney	Miller of Comal	Villalba
Farrar	Miller of Fort Bend	Vo
Fletcher	Moody	Walle
Flynn	Morrison	White of Bell
Frank	Muñoz, Jr.	White of Tyler
Frullo	Murphy	Workman
Galindo	Murr	Wray
Geren	Naishtat	Wu
Giddings	Nevárez	Zedler
Goldman	Oliveira	Zerwas
Gonzales	Otto	

H.R. No. 179

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 179 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on February 19, 2015.

Chief Clerk of the House