

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, A full and generous life drew to a close with the
2 passing of Bennie M. Hyde of Kerrville on May 4, 2015, at the age of
3 80; and

4 WHEREAS, Born in Kerrville to Benjamin and Viola Hyde on
5 April 9, 1935, Bennie Hyde graduated from Tivy High School in 1953;
6 he enlisted in the U.S. Air Force and served his country for nearly
7 a quarter-century, spending much of his time overseas and rising to
8 the rank of senior master sergeant; after retiring from the
9 military, he earned an associate's degree in electrical engineering
10 and worked for 15 years at the Y12 Atomic Research Center; and

11 WHEREAS, Mr. Hyde was a devout Christian and a valued
12 congregant at First Baptist Church in Kerrville; active in his
13 community, he was a Master Mason and a member of the Grand
14 Commandery Knights Templar of Texas; he also participated in the
15 Hill Country Veterans Council; and

16 WHEREAS, In all his endeavors, Mr. Hyde enjoyed the love and
17 support of his wife, Mallie, with whom he shared more than five
18 decades, and he took great pride in his children, Eva, Jason, and
19 Donna, and his granddaughter, Danielle; and

20 WHEREAS, Dedicated to his family, his faith, and his country,
21 Bennie Hyde earned the respect and admiration of all who were
22 privileged to know him, and he leaves behind a record of service
23 that his loved ones can remember with pride; now, therefore, be it

24 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas

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1 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the memory of Bennie M. Hyde and
2 extend sincere condolences to the members of his family: to his
3 wife, Mallie Hyde; to his children, Eva Hyde, Jason Hyde and his
4 wife, Dana, and Donna Hyde; to his granddaughter, Danielle Hyde; to
5 his brother, John Hyde, and his wife, Gina; to his stepsister, Joan
6 Taylor; and to his other relatives and friends; and, be it 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 Bennie
10 M. Hyde.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2950 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on May 30, 2015.

Chief Clerk of the House