

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 346

In Memory  
of  
Carmen M. Garcia

**WHEREAS,** The Senate of the State of Texas joins the citizens of San Antonio in mourning the loss of Carmen M. Garcia, who died February 19, 2015, at the age of 88; and

**WHEREAS,** Maria Del Carmen Garza was born September 30, 1926, and she attended San Antonio Tech High School and later studied at San Antonio College; in her formative years, she worked at A. M. Garza Grocery, her father's business; and

**WHEREAS,** Mrs. Garcia began her 35-year career as a junior stenographer with the Texas Department of Public Welfare; with skill and dedication, she worked her way through the ranks to become a senior social worker in the agency, which had become the Texas Department of Human Resources; after retiring, she volunteered for more than two decades with OASIS, a nonprofit organization that works to promote successful aging through lifelong learning; and

**WHEREAS,** She married Guadalupe Garcia in 1949, and they were blessed with four children, seven grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren; they raised their family according to the principles of their faith and were active members of Saint Mary Magdalene's Parish; and

**WHEREAS,** Mrs. Garcia was respected and admired throughout the community and was known for her kindness and her enthusiasm for living each day to the fullest; she was beloved by many, and she leaves behind memories that will long be cherished by all who were privileged to share in her life; now, therefore, be it

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**RESOLVED**, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 84th Legislature, hereby extend sincere condolences to the bereaved family of Carmen M. Garcia; 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 Carmen Garcia.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on March 10, 2015, by a rising vote.

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Secretary of the Senate

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Member, Texas Senate