

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 913

In Memory
of
Job M. Reigoux

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas honors and commemorates the life of Staff Sergeant Job M. Reigoux, who died in the line of duty June 1, 2013, at the age of 30 while serving his country in Afghanistan; and

WHEREAS, Job Reigoux was born April 15, 1983, in Austin, to Reuben Reigoux-Rios and Maria E. Guevara; he was quiet and reserved as a young man, and his interests included working on classic sports cars with his father; he was a 2001 graduate of Echelon Charter School; and

WHEREAS, He met his wife and the love of his life, Erica Santiago, while working in retail, and the couple was blessed with two children, Seth and Maddison; and

WHEREAS, Shortly after his marriage to Erica, he enlisted in the United States Army and began his service stationed in Schweinfurt, Germany, in 2006; he was twice deployed to Iraq and was serving in Afghanistan with the 3rd Battalion, 69th Armor Regiment, 1st Brigade Combat Team, 3rd Infantry Division, when he gave his last full measure of devotion to his country; his decorations included a Purple Heart and a Bronze Star; and

WHEREAS, Sergeant Reigoux is part of the long line of courageous men and women whose bravery and sacrifice have left a lasting mark on the world; his unwavering dedication to duty and honor embodied the highest ideals of the United States Army; and

WHEREAS, A young man of courage, strength, and compassion, he gave unselfishly to others, and his ready humor, his generous spirit, and his enthusiasm for living each day to the fullest will not be forgotten by those who were privileged to share in his life; and

WHEREAS, He was a devoted son, brother, husband, and father, and he leaves behind memories that will be treasured forever by his family and many friends; and

WHEREAS, In recognition of his ultimate sacrifice in the Global War on Terror, Staff Sergeant Reigoux is being posthumously honored at a Joint Memorial Day Ceremony in the Texas House of Representatives on May 23, 2015; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 84th Legislature, hereby extend sincere condolences to the bereaved family of Job M. Reigoux; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for his 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 Job M. Reigoux.

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Bettencourt	Hall	Perry
Birdwell	Hancock	Rodríguez
Burton	Hinojosa	Schwertner
Campbell	Huffines	Seliger
Creighton	Huffman	Taylor of Galveston
Ellis	Kolkhorst	Taylor of Collin
Eltife	Lucio	Uresti
Estes	Menéndez	West
Fraser	Nelson	Whitmire
Garcia	Nichols	Zaffirini

Patrick, President of the Senate

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on May 20, 2015, by a rising vote.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate