

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 11

In Memory
of
Jimmie Clayton Harrison

WHEREAS, Family and friends are mourning the loss of Jimmie Clayton Harrison of Bryans Mill, who passed away on May 17, 2017, at the age of 61; and

WHEREAS, The son of Jimmie and Thelma Harrison, "Clay" Harrison was born on October 29, 1955, in Naples, Texas; he earned his bachelor's degree at East Texas State University and later graduated from the Southwestern Graduate School of Banking at Southern Methodist University; and

WHEREAS, This esteemed Texan enjoyed a successful career in the banking industry; he was associated with Morris County National Bank in Naples for 38 years, including 15 years as its president, and he was employed at American National Bank of Mount Pleasant at the time of his passing; he was also a lifelong rancher; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Harrison gave back to his community through his service as president of the Paul Pewitt School Board and his involvement with the Naples-Omaha Lions Club and the Naples-Omaha Ambulance Association; a man of strong faith, he attended Daniels Chapel Congregational Methodist Church in Naples and taught Sunday school; in his spare time, he enjoyed taking part in such outdoor activities as camping and fishing; and

WHEREAS, On June 17, 1978, Mr. Harrison married the former Barbara Gunter, and the couple enjoyed a rewarding union that spanned 38 years; they were blessed with three children,

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Miranda, Holly, and Clifton, and four grandchildren, Calli, Natalie, Tenley, and Taylor; and

WHEREAS, Clay Harrison led a caring and purposeful life, and all those who shared in his love and affection will forever hold him close in their hearts; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 85th Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby pay tribute to the memory of Jimmie Clayton Harrison and extend heartfelt sympathy to his family and many friends; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for his family and that when the Texas Senate adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Clay Harrison.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on July 18, 2017, by a rising vote.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate