

By: Davis of Dallas

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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Family and friends are mourning the loss of Carolyn
2 Yvonne Rogers Jones of Dallas, who passed away on January 25, 2017,
3 at the age of 72; and

4 WHEREAS, Born to Ellis and Tessie Rogers on November 9, 1944,
5 the former Carolyn Rogers grew up in Abilene with her two brothers,
6 Danny and Bill; after graduating from Woodson High School in 1963,
7 she continued her education at Bishop College and went on to pursue
8 a successful career with the Stewart Title Guaranty Company; and

9 WHEREAS, In 1967, she met the love of her life, Thomas Jones,
10 whom she wed on July 26, 1968; over the course of a rewarding
11 marriage that spanned nearly half a century, the couple were
12 blessed with four children, Shaundra, Regina, Shelley, and Kelley,
13 and a grandson, Jay Logan Thomas; and

14 WHEREAS, Sustained by a deep and abiding faith, Mrs. Jones
15 was a valued congregant at St. Luke Community United Methodist
16 Church; and

17 WHEREAS, Carolyn Jones enjoyed a life that was rich in the
18 intangibles that matter most, and she will forever be a source of
19 inspiration to all those who held her dear; now, therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas
21 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the memory of Carolyn Yvonne
22 Rogers Jones and extend sincere condolences to the members of her
23 family and to her many friends; and, be it further

24 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

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1 prepared for her family and that when the Texas House of
2 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Carolyn
3 Jones.