**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 382**

**In Memory**

**of**

**Tomasa Ramirez Chavez**

**WHEREAS**, The Senate of the State of Texas honors and commemorates the life of Tomasa Ramirez Chavez, who died September 21, 2018, at the age of 88; and

**WHEREAS**, Tomasa Chavez was an exemplary citizen who was widely respected and admired for her many achievements and her contributions to her community; and

**WHEREAS**, Tomasa was born on September 22, 1929, in Monterrey, Nuevo Leon, Mexico, to Simon Ramirez and Dolores De Ramirez; she and her beloved husband, the late Pedro Chavez Davila, were blessed with six children, Alejandra Davila, Jesus Chavez, Adrian Chavez, Adriana Chavez, Pedro Chavez Jr., and Arturo Chavez; her 22 grandchildren, 14 great-grandchildren, and seven great-great-grandchildren were a source of much pride and joy for her; and

**WHEREAS**, Mrs. Chavez was active in her community as a volunteer, and she was always ready to help the less fortunate; she was an outstanding cook and gardener and was well known throughout the area for her exceptional tamales; and

**WHEREAS**, A woman of courage, strength, and generosity, she gave unselfishly to others, and her wisdom, warmth, and valued counsel will not be forgotten by those who were privileged to share in her life; and

**WHEREAS**, She was a devoted wife, mother, and grandmother, and she leaves behind memories that will be treasured forever by her family and many friends; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 86th Legislature, hereby extend sincere condolences to the bereaved family of Tomasa Ramirez Chavez; 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 Tomasa Ramirez Chavez.

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\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_     President of the Senate     I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on March 12, 2019, by a rising vote.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_     Secretary of the Senate\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_      Member, Texas Senate