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H.R. No. 1510

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, No words can soften the pain of losing a loved one,  
2 but memories of a life well lived may help to comfort those saddened  
3 by the death of Hilda Duran Tirres of El Paso on January 6, 2019, at  
4 the age of 88; and

5           WHEREAS, A native of El Paso, the former Hilda Duran was born  
6 on October 4, 1930; she attended Ysleta High School, where she was  
7 named Who's Who in PE in the school yearbook and exhibited great  
8 musical talent as a member of the band and the drum corps; and

9           WHEREAS, Mrs. Tirres enjoyed the love and support of her  
10 husband, Ramon, whom she had known since childhood, and they shared  
11 a rewarding marriage that spanned more than six decades; she took  
12 great pride in their children, Anna, Ramon, Daisy, Rene, and  
13 Suzanne, and with the passing years she had the pleasure of seeing  
14 her family grow to include 10 grandchildren and 11  
15 great-grandchildren; and

16           WHEREAS, A devout Catholic, Mrs. Tirres was a devoted  
17 congregant and volunteer at her church; she worked as the secretary  
18 at Our Lady of the Valley Catholic School and later served in a  
19 number of roles with San Elizario Independent School District; in  
20 addition, she was instrumental in the operation of her family's  
21 farm, and in her leisure hours, she delighted in cheering on the  
22 Dallas Cowboys; and

23           WHEREAS, Deeply dedicated to her family and her faith, Hilda  
24 Tirres earned the lasting respect and admiration of all who were

1 privileged to know her; now, therefore, be it

2           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas  
3 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Hilda Duran Tirres and  
4 extend sincere condolences to the members of her family: to her  
5 husband, Ramon Tirres Sr.; to her children, Anna Fuentes and her  
6 husband, Jesus, Suzanne Horan, Ramon Tirres Jr. and his wife, Rita,  
7 and Rene Tirres and his wife, Sandra; to her grandchildren and  
8 great-grandchildren; and to her other relatives and friends; and,  
9 be it further

10           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
11 prepared for her family and that when the Texas House of  
12 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Hilda  
13 Tirres.