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## RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, A rich and purposeful life drew to a close with the

2 passing of Rowena Calfee of Austin on May 14, 2019, at the age of 96;

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WHEREAS, Born in Waco on March 22, 1923, to Annie Pearl Mosely

Long and Franklin Roy Long, Mrs. Calfee was raised primarily by her

6 mother and her stepfather, Van Oliver Nabors; she attended West

7 Junior High School and Waco High School, and she continued her

8 education at Baylor University; and

9 WHEREAS, Mrs. Calfee was joined in matrimony to Richard

10 Wisdom Calfee on April 19, 1941, and the couple became the parents

11 of five children, Richard, Suzanne, Gary, Sue, and Bill; over the

12 years, Mrs. Calfee had the pleasure of seeing her family grow to

13 include four grandchildren, Carolyn, Rachel, Adrienne, and Taylor,

14 as well as three great-grandchildren, Benjamin, Julia, and Van; and

15 WHEREAS, Those who were privileged to share in this treasured

16 woman's love and friendship will always remember her with great

17 tenderness and affection; now, therefore, be it

18 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas

19 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Rowena Calfee and

20 extend sincere condolences to the members of her family: to her

21 children, Richard Van Calfee, Gary Wayne Calfee, Sue Ellen Calfee,

22 and William Benjamin Calfee III; to her grandchildren, Carolyn

23 Suzanne Calfee, Rachel Anne Hochman, Adrienne Michelle Hochman, and

24 Taylor Brooke Calfee; to her great-grandchildren, Benjamin Andre

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- 1 Calfee Choucroun, Julia Rose Calfee Choucroun, and Van Hochman; to
- 2 her daughters-in-law, Jeanie Calfee, Laura Pickett Calfee, and
- 3 Tommie Calfee; to her son-in-law, Roger Hochman; and to her other
- 4 relatives and friends; and, be it further
- 5 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 6 prepared for her family and that when the Texas House of
- 7 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Rowena
- 8 Calfee.