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R E S O L U T I O N

WHEREAS, Family and friends were deeply saddened by the passing of Gary Womble Mitchell of Robert Lee on June 1, 2019, at the age of 78; and

WHEREAS, Born on March 11, 1941, Gary Mitchell was the son of Maurice Wood Mitchell and LaVerna Womble Mitchell, and he grew up with the companionship of a sister, Marla Anderson; he attended the 19th Texas Game Warden Academy in 1966 and enjoyed a fulfilling career as a game warden; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Mitchell married Penny Haulman, and they became the proud parents of four children, Melody, Jody, Heather, and Samuel; he later wed Bonnie Tredaway, who preceded him in death; in 1997, he exchanged the vows of matrimony with the former Dottie Cultra, with whom he shared a rewarding union that spanned more than two decades; with the passing years, he experienced the pleasure of welcoming into his family seven grandchildren, Albert, Thomas, Jacob, Melyssa, Austynn, Stormy, and Montana, and a great-grandchild, Adrian; and

WHEREAS, Although Gary Mitchell is deeply missed, he left his family and friends with a wealth of memories that they will forever treasure; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Gary Womble Mitchell and extend heartfelt sympathy to his relatives and friends; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Gary Mitchell.