

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 311

In Memory
of
Brookshire Pipes McVean

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas honors and commemorates the life of Brookshire Pipes "Brooks" McVean, who died February 2, 2021, at the age of 13; and

WHEREAS, A cheerful young man with a vibrant spirit, Brooks McVean brought joy into the lives of his many friends and loved ones through his easy laughter, his contagious smile, and his enthusiasm for living each day to the fullest; and

WHEREAS, Brooks McVean was born to Jon Jeffrey McVean and Amanda Carter McVean on May 1, 2007, in San Antonio; he and his parents and his older brother, Carter Houston McVean, moved to Brenham in 2013; and

WHEREAS, Brooks was an eighth-grade student at Brenham Junior High School; he enjoyed participating in the Brenham Maifest and Brenham Cub Football, and he was a member of the National Junior Honor Society; he also enjoyed serving as an acolyte at Saint Peter's Episcopal Church; and

WHEREAS, Brooks loved music and could often be found breaking out with a dance move; he had a passion for football and was a die-hard fan of the Louisiana State University Tigers, and he was ecstatic when the Tigers enjoyed a perfect 2019-2020 season; he cherished time spent with family, and his delightful sense of humor made family vacations and adventures all the more memorable; and

WHEREAS, Brooks was a beloved member of the Brenham community, and his courage in the face of his illness, Nephrotic Syndrome, was an inspiration to others; he will be missed by many, yet his unique spirit will remain alive in the hearts of all who knew and loved him; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 87th Legislature, hereby extend sincere condolences to the bereaved family of Brookshire Pipes "Brooks" McVean; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for his 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 Brooks McVean.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on April 26, 2021, by a rising vote.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate