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RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Memories of a life well lived may help to comfort
- 2 those saddened by the death of David Walker Raney of Texarkana on
- 3 July 28, 2025, at the age of 77; and
- WHEREAS, David Raney was born in Texarkana on November 2,
- 5 1947, to Marjorie and David Richard Raney; he owned his own
- 6 business, David Raney Florist, and over the course of his career, he
- 7 helped design and execute numerous special events for his
- 8 customers; he also served as president of the Arkansas Florist
- 9 Association in 2002; among his many achievements, he was inducted
- 10 into the American Institute of Floral Designers; and
- 11 WHEREAS, Mr. Raney was the proud father of two sons, Colin
- 12 and Richard, and over the years, he had the pleasure of welcoming
- 13 into his family five grandchildren, Reagan, Ella, Jackson, Aidan,
- 14 and Noah; and
- 15 WHEREAS, Those who were privileged to share in this treasured
- 16 man's love and friendship will always remember him with great
- 17 tenderness and affection; now, therefore, be it
- 18 RESOLVED, That the Senate of the 89th Texas Legislature, 2nd
- 19 Called Session, hereby pay tribute to the life of David Walker Raney
- 20 and extend heartfelt sympathy to the members of his family: to his
- 21 children, Colin Raney and his wife, Eun Jin, and Richard Raney and
- 22 his wife, Amanda; to his grandchildren, Reagan, Ella, Jackson,
- 23 Aidan, and Noah Raney; to his brother, Charles Raney; and to his
- 24 other relatives and friends; and, be it further

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- 1 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 2 prepared for his family and that when the Texas Senate adjourns this
- 3 day, it do so in memory of David Raney.