

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 655

In Memory
of
Terry Stadler

WHEREAS, Family and friends will forever cherish their memories of Terry Parks Stadler of Tyler, who passed away on April 14, 2025, at the age of 75; and

WHEREAS, Terry Stadler was born to Elmer and Sally Stadler on May 4, 1949, in Holdrege, Nebraska, and he grew up sharing in the companionship of his brother, Kent; a 1967 graduate of Holdrege High School, he continued his education at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln before earning a bachelor's degree from Kearney State College; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Stadler joined his father and brother at Claussen's Shoe Stores in Nebraska and managed the company's locations in Holdrege and Kearney; embarking on a second career in education, he taught at schools in Rialto, California, and Tyler, and he retired from the Whitehouse Independent School District in 2014; and

WHEREAS, In 1970, Mr. Stadler married Candy Anderson, and the couple became the proud parents of three children, Andy, Libby, and Phil; following his wife's passing in 1999, Mr. Stadler was fortunate enough to find love again with Faye Dollar, whom he wed in 2007; with the passing years, he had the privilege of seeing his family grow to include five grandchildren, Paige, Grant, Danica, Gianna, and Trinity, three great-grandchildren, Maria, Ava, and Edwin, and a stepdaughter, Toni; and

WHEREAS, A man of faith, Mr. Stadler was a valued congregant of Colonial Hills Baptist Church in Tyler; he

enjoyed acting and singing, and he pursued a variety of hobbies in his later life, including bird-watching, gardening, and snorkeling; and

WHEREAS, While his loss is difficult to bear, Terry Stadler leaves behind numerous friends and loved ones whose lives are far richer for having known him, and he will always hold a treasured place in their hearts; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 89th Legislature, hereby pay tribute to the memory of Terry Parks Stadler and extend sincere condolences to all who mourn his passing; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That an official copy of this Resolution be prepared for his family and that when the Texas Senate adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Terry Stadler.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on May 31, 2025, by a rising vote.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate