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SENATE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to learn of the death of Donald Lee Carson of Rock Island, who passed away on June 7, 2017; and

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WHEREAS, Donald Carson was born in Cedar Rapids, Iowa to George and Helen Hartkemeyer Carson on June 8, 1937; he served in the United States Navy as a hospital corpsman for four years and married Marlo Sellers in Morrison on January 7, 1960; and

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WHEREAS, Donald Carson was employed by John Deere Plow & Planter Works for 25 years, retiring as a supervisor in 1991; he then worked as a contractor at various John Deere facilities for 10 years; and

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WHEREAS, Donald Carson was a member of the Marine Corps League; he loved American history, reading, and was an avid fan of the Chicago Cubs and wrestling; and

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WHEREAS, Donald Carson is survived by his wife, Marlo; his children and spouses, Cary and Celeste Carson, Aaron Carson, Andrea Spainhower, and Lt. Col. (Ret.) Adam and Deana Carson; eight grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and his brothers and sisters-in-law, Larry and Mary Carson and Jim and Susan Carson; therefore, be it

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1 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL
2 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
3 Donald Lee Carson, and extend our sincere condolences to his
4 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
5 further

6 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
7 presented to the family of Donald Carson as an expression of
8 our deepest sympathy.