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1   SENATE RESOLUTION

2   WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to

3   learn of the death of Betty Marie Leslie, who passed away on

4   November 30, 2013; and

5   WHEREAS, Betty Leslie was born on September 2, 1934 in

6   Coldrum County, Minnesota; her parents were Edgar William and

7   Marie Cecilia (nee Korll) Anderson; she married Albert J.

8   Leslie on July 11, 1960 at Our Lady of the Lourdes Church in

9   Little Falls, Minnesota; and

10   WHEREAS, Betty Leslie spent her childhood on the Minnesota

11   farm and went on to study music at the MacPhail School of Music

12   in Minneapolis, Minnesota; she brought her love of music to

13   McHenry County and was active in many local organizations over

14   the years, including the Woodstock Opera House, the McHenry

15   County Chamber Singers, and the McHenry County Youth Orchestra;

16   and

17   WHEREAS, Betty Leslie and her husband were active members

18   of the Resurrection Parish; she was also a frequent volunteer

19   at the First Way Life Center of Johnsburg; and

20   WHEREAS, Betty Leslie was a devoted mother; she enjoyed

21   traveling and visiting her children in far-off places, such as

1   Europe, Africa, and Thailand, and throughout the United States;

2   and

3   WHEREAS, Betty Leslie was preceded in death by her beloved

4   husband, Albert, and her parents, Edgar and Marie Anderson; and

5   WHEREAS, Betty Leslie is survived by her daughters, Marie

6   (William) Schretzmann, Andrea (Steve) Fraley, Kirsten, and

7   Regina; her son, John (Sukhon) Leslie; her grandchildren,

8   Faith, Rangsiman, Patrick, Methani, and Elizabeth; her sister,

9   Karen; and her brother, Gordon; therefore, be it

10   RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL

11   ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we, along with her

12   family and friends, mourn the passing of Betty Marie Leslie;

13   and be it further

14   RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be

15   presented to the family of Betty Leslie as an expression of our

16   sympathy.