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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened
3 to learn of the death of Linda Joyce Hanback of Yorkville, who
4 passed away on May 6, 2026; and

5 WHEREAS, Linda Hanback, the daughter of Howard and Joyce
6 (Rohden) Johnson, was born in Rockford on May 24, 1954; she
7 married Danny Clark "Dan" Hanback in Helmar Lutheran Church in
8 Newark on March 6, 1971; and

9 WHEREAS, Linda Hanback worked as a respiratory therapist,
10 serving those under her care for nearly ten years; she spent
11 most of her life serving in the home by faithfully loving her
12 husband and helping raise their three children; and

13 WHEREAS, Linda Hanback was passionate about the mission of
14 Compassion International, which shares the hope of the gospel
15 in word and action, releasing children from poverty; she
16 relished the opportunity to travel with the nonprofit
17 organization to serve in the community and to love children
18 and families impacted by these programs; and

19 WHEREAS, Linda Hanback was a longtime member of Helmar
20 Lutheran Church, where she had many friends, hosted Bible
21 studies, and served in various capacities; and

1 WHEREAS, Linda Hanback loved her family and adored
2 building a special relationship with each of her
3 grandchildren; she also enjoyed gardening, traveling with her
4 husband, playing competitive pickleball, and spending time
5 with her family, neighbors, and friends; and

6 WHEREAS, Linda Hanback was a loving wife, mother,
7 grandmother, daughter, sister, and aunt who was known for
8 being kindhearted, fearless, and humble; she will be
9 remembered as a woman of faith who served others selflessly
10 with great strength and wisdom; and

11 WHEREAS, Linda Hanback was preceded in death by her
12 father; and

13 WHEREAS, Linda Hanback is survived by her husband of 55
14 years, Dan; her children, Scott (Amanda) Hanback, Corey
15 (Janell) Hanback, and Amanda (Keith) Pfeifer; ten
16 grandchildren; her mother; her brothers, Bill (Lori) Johnson,
17 Phil (Julie) Johnson, and Tom (Sheila) Johnson; and many
18 nieces and nephews; therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL
20 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
21 Linda Joyce Hanback and extend our sincere condolences to her

1 family, friends, and all who knew and loved her; and be it
2 further

3 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
4 presented to the family of Linda Hanback as an expression of
5 our deepest sympathy.