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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 Oscar M. Sandoval of Silvis, who passed away on November 12, 2023; and

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WHEREAS, Oscar Sandoval was born to Joseph and Carmen Morales Sandoval in East Moline on January 13, 1928; he served in the U.S. Navy during World War II; he married Celia "Sally" Quijas in Davenport, Iowa on February 20, 1954; and

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WHEREAS, Oscar Sandoval worked for the Rock Island Arsenal, traveling the world training people how to use the M198 Howitzer Canon; he retired after 30 years of service in 1988; and

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WHEREAS, Oscar Sandoval was a deacon at the House of the Lord Church and a member of Moline American Legion Post 246; he coached his sons' Little League and Babe Ruth baseball teams and his grandsons' baseball teams; in his younger years, he was a member of the Last Roundup softball team; and

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WHEREAS, Oscar Sandoval loved dancing with his wife; he enjoyed sports and was a Chicago Cubs and Bears fan; he cherished his family and his faith; and

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1           WHEREAS, Oscar Sandoval was preceded in death by his  
2 parents; his infant twin brothers, Peter Sandoval and John  
3 Sandoval; and his other siblings, Ruben (Ramona) Sandoval,  
4 William "Willie" Sandoval, Valencia Garcia, Alfonse Sandoval,  
5 Harry Sandoval, and Joseph "Moe" Sandoval; and

6           WHEREAS, Oscar Sandoval is survived by his wife; his sons,  
7 Pastor William (Patti) Sandoval and Stephen Sandoval; his  
8 grandchildren, Jake, Alex, Kevin (Lauren), Jennifer, and John;  
9 his great-grandchildren, Will, Henry, Luke, Levi, Nova, Jace,  
10 and John Jr.; his siblings, Rufina Guerrero, Charlie (Ruby)  
11 Sandoval, Mary (Phillip) Garza, and Fred (Pauline) Sandoval;  
12 his sister-in-law, Rita Sandoval; and many nieces, nephews,  
13 great-nieces, and great-nephews; therefore, be it

14           RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL  
15 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of  
16 Oscar M. Sandoval and extend our sincere condolences to his  
17 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it  
18 further

19           RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
20 presented to the family of Oscar Sandoval as an expression of  
21 our deepest sympathy.