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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 Juanita Leatha Wimberly of Evanston, who passed away on October 26, 2007; and

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WHEREAS, Juanita Wimberly, fondly known as "Nita Cakes", was the daughter of the late Milton Harrison, Jr, and Bessie Harrison of Evanston; Juanita was a life long resident of Evanston; and

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WHEREAS, Juanita Wimberly attended Evanston public schools and graduated from Evanston Township High School on June 16, 1949; and

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WHEREAS, She was employed at American Hospital Supply for several years; she later worked for the Evanston Township High School as Security Assistant for 14 years; and

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WHEREAS, She was married to Stanton Wimberly who preceded her in death in July 2001; Juanita professed her faith in God at an early age and was a true believer; she held membership at Ebenezer African Methodist Episcopal Church in Evanston; and

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WHEREAS, Juanita Wimberly is survived by her children, Stanton (Dianne) Wimberly, Sandra Wright, Karen Wimberly,

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1 Craig Wimberly, Evelyn Wimberly, Michael Harrison, and Debret  
2 Harrison; her sister, Evelyn Alexander; her brother, Milton  
3 Harrison; her fifteen grandchildren; her five  
4 great-grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, and two  
5 close family friends whom Juanita regarded as her daughters,  
6 Deborah Bell and Laverne Woolridge; therefore, be it

7 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-FIFTH GENERAL  
8 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn, along with  
9 her family and friends, the passing of Juanita Wimberly; and be  
10 it further

11 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
12 presented to the family of Juanita Wimberly as a symbol of our  
13 sympathy.