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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 Maxine Burkhalter Griffel of Carlinville, who passed away on December 29, 2010; and

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WHEREAS, She was born Thursday, February 21, 1918 in Maquon, the daughter of John and Pearl (Grice) Swigart; she later married Dale Burkhalter, who passed away in 1976; after his death, she married Gilbert Griffel in 1982; and

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WHEREAS, She was a member of the Canton Methodist Church; and

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WHEREAS, She sold real estate and insurance in the Canton area for several years; she enjoyed traveling and flowers, and she volunteered at Carlinville Area Hospital; and

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WHEREAS, She was preceded in death by her husband, Dale; and her husband, Gilbert; and

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WHEREAS, Maxine Burkhalter Griffel is survived by her stepson, Edwin Griffel (JuDee); her stepson, William Griffel (Nancy); and her stepson, Richard Griffel (Janet); her 7 step-grandchildren; her 6 step great-grandchildren; her special friends, Dave and Ardeth Jokisch; and several cousins

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1 and other friends; therefore, be it

2 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL  
3 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn, along with  
4 her family and friends, the passing of Maxine Burkhalter  
5 Griffel; and be it further

6 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
7 presented to the family of Maxine Burkhalter Griffel as a  
8 symbol of our sincere sympathy.