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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 Robert R. Sandquist of St. Charles, who passed away on December 15, 2015; and

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WHEREAS, Robert Sandquist was born in Geneva on July 16, 1934 to Oscar and Germaine Sandquist; he graduated from Geneva High School in 1952 and started his career as a carpenter, building custom homes; he married Jeanne in 1958 and was drafted into the United States Army, serving 2 years at Fort Leonardwood, Missouri; and

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WHEREAS, In 1961, Robert Sandquist returned to his hometown of Geneva and started his lifelong business of 57 years; as owner of Geneva Home Builders, he built over 300 custom homes; his favorite job was building the addition to the United Methodist Church of Geneva in 1981; and

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WHEREAS, Robert Sandquist enjoyed collecting literature pertaining to classic cars and trains and he loved anything Ford made; his greatest joy was his home, family, and gardening; and

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WHEREAS, Robert Sandquist was preceded in death by his parents; and

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1           WHEREAS, Robert Sandquist is survived by his loving wife of  
2   58 years, Jeanne; his 2 children, Deborah (Bill) Murphy and  
3   Steven (Heidi) Sandquist; and his 5 grandchildren, Alyssa,  
4   Aaron, Abigail Murphy, Hailey, and Hayden Sandquist;  
5   therefore, be it

6           RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL  
7   ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of  
8   Robert R. Sandquist, and extend our sincere condolences to his  
9   family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it  
10   further

11           RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
12   presented to the family of Robert Sandquist as an expression of  
13   our deepest sympathy.