

A RESOLUTION adjourning the Senate in honor and loving memory of Kathleen Collins.

WHEREAS, Kathleen Collins was an outspoken advocate for the Democratic Party. She worked diligently to make sure the children in Wheatcroft and Blackford, communities that she dedicated much of her life to bettering, were able to get to church and other activities; and

WHEREAS, Kathleen Collins owned a store in Wheatcroft and gave away more than she sold. An excellent cook, she donated food to the needy and would often make quilts and hook rugs for people in need; and

WHEREAS, Kathleen Collins was a proud member of Blackford Missionary Baptist Church; and

WHEREAS, Kathleen Collins departed this earthly life and entered the kingdom of Heaven on February 22, 2015, leaving her family, friends, and all those whose lives she touched with her generosity and compassion in solemn mourning; and

WHEREAS, Kathleen Collins is survived by her husband of 72 years, Max Collins, whom she had worked with in the fields as a young girl and who remained a partner to her throughout their marriage; her daughter, Brenda Jessup; her brother, Russell Walde; one granddaughter; and one great-grandchild;

NOW, THEREFORE,

Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:

➔Section 1. The Senate hereby expresses its deepest and most profound condolences upon the passing of Kathleen Collins, and extends its heartfelt sympathy to her family, friends, and community in this time of loss.

➔Section 2. When the Senate adjourns this day, it does so in honor and loving memory of Kathleen Collins.

➔Section 3. The Clerk of the Senate is directed to transmit a copy of this

Resolution to Senator Dorsey Ridley for delivery.