

A RESOLUTION adjourning the House of Representatives in loving memory and honor of Louis Hall, Sr.

WHEREAS, Louis Hall, Sr. was born on December 31, 1931, to the late Charles W. Hall, Sr. and Birnell Hall; and

WHEREAS, Louis Hall, Sr. truly was a public servant, who served the Kentucky Court of Justice for 58 years including 49 years of service with the Kentucky Supreme Court. According to Supreme Court Chief Justice John D. Minton, Jr., Louis Hall was a remarkable man who served faithfully for 60 years. Louis Hall went beyond his duties for the Court and was an "affable host at the Capitol where he welcomed and charmed a generation of visitors." Both citizens of Kentucky as well as visitors from far and wide were cheered by his warm hospitality; and

WHEREAS, after his lengthy service to the Commonwealth, he retired in April 2014, as a judicial clerk for the Supreme Court of Kentucky; and

WHEREAS, Louis Hall, Sr. departed from this earthly life on December 29, 2015, leaving in solemn mourning his family, friends, the Kentucky Supreme Court, and all who served in the Kentucky State Capitol; and

WHEREAS, Louis Hall, Sr. was preceded in death by his wife, Marietta Smith Hall; his sisters, Mary Charles Buckner, Loucille Childs, Lilly Hall, Elizabeth Henderson, and Virginia Lynn; his brothers, Frank Hall and Charles W. Hall, Jr.; one granddaughter, Kaelin Hart; and one great granddaughter, Da'Nasha Hall; and

WHEREAS, Louis Hall, Sr. is survived by his four loving children, Joetta Hall Wickliffe and her husband, Sam Wickliffe, Louis Hall, Jr., Marsha Hall Prude and her husband, Melvin Prude and Lisa Hall; ten grandchildren, Jocelyn Hall, Desiree Hall, Lil Billie Holiday, LaToya Fields, Dennis Hall, Denwan Hall, Louis Hall, III, Melvin Prude, Jr., Joseph Prude, David Prude; four great grandchildren, Da'Nasha Hall, De'Avah Hall, Karlell Hall and Samiyah Prude; and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives, and countless friends;

NOW, THEREFORE,

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:*

➔Section 1. The House of Representatives hereby expresses its deepest and most profound condolences upon the passing of Louis Hall, Sr. and extends its heartfelt sympathy to his family, friends, and community in this time of loss.

➔Section 2. When the House adjourns this day, it does so in honor and loving memory of Louis Hall, Sr.

➔Section 3. The Clerk of the House of Representatives is directed to transmit a copy of this Resolution to Representative Derrick Graham for delivery to the family and a copy to the Clerk of the Kentucky Supreme Court.