

A RESOLUTION adjourning the Senate in honor and loving memory of Jill Suzanne Brzezinski Conley.

"Death be not proud, though some have called thee mighty and dreadful; for thou are not so."

John Donne

WHEREAS, Jill Conley, a native of Canton, Michigan, departed this earthly life and entered into the kingdom of Heaven on February 2, 2016; and

WHEREAS, Jill Conley courageously battled breast cancer for six years. During her illness she became a passionate advocate for those suffering with cancer and a voice for so many Kentuckians who have been touched by the disease; and

WHEREAS, Jill Conley was the founder of Jill's Wish, a charity designed to raise money for families struggling with cancer; and

WHEREAS, Jill Conley passed from this life surrounded by her beloved family, and she will be mourned by so many in Kentucky and around the world who saw in her generosity and spirit a reflection of their own possibility. She leaves us as a testament to human courage, and her indelible strength and beauty will always be remembered in her community of Louisville and throughout this Commonwealth; and

WHEREAS, Jill Conley is survived by her beloved husband, Barton Conley; parents, Rosemary Kay Duchon and Keith Brzezinski; stepfather, Peter Duchon; grandmother, Jessie Kay; brothers, Steven, Shawn, and Jamie Brzezinski (Amanda McKeand); stepsiblings, Jason and Joanna Duchon; and many other family members who will miss her presence in their lives;

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

➔Section 1. The members of the Senate hereby express their most profound condolences upon the passing of Jill Suzanne Brzezinski Conley, and stand together today

to honor her extraordinary life and to thank her for her uncommon compassion, her sacrifice for so many who do not have a voice, and her bravery in the face of death.

➔Section 2. When the Senate adjourns this day, it does so in honor and loving memory of Jill Suzanne Brzezinski Conley.

➔Section 3. The Clerk of the Senate is directed to transmit a copy of this Resolution to Senator Morgan McGarvey for delivery to the family.