A RESOLUTION adjourning the Senate in honor and loving memory of Ruth Ann Thurman Pullen.

WHEREAS, Ruth Ann Pullen, a native of Frankfort, Kentucky, was the cherished daughter of the late James Samuel and Georgia Moore Thurman; and

WHEREAS, Ruth Ann Pullen retired from the Kentucky Teachers' Retirement System and served for nine years in the Senate clerk's office as minutes clerk and daily action clerk; and

WHEREAS, Ruth Ann Pullen was an avid quilter and craftswoman who served two terms as president of the Central Kentucky Homemakers Quilt Guild and was the former owner of Ruth Ann's Fabric House; and

WHEREAS, Ruth Ann Pullen was a lifelong member of First Christian Church, where she served as a deacon; and

WHEREAS, Ruth Ann Pullen, a devout steward of God and a beloved resident of this great Commonwealth, departed this earthly life and entered into the kingdom of Heaven on March 30, 2016, leaving her family, friends, and all those whose lives she touched in solemn mourning; and

WHEREAS, Ruth Ann Pullen is survived by her husband of 56 years, Robert D. "Bob" Pullen; children, Patti Pullen, Cindy Pullen Fox (Bobby), and Jim Pullen (Ashlea); five grandchildren; and a host of other family members who will dearly 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 sympathy upon the passing of Ruth Ann Thurman Pullen, and extend heartfelt condolences to her family, friends, and community in this time of loss.

 \Rightarrow Section 2. When the Senate adjourns this day, it does so in honor and loving

memory of Ruth Ann Thurman Pullen.

→Section 3. The Clerk of the Senate is directed to transmit a copy of this Resolution to Senator Julian M. Carroll for delivery to the family.