

1 A RESOLUTION adjourning the Senate in honor and loving memory of Nathaniel
2 "Kayne" Finley.

3 WHEREAS, Kayne Finley grew up in Union, Kentucky, the cherished son of Curtis
4 Lee and Kirsten Darlene Finley; and

5 WHEREAS, a graduate of Spruce Creek High School and a one-year letter-winner
6 on the Ryle High School swimming team, Kayne Finley was a member of USA
7 Swimming through the Northern Kentucky Clippers and Daytona Beach Swimming
8 Clubs; and

9 WHEREAS, Kayne Finley began a national charity, the Cannonballs for Kayne
10 Foundation, at the age of 17. The charity's mission was to raise awareness and fund
11 research for a cure for Diffuse Intrinsic Pontine Glioma, a form of pediatric brain cancer
12 from which Kayne suffered; and

13 WHEREAS, at the time of his passing, Kayne Finley was a freshman and assistant
14 swimming manager at Louisiana State University, where he was pursuing a degree in
15 animal sciences with the hope of becoming a veterinarian; and

16 WHEREAS, Kayne Finley, cherished son, grandson, and brother, departed this
17 earthly life on November 24, 2017, leaving his family, friends, and all those whose lives
18 he touched in solemn mourning; and

19 WHEREAS, Kayne Finley is survived by his parents; brother, Nicholas "Keagan"
20 Finley; maternal grandparents, William and Lila Ransom; paternal grandparents, Gary
21 and Doris Witt and Lisa Finley; and a host of other family members, friends, and loved
22 ones who will dearly miss his presence in their lives;

23 NOW, THEREFORE,

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

26 ➔Section 1. The members of the Senate hereby express their most profound
27 sympathy upon the passing of Nathaniel "Kayne" Finley, and extend heartfelt condolences

1 to his family, friends, and community in this time of loss.

2 ➔Section 2. When the Senate adjourns this day, it does so in honor and loving
3 memory of Nathaniel "Kayne" Finley.

4 ➔Section 3. The Clerk of the Senate is directed to transmit a copy of this
5 Resolution to Senator John Schickel for delivery to the family.