

1 A RESOLUTION adjourning the House of Representatives in honor and loving  
2 memory of Rev. Lawrence George "Larry" Rowell Jr.

3 WHEREAS, Larry Rowell was the cherished son of the late Lawrence George  
4 Rowell Sr. and Earlene Wilson Rowell; and

5 WHEREAS, a licensed real estate broker and past president of Rowell Realty and  
6 Auction Co., he became a minister in 1978 and served as associate pastor of Beargrass  
7 Christian Church in Louisville and pastor of First Baptist Church in Lyons, Georgia; and

8 WHEREAS, Larry Rowell and his family were missionaries who had traveled all  
9 over the world, and upon returning to the United States he served as minister of education  
10 at Campbellsville Baptist Church and the pastor of Beech Grove Baptist Church in Black  
11 Gnat; and

12 WHEREAS, Larry Rowell was a staff writer and editor for the *Casey County News*  
13 and interim editor for the *Greensburg Record-Herald*. He was a member of Kiwanis and  
14 served as chaplain for the Campbellsville Taylor County Rescue Squad and on the Taylor,  
15 Adair, and Casey County Foster Parent Review Boards; and

16 WHEREAS, Rev. Larry Rowell, devout man of God and beloved husband, father,  
17 and brother, departed this earthly life and entered into the kingdom of Heaven on January  
18 25, 2019, leaving his family, friends, and all those whose lives he touched in solemn  
19 mourning; and

20 WHEREAS, Larry Rowell is survived by his wife of 40 years, Edwina Mills  
21 Rowell; son, Parker Rowell; brother, Tommy Rowell (Julie); sister, Becky Rowell (Uli  
22 Keller); and a host of other family members, friends, and loved ones who will dearly miss  
23 his presence in their lives;

24 NOW, THEREFORE,

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

27 ➔Section 1. The members of the House of Representatives hereby express their

1 most profound sympathy upon the passing of Rev. Lawrence George "Larry" Rowell Jr.,  
2 and extend heartfelt condolences to his family, friends, and community in this time of  
3 loss.

4       ➔Section 2. When the House of Representatives adjourns this day, it does so in  
5 honor and loving memory of Rev. Lawrence George "Larry" Rowell Jr.

6       ➔Section 3. The Clerk of the House of Representatives is directed to transmit a  
7 copy of this Resolution to Representative Brandon Reed for delivery to the family.