

1           A RESOLUTION adjourning the Senate in honor and loving memory of Bradley  
2 Thomas "Brad" Lanham.

3           WHEREAS, Brad Lanham was a son of this Commonwealth, having been born in  
4 Gravel Switch on August 19, 1963, to the late Carl and Jewell Burns Lanham; and

5           WHEREAS, Brad Lanham was the co-owner of Lanham's Heating and  
6 Refrigeration and, along with his brothers, of Storage Temps; and

7           WHEREAS, a 1981 graduate of Marion County High School, Brad Lanham was a  
8 pillar of the Lebanon community, having served on the Chamber of Commerce Board of  
9 Directors from 2004 to 2008 and as president of the Marion County Chamber of  
10 Commerce in 2007; and

11           WHEREAS, Brad Lanham was the proud recipient of the Outstanding Citizen's  
12 Award in 2009 and the Marion County Board of Education Lagniappe Award for Going  
13 Beyond Full Measure; and

14           WHEREAS, Brad Lanham was an avid fan of bluegrass music. He served as  
15 founder of the Kentucky Fellowship of Musicians, and it was through the fellowship that  
16 he formed the Kentucky Bluegrass Festival; and

17           WHEREAS, Brad Lanham, instrumental part of the Lebanon community; a  
18 bluegrass music fan, talented musician, and man of devout faith in his Lord Jesus Christ;  
19 and a cherished husband, father, grandfather, and brother, departed this earthly life and  
20 entered into the kingdom of Heaven on April 11, 2020, leaving all those whose lives he  
21 touched in solemn mourning; and

22           WHEREAS, Brad Lanham was preceded in death by his parents and a sister,  
23 Connie Murphy. He is survived by his wife, Deborah "Debbie" Smith Lanham; sons,  
24 Joseph Franklin Keeling II (Sonia) and Robert Dale Wathen Keeling (Stephanie);  
25 daughter, Anna Elizabeth Spohr (Ryan); brothers, Jerry Lee Lanham (Joyce) and Neil  
26 Thornton Lanham (Jackie); sister, Mona Lisa Whitlock (Rex); seven grandchildren; and a  
27 host of other family members, friends, and loved ones who will dearly miss his presence

1 in their lives;

2 NOW, THEREFORE,

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

5 ➔Section 1. The Senate hereby expresses its most profound sympathy upon the  
6 passing of Bradley Thomas "Brad" Lanham, and extends heartfelt condolences to his  
7 family, friends, and community in this time of loss.

8 ➔Section 2. When the Senate adjourns this day, it does so in honor and loving  
9 memory of Bradley Thomas "Brad" Lanham.

10 ➔Section 3. The Clerk of the Senate is directed to transmit a copy of this  
11 Resolution to Senator Jimmy Higdon for delivery to the family.