

## 1 SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate wish to  
3 express their sincere condolences to the family and friends  
4 of Gladys Wright, who passed away on May 6, 2001; and

5 WHEREAS, Gladys Wright was born on September 15, 1916 in  
6 Franklin, Kentucky to the late Monroe and Laura Temple; and

7 WHEREAS, Gladys Wright attended Knob City High School in  
8 Russellville, Kentucky, where she met the late James Wright,  
9 her husband of sixty-three years; and

10 WHEREAS, During her youth, Gladys Wright was a member of  
11 the Pleasant View Baptist Church in Franklin, Kentucky; as a  
12 young adult she served as a member of the West Chestnut  
13 Street Baptist Church in Louisville, Kentucky, where she  
14 served and assisted in many activities; recently she served  
15 as a faithful member of St. John Church-Baptist in Chicago  
16 and as an active leader in the 82nd and Langley Block Club;  
17 in addition she was involved in all of her husband's  
18 activities whether it related to the union, political or  
19 community services; and

20 WHEREAS, Gladys Wright was a loving and supporting wife  
21 and a devoted mother and grandmother who believed in a  
22 Christian upbringing; she was also a kind friend to all she  
23 encountered; and

24 WHEREAS, The passing of Gladys Wright will be deeply felt  
25 by all who knew and loved her, especially her son, Lewis; her  
26 brother, Bobby; her sister, Hazel; her five grandchildren;  
27 her seven great grandchildren; her nieces; her nephews; her  
28 cousins; and a host of friends; therefore, be it

29 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-SECOND GENERAL  
30 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn, along with  
31 all who knew her, the death of Gladys Wright of Chicago,

1 Illinois; and be it further

2       RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
3 presented to the family of Gladys Wright with our sincere  
4 condolences.