

A RESOLUTION adjourning the House of Representatives in honor and loving memory of William Maurice Coyle.

WHEREAS, William Maurice Coyle was born on July 29, 1926, the cherished son of the late William McKinnley and Grace Johnson Coyle; and

WHEREAS, William Maurice Coyle was a proud veteran of the United States Navy who served in World War II aboard the *USS Enterprise*; and

WHEREAS, William Maurice Coyle was a member of Berea First Christian Church and Berea Masonic Lodge #617, and was Commander of the American Legion Post 50, where he was chosen as Legionnaire of the Year in 1987. A former employee of the United States Postal Service, he also worked at the Berea College Bakery, operated an Aetna gas station, and was an avid farmer; and

WHEREAS, William Maurice Coyle departed this earth and entered into the kingdom of Heaven on January 21, 2016, leaving his family, friends, and all those whose lives he touched in solemn mourning; and

WHEREAS, William Maurice Coyle was preceded in death by his parents and his sisters, Vivian Frietag, Louise Nickoloff, and Eleanor "Babi" Short. He is survived by his wife, Mable Bengé Coyle; daughter, Linda Reynolds (Tommy); son, Sheriff Mike Coyle (Linda); grandchildren, Ricky Reynolds (Laura), Toby Coyle (Brandy), Amanda Coyle, Alicia Kelley (Chris), and Robyn Fields (Kevin); great-grandchildren, Ricky Reynolds II, Madison Kelley, Emma Kelley, and Shelby Fields; and his pet, Hanna;

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

➔Section 1. The members of the House of Representatives hereby express their most profound sympathy upon the passing of William Maurice Coyle, and extend heartfelt condolences to his family, friends, and community in this time of loss.

➔Section 2. When the House of Representatives adjourns this day, it does so in

honor and loving memory of William Maurice Coyle.

→Section 3. The Clerk of the House of Representatives is directed to transmit a copy of this Resolution to Representative Greg Stumbo for delivery to the family.