

2018 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 197

BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHNSON

A RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the House of Representatives upon the death of Steven Paul Lacombe of Simmesport, Louisiana.

WHEREAS, the members of the House of Representatives were saddened to learn of the death on May 8, 2018, of Steven Paul Lacombe at the age of sixty-five; and

WHEREAS, Steven Paul Lacombe was born on July 12, 1952, to Merlin and Doris Roy Lacombe and was a cherished brother to Faye, Tommy, Bubba, and Sue; and

WHEREAS, Steven married his high school sweetheart, Helen, and they had two daughters, Angelle and Jill; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Lacombe spent his forty-four-year professional career in productive service to Simmesport State Bank, eventually serving as president; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Lacombe also dedicated much of his personal time to the betterment of his community: he served for fifteen years on the Avoyelles Parish School Board, was an active member of the Simmesport Chamber of Commerce, and was a member of the finance committee at Christ the King Catholic Church in Simmesport; and

WHEREAS, in his free time, Steven enjoyed boating, hunting, farming, and spending time with his family; and

WHEREAS, as an advisor, banker, and friend, Mr. Lacombe touched the lives of numerous families and supported countless businesses over the years, both within and beyond Avoyelles Parish; and

WHEREAS, his family and friends will remember him with heartfelt affection for his generous nature and love of his fellow man and with deep admiration for the strength and tenacity he showed at the end of his life; and

WHEREAS, left to cherish the memory of Steven Paul Lacombe are his wife, Helen Plauche Lacombe; daughters, Angelle "Angie" Lacombe Huff, and her husband Max, and Jill Lacombe Gaspard, and her husband Travis; brother, Merlin "Bubba" Lacombe, Jr.; sisters, Faye Juneau, and her husband Bruce, and Sue Lemoine, and her husband Kevin; and a host of grandchildren, nephews, and nieces; and

WHEREAS, with the death of Steven Paul Lacombe, Louisiana has lost one of her finest citizens.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of Steven Paul Lacombe; does hereby recognize and record for posterity his notable accomplishments and singular contributions, especially to the business community and financial industry in Avoyelles Parish; does hereby express deepest sympathies to those who mourn the loss of this extraordinary gentleman; and does hereby extend enduring appreciation for the pride and honor that Mr. Lacombe will forever bring to his family and friends, his community, and the state of Louisiana.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the family of Steven Paul Lacombe.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES