

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 528

By Freeman

A RESOLUTION to honor the memory of Michael "Mike" Hill of Nashville.

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly were greatly saddened to learn of the tragic, untimely passing of Michael "Mike" Hill; and

WHEREAS, Mike Hill was a beloved staff member of The Covenant School, where he had worked for fifteen years and was affectionately known as "Big Mike" to all the children at the school; and

WHEREAS, a man who found tremendous joy in his work as a custodian at The Covenant School, Mike Hill was a religious and praying man who was known for his corny "dad jokes" and the pet names he adored calling his eight children and many grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, Mike Hill leaves behind an indelible legacy of integrity and probity in public life, compassion and loyalty in private life, and diligence and dedication in all his chosen endeavors; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to remember the all-too-brief life of this exceptional human being; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRTEENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we honor the memory of Michael "Mike" Hill, reflecting fondly upon his impeccable character and his stalwart commitment to living the examined life with courage and conviction.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we express our sympathy and offer our condolences to the family of Mr. Hill.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy and upon proper request made to

the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.