

As Introduced

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Senator Coley

A RESOLUTION

In memory of Richard G. Hart.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 132nd General
Assembly of Ohio were deeply saddened to learn of the death of
Richard G. Hart and extend our heartfelt condolences to his family
and friends; and

WHEREAS, Rick Hart left an indelible impression on the people
whose lives he touched, and he will be remembered as a spirited
individual who contributed immeasurably to the world around him. A
U.S. Marine Corps veteran of the Vietnam War, he went on to join
the U.S. Air Force, and he retired after twenty-three years of
combined service. Always supportive of our service men and women,
he and his wife, Linda, hosted events to assist veterans and
raised funds for care packages and scholarships for military
family members, and they were both inducted into the Ohio Veterans
Hall of Fame in 2011; and

WHEREAS, Rick Hart's regard for improving the quality of life
in our society was clearly evident in his personal sacrifices of
time and effort to his family, friends, and community. Giving
generously of his energy and abilities in all of his endeavors, he
displayed exceptional concern and insight, and his absence will be
keenly felt; and

WHEREAS, Rick Hart always used his talents to the benefit of
others, and the laurels of his life stand as a tribute not only to
him but also to those he left behind. Although the void his death
has created can never be filled, the legacy of care and commitment
he established will surely live on. The world is a richer place
for his having been in it, and he will be sorely missed; therefore
be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 132nd 28
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, express a 29
profound sense of loss and sincere regret at the death of Richard 30
G. Hart and, in so doing, pay tribute to the memory of a truly 31
unique man; and be it further 32

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 33
authenticated copy of this Resolution to the family of Richard G. 34
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