

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, The tragic passing of Kristopher Dale Byers on July
2 14, 2005, at the age of 20, has deeply saddened the many friends and
3 relatives of this remarkable young man; and

4 WHEREAS, A lifelong resident of Paris, Mr. Byers graduated in
5 2004 from Chisum High School, where he was a valued member of the
6 Mustangs baseball and football teams; during his senior year, this
7 talented athlete caught a memorable touchdown pass and was named
8 second team All District; and

9 WHEREAS, Mr. Byers also excelled in academics and was known
10 to be a model student and school leader; he attended the First
11 Baptist Church of Paris and had just begun a promising career with
12 Coca-Cola Bottling at the time of his death; and

13 WHEREAS, Although it is painful to say good-bye to one so
14 young and full of promise, it is fitting to remember that while his
15 time on this earth was far too brief, Kris Byers profoundly affected
16 the lives of those around him, and his memory will long endure in
17 the hearts of the countless individuals whose lives he touched;
18 now, therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, That the 79th Legislature of the State of Texas,
20 1st Called Session, hereby honor the life of Kristopher Dale Byers
21 and extend sincere sympathy to the members of his family: to his
22 parents, Ronald and Allison Byers; to his sisters, Courtney and
23 Stephanie "Happy" Byers; to his grandparents, Phyllis Byers, Ron
24 Byers, and James and Jesslyn Wright; and to his other relatives and

1 many friends; and, be it further

2 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
3 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
4 Representatives and Senate adjourn this day, they do so in memory of
5 Kristopher Dale Byers.

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David Newkumst
President of the Senate

Tom Coburn
Speaker of the House

I certify that H.C.R. No. 31 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on July 20, 2005.

Robert Hines
Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.C.R. No. 31 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the Senate on July 20, 2005.

Lateef Graw
Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED: 2 AUG '05
Date

Rick Perry
Governor

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Secretary of State