

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1  
2 WHEREAS, The family and friends of Susan Wilkes of Lubbock  
3 sustained a tragic loss with the untimely passing of this beloved  
4 woman on March 4, 2002, at the age of 47; and

5 WHEREAS, Born in Odessa on October 4, 1954, Mrs. Wilkes moved  
6 to Lubbock in 1959; she graduated from Monterey High School and  
7 earned a degree from Texas Tech University; and

8 WHEREAS, Susan Wilkes was the devoted wife of Morris Wilkes,  
9 whom she married on March 13, 1976, and the loving mother of two  
10 children, Laura and Cliff; and

11 WHEREAS, A woman of deep faith and a valued congregant of  
12 First Assembly of God Church, Mrs. Wilkes taught preschool at All  
13 Saints Episcopal School and at Trinity Christian School; she was  
14 also a proud member of the Texas Tech Alumni Association and Kappa  
15 Kappa Gamma sorority; and

16 WHEREAS, Together with her husband, Mrs. Wilkes was active in  
17 politics for many years; Morris Wilkes formerly worked on the staff  
18 of State Senator John Montford and also served as a senior advance  
19 representative for Governor George W. Bush; he continues to work  
20 with President Bush and is in charge of making all the arrangements  
21 whenever the president visits his Crawford ranch; and

22 WHEREAS, Although Susan Wilkes completed her journey on this  
23 earth far too soon, those who treasured this warm and caring woman  
24 are deeply thankful for the immeasurable blessing of her presence

1 among them, and the love they shared with her will forever light  
2 their lives; now, therefore, be it

3           RESOLVED, That the 78th Legislature of the State of Texas  
4 hereby pay special tribute to the life of Susan Wilkes and extend  
5 sincere sympathy to the members of her family: to her husband,  
6 Morris Wilkes; to her children, Laura and Cliff; to her mother,  
7 Lucille Andrews; to her brothers, Rusty, Randy, and Dwight Andrews;  
8 and to her other relatives and many friends; and, be it further

9           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
10 prepared for her family and that when the Texas House of  
11 Representatives and Senate adjourn this day, they do so in memory of  
12 Susan Wilkes.

David Newsum  
President of the Senate

Jim Coakley  
Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that S.C.R. No. 61 was adopted by the Senate on May 30, 2003.

Latey Law  
Secretary of the Senate

I hereby certify that S.C.R. No. 61 was adopted by the House on May 31, 2003.

Robert Haney  
Chief Clerk of the House

Approved:

20 JUN 03  
Date

RICK PERRY  
Governor

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Secretary of State