

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 976

By Beck

A RESOLUTION to honor the memory of Daniel Burton Malone.

WHEREAS, we were greatly saddened to learn of the untimely passing of Daniel Burton Malone; and

WHEREAS, born on September 25, 1967, to Reverend Don and Maria Malone, Daniel Malone was a consummate businessman who commanded a large portion of downtown Nashville's lunch crowd as the owner of Rae's Gourmet Sandwich Shop; and

WHEREAS, always offering quality food and friendly service, Mr. Malone and his colleagues (wife, Kim, and close friend Fred) earned the respect and loyalty of discerning diners from all walks of life; and

WHEREAS, a sandwich from Rae's always surpassed a sandwich from anywhere else, and Daniel and crew always made patrons feel welcome, calling them by their first names and remembering their favorite orders; and

WHEREAS, Daniel Malone was an active and devout member of Grace Church of the Nazarene; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Malone was also deeply devoted to his family, and he always endeavored to remain true to family values of the highest order; and

WHEREAS, Daniel Malone enjoyed the loving companionship of his wife of twenty-nine years, Kimberly Diane, and was the proud father of three children, Aaron (Alice), Alex (Megan), and Abi (Jack); and

WHEREAS, in addition to his wife and children, he is survived by five grandchildren, Amyx, Lexi, Preston, Axton, and Hutson; two sisters, Rebecca Malone and Lisa Dunn; his close friend and colleague, Fred Battle, Sr.; his in-laws, Carl and Diane Higgins, Mary (Alex) Kenton,

and Becky (Jonathan) Marklein; and a host of family and close friends; he was preceded in death by his parents and a sister, Maryann; and

WHEREAS, Daniel Malone 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 bountiful life of this exceptional human being; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED ELEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we honor the memory of Daniel Burton Malone, reflecting fondly upon his success as a business owner, husband, father, and friend.

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

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.