

By: Representatives Banks, Miles

To: Rules

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 61

1 A RESOLUTION MOURNING THE LOSS AND HONORING THE LIFE AND
2 LEGACY OF MS. HATTIE MAE FIELDER HUDNALL, AND EXPRESSING DEEPEST
3 SYMPATHY TO HER FAMILY AND FRIENDS UPON HER PASSING.

4 WHEREAS, it is written in Ecclesiastes 3:1 that "To
5 everything there is a season, and a time for every purpose under
6 the Heaven," and as such, on January 4, 2022, the immaculate
7 author and finisher of our soul's destiny summoned the mortal
8 presence of dearly beloved, Ms. Hattie Mae Fielder Hudnall, to
9 eternal rest, rendering great heartache and loss to her family,
10 friends and community; and

11 WHEREAS, born to the late Mattie Logan Fielder and William
12 Estelle Fielder on July 27, 1943, Hattie started her schooling at
13 a small country school in the Roberts Community in Lawrence
14 County, Mississippi, and completed her high school education at
15 Harris High School in Hickory, Mississippi; and

16 WHEREAS, she furthered her education at East Central
17 Community College in Decatur, Mississippi, receiving a degree in
18 accounting and business administration; and



19 WHEREAS, Ms. Hudnall worked many jobs throughout her career,
20 starting at Bonn Homme Manufacturing in Decatur and ending her
21 work career at the Mississippi Highway Safety Patrol office in
22 Meridian, Mississippi; and

23 WHEREAS, she was a lover of casino gaming and went often, and
24 she loved sleepovers and always wanted a full house, especially
25 with her grandchildren and great-grandchildren; and

26 WHEREAS, Ms. Hudnall was happiest spending time with her
27 family, and she leaves them with the knowledge that they were
28 truly loved, and she will be remembered as a very kind, loving and
29 thoughtful person, who will be greatly missed by her family and
30 everyone who knew her; and

31 WHEREAS, though she has traversed life's river to now stand
32 upon the celestial shores in wonderment of Heaven's grandeur in
33 reunion with the kindred spirits who transitioned before her,
34 including her parents, Mattie and William Fielder; two children,
35 Sharon Marie Hudnall and Gregory Earl Hudnall, both of Hickory,
36 Mississippi; siblings, Ida Wash, Scotia Thomas, Rita Fielder,
37 Joseph Fielder, Myrtis Fielder, Benjamin Fielder, Andrew Fielder,
38 Mary Fielder, Irene Fielder, Leroy Chapman, Marion Fielder and
39 Annie Bell Fielder Jones, Ms. Hudnall's legacy will continue to
40 refresh the hearts and memories of her loved ones, including her
41 six children, Robin Hudnall, Thomas Hudnall, Daphné Honoré and
42 Tracey (Tony) Taylor of Hickory, Terry D. Evans (Doug) and Eric
43 Hudnall of Newton, Mississippi; 19 grandchildren and 20



44 great-grandchildren; two siblings, Vera Louise Evans and Curtis J.
45 Fielder of Hickory; three dear sisters-in-law, Bobbie Fielder of
46 Hickory, Senobia Fielder of Abbeville, Louisiana, and Mattie Jean
47 Fielder of Joliet, Illinois; and a host of cousins, nieces and
48 nephews, other relatives and dear friends; and

49 WHEREAS, Ms. Hudnall will forever be loved, cherished and
50 missed by all who knew her, and since it is written in 2
51 Corinthians 5:8, that to be "absent from the body is to be present
52 with the Lord," her family and friends can find peace and comfort
53 during this difficult time; and

54 WHEREAS, it is the policy of the House of Representatives to
55 commend the lives of outstanding Mississippians, especially those
56 such as Ms. Hudnall, whose life's light illuminated the path of
57 hope for all she encountered along this earthly sojourn:

58 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF
59 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, That we do hereby
60 mourn the loss and honor the life and legacy of Ms. Hattie Mae
61 Fielder Hudnall, and express sincere and deepest sympathy to her
62 family and friends upon her passing.

63 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be
64 furnished to the family of Ms. Hattie Mae Fielder Hudnall and to
65 the members of the Capitol Press Corps.

