

HOUSE JOINT MEMORIAL 92-1004

BY REPRESENTATIVES Kopel, Acquafresca, Adkins, Agler, Anderson, Arveschoug, Benavidez, Berry, Chlouber, Coffman, DeHerrera, Duke, Dyer, Eisenach, Entz, Epps, Faatz, Fagan, Fish, Fleming, Foster, Grampsas, Grant, Greenwood, Henning, R. Hernandez, T. Hernandez, Irwin, Jerke, S. Johnson, Jones, June, Kerns, Killian, Knox, Lawrence, Martin, McInnis, Miller, Moellenberg, Neale, Owen, Pankey, Prinster, Ratterree, Redder, Reeser, Reeves, Romero, Ruddick, Rupert, Salaz, Schauer, Shoemaker, Snyder, Sullivan, Swenson, Tanner, Thiebaut, Tucker, Webb, D. Williams, S. Williams, Wright and Young; also SENATORS Hopper, Bishop, Leeds, McCormick, Mutzebaugh, Strickland and Wattenberg.

WHEREAS, By The Will of Divine Providence, our beloved former member, the honorable Martin "Shorty" Krueger, departed this life on June 6, 1991, at the age of 79; and

WHEREAS, Representative Krueger was born November 22, 1911, in Blue Hill, Nebraska; and

WHEREAS, Representative Krueger moved to Idaho Springs in the 1930s to work as a truck driver and miner and, in ensuing years, established an automobile dealership and service business in Idaho Springs and became known as a skilled inventor and millwright; and

WHEREAS, Representative Krueger served as mayor of Idaho Springs during the 1950s and was president of the Idaho Springs Chamber of Commerce and captain of the Idaho Springs Volunteer Fire Department; and

WHEREAS, Representative Krueger served this state faithfully as a member of the House of Representatives in 1959 and 1960 representing Clear Creek, Gilpin, Eagle, Pitkin, and Summit Counties; and

WHEREAS, It is fitting that we, the members of the Fifty-eighth General Assembly, pay tribute to the years of dedicated public service of Representative Krueger and express our deep regret and sorrow occasioned by his death; now, therefore,

Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Fifty-eighth General Assembly of the State of Colorado, the Senate concurring herein:

That, in the death of Martin "Shorty" Krueger, the people of the State of Colorado have lost an outstanding citizen and public servant and that we, the members of the Fifty-eighth General Assembly, do hereby extend our deep and heartfelt sympathy to the members of his family and pay tribute to a man who served his state well and faithfully.

Be It Further Resolved, That copies of this Memorial be sent to Representative Krueger's wife, Eunice, who resides in Wheat Ridge, Colorado, his sons, Leonard, who resides in La Porte, Colorado, and Ervin, who resides in Evergreen, Colorado, his daughter, Lorraine Krueger-Albers, who resides in Westminster, California, his brothers, Irvin, who resides in Idaho Springs, Colorado, Harold, who resides in Wheat Ridge, Colorado, and Donald, who resides in El Cajon, California, and his sisters, Vera LeBow and Verna Gangwisch, who reside in San Diego, California, Ruth Hedke, who resides in Idaho Springs, Colorado, and Dorothy Peine, who resides in Nyssa, Oregon.

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