



Office of the Chicago City
Clerk



R2011-1418

Office of the City Clerk

City Council Document Tracking Sheet

Meeting Date:	12/14/2011
Sponsor(s):	Burke, Edward M. (14)
Type:	Resolution
Title:	Tribute to Late Raymond L. Clark
Committee(s) Assignment:	

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Raymond L. Clark has been called to eternal life by the wisdom of God at the age of eighty-five; and

WHEREAS, The Chicago City Council has been informed of his passing by Alderman Edward M. Burke; and

WHEREAS, A native of Chicago, Raymond L. Clark was the loving and devoted husband of Giselle Plouffe and the late Jean Marie, nee Whelan; and

WHEREAS, Raymond L. Clark was the much-adored father of Peggy, Kathy, Ginny, Patty, Tim, Nancy, Tom and Suzy and the grandfather of eleven to whom he imparted many of the fine and noble qualities which he possessed in abundance; and

WHEREAS, Raymond L. Clark was a valued member of the Chicago Police Department for thirty-nine years and rose to the rank of Deputy Chief; and

WHEREAS, A veteran of the United States Navy, Raymond L. Clark bravely served his country in the South Pacific Theater of Operations for three years during World War II; and

WHEREAS, Raymond L. Clark will be remembered as a quiet, principled man who treated everyone he knew with the utmost dignity and respect; and

WHEREAS, Raymond L. Clark inspired the lives of countless people through his great personal goodness, charity and concern; and

WHEREAS, The hard work, dedication and sacrifice of Raymond L. Clark serve as an example to all; and

WHEREAS, His love of life and ability to live it to the fullest endeared Raymond L. Clark to his family members, friends and all who knew him, and enabled him to enrich their lives in ways they will never forget; and

WHEREAS, Raymond L. Clark will be dearly missed and fondly remembered by his many relatives, friends, and colleagues; and

WHEREAS, To his beloved family, Raymond L. Clark imparts a legacy of faithfulness, service and dignity; now, therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, That we, the Mayor and the members of the Chicago City Council, assembled this fourteenth day of December, 2011, do hereby commemorate Raymond L. Clark for his grace-filled life and do hereby express our condolences to his family; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to the family of Raymond L. Clark.



Alderman 14th Ward