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WHEREAS, On Thursday, September 4, 2014, the Almighty God, in His infinite wisdom called George Lee Thompson to his eternal journey; and

WHEREAS, The Chicago City Council has been informed of his passing by the Honorable Lona Lane, Alderman of the 18th Ward; and

WHEREAS, George was born on July 13, 1939 in Chicago, Illinois to Lucille and James Thompson; and


WHEREAS, George was baptized at an early age and lived his life to the fullest. He attended Marshall High School and was a member of Masonic Celestial Lodge #80; and

WHEREAS, George was united in holy matrimony to Delores on October 29, 1960. To this union three children were born; Renita, Felicia and Derrick. Their vows "Till Death do Us Part" lasted for 52 and a half years until the passing of Delores; and

WHEREAS, George was preceded in death by his parents, siblings, James, David, Ronald, Jerry, Jerome, Cecil and Norman; one grandchild, Jonathan Simmons; and leaves behind to cherish his precious memories his children, Renita Kyles, Felicia (Kenneth) Simmons, Derrick Thompson, George K. Thompson, George (Yolanda) Cochran, Kalina (Eric) Simpson and Dana (Gladstone) Thomas; grandchildren, Erica Kyles, RaGena Kyles, Rhonda Kyles, Morgan Simmons, Megan, Simmons, Michelle Simmons, Latasha Thompson, Nicole Thompson, Sicily Thompson, Miguel Walker, Bertedis, Shneka Cochran, Erick Simpson, Tameah, Simpson, Gladstone Thomas, Gabrielle Thomas and McKenzie Thomas; great grandchildren, Anijayh, Payten, Ava and Lauren; siblings, Shirlee, Joseph, Thomas, Calvin (Cheryl, Amelia, Roslyn, Marie, Nancy and Francine (Derrick); sisters-in law, Darlene, Emma, Linda and Minnie; brothers-in-law, Curtis and Cleveland (Ellen); and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, That we, the Mayor and members of the City Council of the City of Chicago, gathered here in assembly this eighth day of October 2014 A.D., do hereby express our sorrow on the passing of George Lee Thompson and extend to his family and friends our deepest sympathy; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be prepared and presented to the family of George Thompson.


Lona Lane
Alderman, 18th Ward

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