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Title: Tribute to late Honorable Oscar Luigi Scalfaro
Committee(s) Assignment:

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The Honorable Oscar Luigi Scalfaro has been called to eternal life by the wisdom of God at the age of ninety-three; and

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

WHEREAS, The Honorable Oscar Luigi Scalfaro served as the President of Italy from 1992 to 1999 and was a Senator for Life; and

WHEREAS, A native of Novara, Italy, the Honorable Oscar Luigi Scalfaro was the husband of the late Maria and the much-adored father of Marianna; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable Oscar Luigi Scalfaro was one of the founding fathers of the post war Italian Republic and helped to shape Italy's current constitution; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable Oscar Luigi Scalfaro acted as a moral compass for the country during periods of political corruption; and

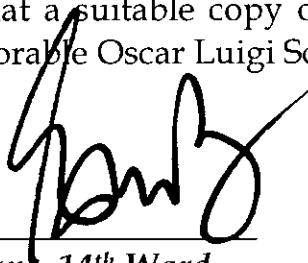
WHEREAS, The Honorable Oscar Luigi Scalfaro earned his law degree from the Catholic University of Milan and spent much of the World War II years helping those who had been imprisoned for their anti-fascism views; and

WHEREAS, The people of Italy will remember the Honorable Oscar Luigi Scalfaro as an example of moral integrity in a tumultuous political climate; and

WHEREAS, To his beloved family, the Honorable Oscar Luigi Scalfaro 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 fifteenth day of February, 2012, do hereby commemorate the Honorable Oscar Luigi Scalfaro 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 the Honorable Oscar Luigi Scalfaro.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'L. B. ...', written over a horizontal line.

Alderman - 14th Ward