



# City of Chicago



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<b>Title:</b>	Tribute to late Valentine John Coler
<b>Committee(s) Assignment:</b>	

## **RESOLUTION**

**WHEREAS, God in His infinite wisdom has called Valentine John Coler to his eternal reward; and**

**WHEREAS, The Chicago City Council has been informed of his passing by the Honorable Marty Quinn, Alderman of the 13<sup>th</sup> Ward; and**

**WHEREAS, Valentine John Coler passed away peacefully at home with his beloved wife, Rosemary, nee Wilhelmi at his side. Loving and Cherished father of Suzy (Joseph) Elizade, Michael (Lenea) Coler, Mary (late Gerald) Langland, Dr. Joseph (Dr. Wendi) Coler, Jackie (Joe) Malesich and Dr. Kathleen (Dr. Ernest) Monaco. Proud and much loved grandfather of Dr. Mark (Dr. Lenglily) Elizalde, Sarah Elizalde(Bill) Mayer, Matthew (Elise) Elizalde, Mitchell Coler, Christina Wingfield, Rena Ramires, Mike Fuentes, Katherine (John) Kiwiet, Emily (fiancé Josh Bay )Langland, Chase Coler, Stefanie Coler, Christian Coler, Elle Coler, Joey Malesich, Alyssa Malesich, Ryan Malesich, Dylan Malesich, Kaitlin (Matt) Van Ormer, Kristin Belitz (fiancé Eric Zimmer), Katherine Belitz, Ernest Monaco, Karoline Monaco, Ethan Monaco and Kelli Monaco. Loving great grandfather of Theodore, Rosaleng, Veralek, Lola and Gus. Valentine was preceded in death by his sisters, the late Marie (late Frank) Farej and the late Dolores (late Gus) Zidowicz. Dear uncle of many nieces and nephews; and**

**WHERAS, Val was a beacon of modesty and kindness with his compassionate nature and warm smile. A deeply religious man, he led his life selflessly and was always there for his family and friends in the most thoughtful, generous and unassuming way. His passing is a great loss but his legacy will live on forever in the hearts and memory of his children, grandchildren, great grandchildren and many friends. Val was a member of the Knights of Columbus, St. Daniel Vincent de Paul Society, St. Daniel Parish Pastoral Council and the Holy Name Society; now, therefore,**

**BE IT RESOLVED, That we, the Mayor and members of the Chicago City Council gathered here this fourteenth day of December 2022, hereby express our sorrow on the death of Valentine John Coler and extend to his family and friends our deepest sympathy.**

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a suitable copy be presented to the family of Valentine John Coler.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Marty Quinn", written over a horizontal line.

Marty Quinn  
Alderman, 13<sup>th</sup> Ward