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Tribute to late Mary Irene Houlihan

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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Mary Irene Houlihan has been called to eternal life by the wisdom of God at the age of 80 to her eternal reward; and

WHEREAS, The Chicago City Council has been informed of her passing by the Honorable Patrick D. Thompson, Alderman of the 11th Ward; and

WHEREAS, Mary Irene Houlihan, beloved wife and best friend of 54 years of the late William James Houlihan; cherished mother of William, John and Jodi. Preceded in death by her parents, John and Josephine Paske nee Dunn; cherished sister of the late James Paske, the late Dolores (Michael) Durkin, John (Bernadette) Paske, JoAnn (Andrew) Gronkowski, Eileen (David) Fritz and Charlotte Ann (Louis) Pisano; fond sister-in-law of the late Elizabeth (late Edward) Shaughnessy, the late Thomas (late Violet) Stephens, the late Mary (late Leonard) Rogers; dear aunt to numerous loving nieces and nephews. Fond daughter-in-law of the late William and late Martha (nee Portway) Houlihan; and

WHEREAS, Her love of life and ability to live it to the fullest endeared Mary to her family members, friends and all who knew her, and enabled her to enrich their lives in ways they will never forget; now, therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, That we, the Mayor and members of the City Council of the City of Chicago gathered here this seventeenth of November 2021, do hereby express our sorrow on the death of Mary frene Houlihan and extend to her family and friends our deepest sympathy; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to the family of Mary Irene Houlihan.

Patrick D. Thompson Alderman, 11th Ward