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Tribute to late Edward C. Bracken

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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Edward C. Bracken has been called to eternal life by the wisdom of God at the age of 81 to his eternal reward; and

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

WHEREAS, Edward C. Bracken, beloved son of the late Edward W. and Mary Gertrude Brennan Bracken; fond father of Laura, Christine and Edward; loving brother of late James (Barbara) Bracken. William (Nancy) Bracken, CFD-retired, Maureen Shepherd, Daniel (Arlene) Bracken, CFD-retired, late Terrence (late Dora) Bracken, John J. (late Barbara) Bracken and Kathleen (Rev. Wayne) Sanders; dear uncle and friend of many; and

WHEREAS, Ed was a lifetime resident of the South Side of Chicago, Canaryville neighborhood; Ed was a graduate of De La Salle High School, then proudly served his country in the U.S. Army; Following his military service, Ed worked for 40 years at Chernin Shoes, Roosevelt Rd. & Jefferson St., where he had the distinction of top salesman for many years; and

WHEREAS, His love of life and ability to live it to the fullest endeared Ed to his family members, friends and all who knew him, and enabled him 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 fourteenth of September 2021, do hereby express our sorrow on the death of Edward and extend to his family and friends our deepest sympathy; and

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

Patrick D. Thompson Alderman, 11th Ward