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'WjffEKEAS, Laura J-CeCen ('Beard) 3-CoCCoway's dying spirit Ceft the body that we have come to know on  
^Wednesday, June 14, 2017; and

'WJfWEAS, Mrs. J-CoCCoway was born in Gates, 'Tennessee to Montgomery and 3-CeCen GouCd (Snipes) 'Beard  
as one of six chiCdren; and

yfjCEKT^AS, Mrs. JfoCCoway attended Tennessee State University and married "Robert L. 3-CoCCoway on  
Thanksgiving Day in November 1957, and moved to Chicago, iCCinois; and

yvUfEHTJAS, she was afamiCy orientated w oman weCC known for her humiCity, kindness and her no-nonsense attitude  
whiCe aCways being up for something new; and

"WHfE'RXAS, Mrs. 3-CoCCoway Coved God and was baptized in Jesus' nam.e and joined MapCe Tark M.'B. Church  
where she was a. Sunday School Teacher: She became an evangeCist in 2004, and ordained a minister in 2011; and

yVJ-CERTJAS, Mrs. J-CoCCoway was known for her dedication to the Chicago TubCic SchooC System for over three  
decades, as weffas her unmatchedcuCinary skiCCs; and

"W3LTIVEJAS, she Ceaves behind her Coving husband of 59 years and six wonderfuC chiCdren: Gwendocyn, RosaCind,  
CaroCine, DarryC, David, and Dante J-CoCCoway, aCong with eight grandchiCdren, 18 great-grandchiCdren, and one  
great-great grandchiCd.

3T.IT <<http://3T.IT>> 'RT.SOL'VXD, that we, the Mayor, and members ofthe City of Chicago City CounciC,  
assembCedhere on June 28, 2017, do hereby honor the Cife of Mrs. Laura J-CeCen J-CoCCoway for the roCe she has  
pCayed in making this worCda better pCace for aCCof us. May her souCrest xnpeace with our J-CeavenCy father and  
her famiCy and Coved ones cherish her memories forever.

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JACderman, 20th \ward

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