

2015 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 225

BY REPRESENTATIVES PRICE, BERTHELOT, LAMBERT, AND SCHEXNAYDER

CONDOLENCES: Expresses condolences upon the death of LeRoy "Roy" William Stern,  
Ascension Parish School System retired administrator and teacher

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To express the condolences of the House of Representatives upon the death of LeRoy "Roy"  
3 William Stern, of Gonzales.

4 WHEREAS, the members of the House of Representatives were grieved to learn of  
5 the passing on June 9, 2015, of LeRoy "Roy" William Stern, at the age of eighty-four; and

6 WHEREAS, a native of Hastings, Minnesota, Roy Stern received a bachelor's degree  
7 from the University of Wisconsin and a master's degree from Louisiana State University; he  
8 was a member of the Phi Delta Kappa fraternity; and

9 WHEREAS, Mr. Stern served his country; he was a veteran of the U.S. Navy; and

10 WHEREAS, Mr. Stern taught English and journalism at East Ascension High School;  
11 he was named the first principal of the new St. Amant High School and was appointed  
12 director of secondary education, a position he held until his retirement; and

13 WHEREAS, Mr. Stern was a member of the City of Gonzales Marketing Team, a  
14 past member of the Gonzales Rotary Club, and an honorary Knights of Columbus member;  
15 and

16 WHEREAS, fond recollections of good times will forever remain in the hearts and  
17 minds of his wife of sixty-one years, Betty Petrolia Stern; daughter Kerry Stern Songy and  
18 husband Donald; son Mark and wife Julia McGee Stern; granddaughters Meg Songy  
19 LeBlanc and husband Adam, and Elise and Rose LeBlanc; grandsons Bryan Songy, Joseph  
20 Stern and wife Eliza Eaton-Stern, and Matthew Stern; and brothers Jerry and Jack Stern; and

1 it is with great sadness that the members of the House of Representatives bid eternal farewell  
2 to LeRoy "Roy" William Stern.

3 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the  
4 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby express most heartfelt condolences upon the passing  
5 of LeRoy "Roy" William Stern and does hereby express best hopes and prayers for comfort.

6 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted  
7 to the family of LeRoy Stern.

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