

House Resolution No.

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are deeply saddened by news of the recent passing of John Henry Ramey, of Cape Girardeau, Missouri; and

Whereas, John Henry Ramey was born September 18, 1945, in Cape Girardeau, the son of John Knott Ramey Jr. and Evelyn C. Borgfield Ramey; and

Whereas, John Henry Ramey and Margaret Janice Gilbert Ramey were married October 14, 1965, in Cape Girardeau; and

Whereas, after nobly and generously serving his country in the United States Air Force from 1965 to 1968, John Henry Ramey served the Southeast Missourian as a reporter and editor for more than thirty years; and

Whereas, John Henry Ramey won numerous awards in Missouri Press Association and Suburban Newspaper of America contests for in-depth and investigative reporting; and

Whereas, a member of Bass Busters of SEMO, John Henry Ramey's hobbies included bass fishing, golfing, and most of all, spending time with his family; and

Whereas, preceded in death by his father, John Henry Ramey will be long and well remembered by his wife, Margaret Janice Gilbert Ramey, of Cape Girardeau; a son, John K. Ramey and his wife, Mischon, of Fairview, Tennessee; two daughters, Tonya E. Darrow and her husband, Heath, of Jackson, Missouri, Lori A. Vines and her husband, Marty, of Cape Girardeau; his mother, Evelyn C. Ramey, of Cape Girardeau; two brothers, Steve Ramey of Cape Girardeau, Richard Ramey of Colorado Springs, Colorado; one sister, Beth Glaus, of Cape Girardeau; and six grandchildren, Hannah Ramey, Jack Ramey, Jessy Darrow, Kylie Darrow, Truman Vines, and Atticus Vines:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join to extend our most sincere condolences to the family of John Henry Ramey on this sad occasion; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for the family of John Henry Ramey.

Offered by _____
 Representative Scott A. Lipke
 District No. 157

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. , adopted , 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker