

MAURICE A. VAN NOSTRAND

Mr. Speaker: Your committee, appointed to prepare a suitable resolution commemorating the life, character, and public service of the late Honorable Maurice A. Van Nostrand begs leave to submit the following Memorial:

Maurice Van Nostrand was born February 9, 1925 in Benedict, Nebraska. On February 10, 1944, he married Carol Cummings and they had three sons.

A 1942 graduate of Benedict High School, he attended the University of Nebraska, after which he was an aviation cadet from 1944-1945. In 1946 he and his family moved to Avoca, Iowa, where he operated grain elevators in Avoca and Oakland, and started a cattle feeding operation.

Mr. Van Nostrand was a member of many organizations, including the Council Bluffs Chamber of Commerce; Board of Directors of Salvation Army; Pottawattamie County Health Center Board of Directors; Pottawattamie County Citizens Committee on Alcoholism; Editor of the Council Bluffs Nonpareil; and Chairman of the Iowa Commerce Commission from 1971-1979.

A Republican, Mr. Van Nostrand represented Pottawattamie County during the Sixtieth, Sixtieth Extra, Sixty-second and Sixty-third General Assemblies.

Maurice A. Van Nostrand died October 8, 1991. He is survived by his wife, Carol of Sun Lakes, Arizona; his three sons, Greg of Stockton, California, Kevin of Scottsdale, Arizona, and James of Kirkland, Washington; a brother, Clark of Bella Vista, Arkansas; two sisters, Virginia Deardorff of Atlantic, Iowa and Twyla Dorsey of Glendale, Arizona; four granddaughters and two grandsons.

Now Therefore, Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Seventy-fourth General Assembly of Iowa, That in the passing of the Honorable Maurice A. Van Nostrand, the State has lost an honored citizen and a faithful and useful public servant, and the House by this Resolution would express its appreciation of his service.

Be It Further Resolved, That a copy of this Resolution be spread upon the Journal of the House, and that the Chief Clerk be directed to forward an enrolled copy to the family of the deceased.

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Committee