

2025 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 190

BY REPRESENTATIVE WALTERS

CONDOLENCES: Expresses the condolences of the House of Representatives on the death of James Edward Standifer

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To express the condolences of the House of Representatives upon the death of James  
3 Edward Standifer.

4 WHEREAS, it is with deep sorrow that the members of the House of Representatives  
5 have learned of the passing of James Edward Standifer on May 12, 2025; and

6 WHEREAS, James was born on September 27, 1973, to Dorothy Standifer Spears;  
7 he was baptized at an early age at True Zion Missionary Baptist Church in Los Angeles,  
8 California, where a strong spiritual foundation was laid that would guide him throughout his  
9 life; and

10 WHEREAS, James earned a practical nursing degree and devoted his professional  
11 career to compassionate healthcare, serving at Willow Ridge Nursing Home in Arcadia,  
12 Louisiana, and at Farmerville Nursing and Rehabilitation Center; he was deeply loved and  
13 respected by colleagues and patients alike; and

14 WHEREAS, on April 7, 2023, James was united in marriage to Dr. Juanda Sears  
15 Standifer of Simsboro, Louisiana; although no children were born of this union, together  
16 they embraced the blessing of seven children and nine grandchildren, forming a strong and  
17 loving blended family; and

18 WHEREAS, James's legacy is one of selflessness, kindness, and unwavering  
19 commitment to the well-being of others; he leaves behind cherished memories with his wife,  
20 Dr. Juanda Standifer; his children, Steven, Jhamar, Alex, Semaj, Ricky Crane, Jr., Tatika

1 Gholar (Deon), and Rickell May (Randy); nine grandchildren; and a multitude of relatives,  
2 friends, and loved ones who will forever miss him; and

3 WHEREAS, James Edward Standifer lived a life that exemplified grace, compassion,  
4 and strength; his presence was a blessing to all who knew him, and his absence will be  
5 profoundly felt by his family, friends, and community.

6 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the  
7 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby express heartfelt condolences on the death of James  
8 Edward Standifer; does hereby extend sincerest sympathies to his family and loved ones; and  
9 does hereby commemorate his life, legacy, and contributions to the health and happiness of  
10 others.

11 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to  
12 Dr. Juanda Standifer and the family of James Edward Standifer.

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