

and a cheerful word and a positive outlook, and it just calls to mind how fortunate we all are to be born with the gifts that we have, the health that we have, intelligence that we have, the strength to go on and we take those things for granted. There are others, however, who are not gifted in that fashion. They suffer through various physical or mental disabilities and yet they do so with great dignity and great achievement. She, despite her condition, graduated with honors from high school and college and worked hard and never had an attitude that she had been disadvantaged. She always made the best of everything and unfortunately time ran out on her before she could get the transplants she needed to continue to live. Her funeral is this morning and I appreciate the Speaker's willingness to put this resolution on the floor this morning. I'd ask your support for it in recognition of a fine person who we've now lost. Thank you.

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PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Wesely. Senator Cudaback.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Madam President, members, I do many tours of the Capitol throughout the year. Many of my students come down and we share the Capitol Rotunda and whatever, and one day I remember talking with this fine young lady and I said, how do you keep up enthusiasm, how do you, you know, how do you keep going with all this? And she says, well, we must remember, this Capitol is going to be here a long time after we are gone. We have to do our best for it. And I just said, enthusiasm in a person like this here that knows the outcome is grim for her, knowing reality and a person that wants to live life and she loved life and at the end she lived it fully. And I just think we can all learn from a person like this here and she set an example for us and I'd just like to remember her for this one moment here. Thank you.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Cudaback. Is there any further discussion on the legislative resolution? Senator Pedersen.

SENATOR PEDERSEN: Madam President, members of the Legislature, thank you, Senator Wesely, for bringing this to us. I just want to say she was a neat girl. She always had a smile on her face and she talked to me one day about Mickey Mouse and I said Mickey Mouse is just like you, he always smiles and that was my