

2024 SPECIAL SESSION I

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SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 699

Celebrating the life of Bradford Ayers Rundlett.

Agreed to by the Senate, October 28, 2025

WHEREAS, Bradford Ayers Rundlett, an esteemed faith leader, devoted husband, father, and grandfather, and beloved member of the Herndon community, died on July 5, 2025; and

WHEREAS, Bradford “Brad” Rundlett graduated from W.F. Dykes High School in Atlanta and earned a bachelor's degree in fine arts from the University of Georgia and a master's degree in divinity from Sewanee, the University of the South; and

WHEREAS, Brad Rundlett committed his life to God and served as a priest at the Episcopal Church of the Epiphany in Spartanburg, South Carolina; St. James' Episcopal Church in Potomac, Maryland; St. Andrew the Fisherman Episcopal Church in Mayo, Maryland; and finally, St. Timothy's Episcopal Church in Herndon, where he retired in August 2015; and

WHEREAS, in December 2023, the Episcopal Diocese of Virginia honored Brad Rundlett with the title of rector emeritus at St. Timothy's Episcopal Church; and

WHEREAS, Brad Rundlett's spiritual leadership was characterized by his tireless advocacy for those in need and his extraordinary dedication to humanitarian work both locally and in Dungannon, the Pine Ridge Reservation in South Dakota, and Chapoteau, Haiti; and

WHEREAS, Brad Rundlett mentored future priests as a field site supervisor at Virginia Theological Seminary and encouraged interfaith dialogue among spiritual leaders of other denominations in the Herndon area; and

WHEREAS, preceded in death by his daughter, Keira, Brad Rundlett will be fondly remembered and dearly missed by his loving wife, Cecile; his children, Evan, Ethan, and Annemarie, and their families; and numerous other family members and friends; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of Virginia hereby note with great sadness the loss of Bradford Ayers Rundlett, whose legacy of love, guidance, and joy will be cherished by all who knew him; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the Senate prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to the family of Bradford Ayers Rundlett as an expression of the Senate of Virginia's respect for his memory.

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