

EXTENSIONS OF REMARKS

REMEMBERING BEVERLEY
ROBERTA SULZBERGER

HON. ERIC SWALWELL

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, January 7, 2025

Mr. SWALWELL. Mr. Speaker, I rise to recognize Beverley Roberta Sulzberger, a dedicated Floridian, trailblazer in the modeling industry, and philanthropist, on the occasion of her passing on Saturday, December 28, 2024, at the age of 88.

Born in Morristown, New Jersey, on September 22, 1936, Beverley's family relocated to South Florida during her teenage years in the 1950's. Her remarkable beauty and charisma led her to a career in print and photo modeling, where she gained widespread recognition for her grace and charm.

In the 1950's, Beverley became one of the pioneering Tupperware ladies and models, an image immortalized in Alison J. Clarke's book, "Tupperware: The Promise of Plastic in 1950's America," published by the Smithsonian Institution Press. Her presence was also a familiar sight on billboards along Biscayne Boulevard in Miami, and promoting tourism for Nassau, Bahamas, as a swimsuit model.

Beverley's cinematic journey included a role in Frank Capra's "A Hole in the Head," and her modeling career took her to New York, where she graced the runway for renowned designers, including Lilly Daché.

In 1962, Beverley met Judge Eugene W. Sulzberger, her future husband, and their whirlwind romance led to marriage in 1963 at Church by the Sea in Bal Harbour, Florida. They built a life together in North Miami, raising two sons.

Beverley's passion for real estate culminated in her election as President of the Miami Beach Association of Realtors in 1992. Beyond her professional achievements, Beverley's philanthropic efforts included co-founding the Women's Auxiliary at St. Thomas University and funding nursing scholarships at the University of Miami and Barry University. Her dedication to education and community welfare left a lasting impact on many.

Beverley's legacy is one of warmth, love, and unwavering support for her family, who deeply cherish her memory. She is survived by her husband of 61 years, Eugene W. Sulzberger; her sons, Eugene C. Sulzberger and Eric W. Sulzberger; her sister, Patricia Kyle; and her brother, Edwin Leonard.

HONORING NASSER CHIDIAC

HON. GREG STANTON

OF ARIZONA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, January 7, 2025

Mr. STANTON. Mr. Speaker, I rise to honor the life and legacy of Nasser Chidiac, who was tragically lost in a car accident at the age of 50 on December 7, 2024. An inspiration to all those who crossed his path, Mr. Chidiac will forever be remembered for his quiet grace and dedication to giving back to others.

Mr. Chidiac was born in Meyasseh, Lebanon in 1974. He was the youngest of six siblings. Four years ago, he came to the United States with a dream to inspire young minds and provide for his family still living in Lebanon. For three years, he taught mathematics at Tempe High School while driving for Uber at night.

At Tempe High School, his students and colleagues remember him as not just an educator, but also a mentor, friend, and dedicated Buffaloes fan. While Mr. Chidiac's passion for teaching was evident, his true impact lay in the way he connected with his students, who remember Mr. Chidiac as someone who always took the extra time to ensure understanding, offer words of encouragement, and check in on their personal well-being. He rarely missed an opportunity to cheer on his students, whether it was in the classroom or on the court sidelines.

Mr. Chidiac's humility, generosity, and meticulous work ethic will leave a lasting legacy in the hearts and minds of all who knew him. Our thoughts are with his family, students, and colleagues as they process this devastating loss.

I thank Mr. Chidiac for his dedication to our youth, his family, and the greater community. Godspeed.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

HON. RITCHIE TORRES

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, January 7, 2025

Mr. TORRES of New York. Mr. Speaker, on Roll Call No. 429 of the 118th Congress, which was H.R. 7909 the Violence Against Women by Illegal Aliens Act, I voted in error NAY, when I fully intended to vote YEA. I am here to set the record straight: I strongly support legislation that deports the worst violent criminals, including sex offenders. There should be zero tolerance for sex offenders in our society.

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