

116TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. RES. 93

Expressing support for the designation of March 2, 2019, as “Gold Star Families Remembrance Day”.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MARCH 5, 2019

Mr. COTTON (for himself, Mr. JONES, Mr. MANCHIN, and Ms. MCSALLY)
submitted the following resolution; which was considered and agreed to

RESOLUTION

Expressing support for the designation of March 2, 2019,
as “Gold Star Families Remembrance Day”.

Whereas March 2, 2019, marks the 90th anniversary of President Calvin Coolidge signing an Act of Congress that approved and funded the first Gold Star pilgrimage to enable Gold Star mothers and widows to travel to the gravesites of their loved ones who died during World War I;

Whereas the members and veterans of the Armed Forces bear the burden of protecting the freedom of the people of the United States; and

Whereas the sacrifices of the families of the fallen members and veterans of the Armed Forces should never be forgotten: Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved*, That the Senate—

2 (1) supports the designation of March 2, 2019,
3 as “Gold Star Families Remembrance Day”;

4 (2) honors and recognizes the sacrifices made
5 by the families of veterans and members of the
6 Armed Forces who gave their lives to defend free-
7 dom and protect the United States; and

8 (3) encourages the people of the United States
9 to observe Gold Star Families Remembrance Day—

10 (A) by performing acts of service and good
11 will in their communities; and

12 (B) by celebrating the lives of those who
13 have made the ultimate sacrifice so that others
14 could continue to enjoy life, liberty, and the
15 pursuit of happiness.

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