a vice president of the Ohio AFL-CIO and the Cleveland Federation of Labor. Finally, in 1977, Joe became head of the Local 880. He spent his 13 years as president fighting for improving health care and pension benefits. The members of Local 880 speak extremely highly of Joe's years as president and remember him as an individual who worked for the union through some very tough issues and difficult times.

Joe also had a great commitment to his family and friends. When he finally retired in 1990, Joe was elated to be able to spend some time with his wife, Mary, and his four children. He spent much of his time babysitting his adorable and loving grandchildren. Joe was also able to relax in his final years by spending more time with his numerous friends on the golf course.

My fellow colleagues, please join me in saluting a leader, an organizer, and a good man for his contributions to the labor movement and for the inspirations he instilled in us all.

IN HONOR OF GAETANO "THOMAS"
TRIGILIO

# HON. DENNIS J. KUCINICH

OF OHIO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, January 24, 2000

Mr. KUCINICH. Mr. Speaker, I rise today in memory of Thomas Trigilio, a devoted husband, a good father, a dedicated co-worker, and a friend in need. You need to shake a lot of hands to know the measure of Thomas Trigilio.

I was a friend of Thomas Trigilio and in that distinction I was in good company. Thomas was made of the stuff that so many Clevelanders love about their own friends and family. Name one of Thomas' qualities and a Clevelander would nod his or her head knowingly. He's the father who worked to give his children every opportunity to succeed. He's the husband who loved his wife above all else. He's the grandfather who couldn't help but spoil his grandchildren. He's the friend from the old neighborhood with which you could share a firm handshake and chuckle over a joke told three times over. He was the inven-

tive genius who always looked for ways to make this a better world. Clevelanders nod their heads because they know Thomas Trigilio.

To have universal qualities does not diminish the preciousness of a single human life. Thomas Trigilio's life was one well led-and precious in its priorities. Thomas' life can be characterized by focus. He was a man that made priorities. Thomas was wise in the priorities that he made. His were perhaps simple choices-but there was a wisdom in that simplicity. Thomas made his wife a priority. He made his children a priority. There is no questioning Thomas Trigilio's choices. That Frances, Josephine, Maria, Anthony, Limeri, Gianni, Alec, and Justin have countless stories to share with each in their moment of grief proves there is no questioning his focus. Thomas Trigilio was a husband, father, and grandfather. And he was good at it.

My fellow colleagues, join me in offering condolences to the family of Thomas Trigilio. Let us seek to emulate his focus. Let us pray for his wisdom in making priorities. Above all, let us honor the legacy of a man we all knew, in one way or another.

## SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Title IV of Senate Resolution 4, agreed to by the Senate on February 4, 1977, calls for establishment of a system for a computerized schedule of all meetings and hearings of Senate committees, subcommittees, joint committees, and committees of conference. This title requires all such committees to notify the Office of the Senate Daily Digest—designated by the Rules committee—of the time, place, and purpose of the meetings, when scheduled, and any cancellations or changes in the meetings as they occur.

As an additional procedure along with the computerization of this information, the Office of the Senate Daily Digest will prepare this information for printing in the Extensions of Remarks section of the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD on Monday and Wednesday of each week.

Meetings scheduled for Tuesday, January 25, 2000 may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

## MEETINGS SCHEDULED

#### JANUARY 26

9 a.m.

Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Public Health Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine gene therapy, focusing on promoting patient safety.

SD-430

9:30 a m

Intelligence

To hold hearings to examine world wide threats to U.S. interests.

SH-216 Energy and Natural Resources

Business meeting to consider pending calendar business.

SD-366

10 a.m.

Budget

To hold hearings on the Congressional Budget Office's economic and budget outlook.

SD-608

Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs

To hold hearings on the nomination of Alan Greenspan, of New York, to be Chairman of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

SD-106

2 p.m.

Judiciary

Immigration Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine issues on enhancing border security.

SD-215

2:30 p.m.

Intelligence

To hold closed hearings on pending intelligence matters.

SH-219

## FEBRUARY 1

10 a.m.

Budget

To hold hearings on federal spending priorities.

SD-608

Budget

To hold hearings on the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year

SD-608

## FEBRUARY 9

FEBRUARY 8

9:30 a.m.

Governmental Affairs

To hold hearings to examine the rising cost of college tuition and the effectiveness of the Federal financial aid.

SD-342

10 a.m.

Budge

To continue hearings on the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2001

SD-608

#### FEBRUARY 10

10 a.m.

Governmental Affairs

To continue hearings to examine the rising cost of college tuition and the effectiveness of the Federal financial aid. SD-342

#### FEBRUARY 11

10 a.m.

Budget

To resume hearings on the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2001

SD-608