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5 By: Senator Teague  
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7 **SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION**

8 IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF ALEXA LATIMER DILLARD AND IN  
9 RECOGNITION OF HER CONTRIBUTIONS TO HER FAMILY AND TO  
10 DILLARD'S, INC.  
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13 **Subtitle**

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20 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE EIGHTY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE  
21 STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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23 WHEREAS, Alexa Latimer Dillard was born in Nashville, Arkansas, on  
24 October 30, 1916, and died on February 20, 2013, in Little Rock, Arkansas;  
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27 WHEREAS, Mrs. Dillard married William T. Dillard on June 9, 1940, and  
28 the couple went on to have five (5) children together; and  
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30 WHEREAS, Mrs. Dillard was the devoted wife of Mr. Dillard, who founded  
31 Dillard's Department Store, and was his true partner and confidant in the  
32 founding and growth of the store; and  
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34 WHEREAS, Mrs. Dillard was known for her quick wit and her eye for great  
35 merchandise but more importantly for her unmatched devotion to her family and  
36 her loving nature as a mother to their children; and



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2 WHEREAS, Mrs. Dillard will truly be missed, and the Senate wishes to  
3 publicly recognize her contributions,  
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5 NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE EIGHTY-NINTH GENERAL  
6 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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8 THAT the Senate recognizes Alexa Latimer Dillard's commitment, hard  
9 work, dedication, and service to her family and Dillard's, Inc., and commends  
10 her for her contributions.  
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12 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the individual members of the Senate hereby  
13 express sincere condolences to the family of Mrs. Dillard, and upon adoption  
14 of this resolution, an appropriate copy shall be provided to her family by  
15 the Secretary of the Senate.  
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