



## 2005 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 62

February 13, 2006 – Introduced by Senators S. FITZGERALD and GROTHMAN, cosponsored by Representative J. FITZGERALD. Referred to Committee on Senate Organization.

1     **Relating to:** the life and military service of Specialist Michael J. Wendling.

2             Whereas, Specialist Michael J. Wendling was born on January 3, 1985, in Fond  
3     du Lac, Wisconsin and died Monday, September 26, 2005, when an improvised  
4     explosive device detonated near his vehicle during convoy operations near Basra,  
5     Iraq; and

6             Whereas, Specialist Wendling served with distinction as a member of the Army  
7     National Guard's 2nd Battalion, 127th Infantry Regiment, 32nd Infantry Brigade,  
8     Fond du Lac, Wisconsin; and

9             Whereas, Specialist Wendling graduated from Mayville High School in 2003  
10    where he was active in football, basketball, baseball, and golf; and

11            Whereas, Specialist Wendling was a student on the dean's list at  
12    UW-Milwaukee when he was called up to active duty in May of 2005; and

13            Whereas, Specialist Wendling renewed his baptismal vows at his Confirmation  
14    in 1999 at Immanuel Lutheran Church in the town of Theresa; and

