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## 2003 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION

1 **Relating to:** the life and public service of Walter L. Merten.

2       Whereas, Walter L. Merten was born on December 11, 1922, and died on  
3 November 8, 2001, in Milwaukee, Wisconsin; and

4       Whereas, he graduated from Marquette University High School; and

5       Whereas, he earned a B.A. degree from Marquette University, and an LL.B  
6 degree in 1950; and

7       Whereas, Mr. Merten married Grace M. Stieber; and

8       Whereas, he served his country with the U.S. Army during World War II from  
9 1943 to 1946 in the Philippines and in Japan; and

10       Whereas, after his discharge from military service, at the request of the War  
11 Department, Mr. Merten served as a civilian military officer in Japan, as a specialist  
12 in government and education; and

13       Whereas, Mr. Merten was first elected to the Wisconsin Assembly in 1950  
14 (Milwaukee, 19th), serving in the 1951 and 1953 sessions; and

1           Whereas, he was subsequently elected to the Wisconsin ~~Senate~~ in 1954 (5th  
2 Senate District), serving in the 1955 and 1957 sessions; and

3           Whereas, during his tenure in the ~~Legislature~~, Mr. Merten was the ~~Assistant~~  
4 majority floor leader during the 1957 session; now, therefore, ~~be it~~ <sup>2</sup>

5           **Resolved by the senate <sup>of</sup> the assembly concurring, That** the members of  
6 the Wisconsin legislature commend the devoted public service that Walter L. Merten  
7 contributed to this state and his community, express their sorrow at his death, and  
8 extend their condolences to his family and friends; and ~~be it further~~ <sup>1</sup>

9           **Resolved, That** the senate chief clerk shall provide a copy of this joint  
10 resolution to Mr. Merten's sister, Florence Fridal.

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(END)



**Dykman, Peter**

**From:** Doyle, Donna  
**Sent:** Friday, October 11, 2002 8:43 AM  
**To:** Dykman, Peter  
**Subject:** Submitted: LRB-0400/1 Topic: Walter Merten?body=

we need a change on LRB-0400 the joint resolution for Walter Merten. The last paragraph states the the clerk shall provide a copy of the joint res to Mr. Merten's sister. please add his wife, Grace M. Merten - she is definitely alive, however, the obituary was a little ambiguous. thanks

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**Kunkel, Laura**

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**From:** Doyle, Donna  
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