



## 2013 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 13

1     **Relating to:** the life and military service of United States Army Staff Sergeant  
2             Joseph James Altmann.

3             Whereas, Joseph was born on December 15, 1984, in Marshfield, Wisconsin, to  
4     John and Janice Altmann and died on December 25, 2011, of injuries sustained when  
5     an insurgent attacked his unit in Kunar Province, Afghanistan; and

6             Whereas, Joseph was a 2003 graduate of Columbus Catholic High School and  
7     attended the University of Wisconsin–Marshfield/Wood County and the University  
8     of Wisconsin–Marathon County; and

9             Whereas, Joseph entered the United States Army and attended basic training  
10    at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri, graduating in July 2005; and

11            Whereas, Joseph further trained as a combat medic at Fort Sam Houston in San  
12    Antonio, Texas, graduating in November 2005; and

13            Whereas, Joseph was assigned to the 2nd Battalion, 3rd Field Artillery  
14    Regiment, 2nd Armored Division, Giessen, Germany, and served his first tour of duty  
15    in Iraq from 2006 to 2007; and

