

SHORT TITLE: Praising the life and career of the late Dr. David
Falcone; distribution.

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2nd Session of the 45th Legislature (1996)

SENATE CONCURRENT
RESOLUTION NO. 76

By: Monson of the Senate

and

Boyd (Laura) of the House

AS INTRODUCED

A Concurrent Resolution praising the life and career of the late Dr. David Falcone; and directing distribution.

WHEREAS, David Falcone was born August 12, 1944 in Massillon, Ohio, and grew up in Durham, North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, Dr. David Falcone developed a distinguished academic career and achieved a national and international reputation in gerontology and long term care. He received his bachelor and doctorate degrees from Duke University, as well as a masters degree from Arizona State University. Dr. Falcone joined the faculty at Duke University in the Department of Health Administration, while at the same time serving as Associate Editor for the "Journal of Health, Policy, Politics and Law". He was named Associate Program Director of Duke's Center for the Study of Aging and Human Development; and

WHEREAS, Dr. David Falcone came to the University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center in 1992 as Professor and Chair of the Department of Health Administration and Policy and Associate Director of the Oklahoma Center on Aging. Although best known for his research on aging, he was a great teacher, and was selected by students as the recipient of the 1996 "Outstanding Teacher of the Year Award"; and

WHEREAS, Dr. David Falcone served as an advisor to the Aging Division of the Department of Human Services; as a major participant in the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation grant on long term care; as a major participant in the Oklahoma Rural Research and Demonstration Center, where he assessed rural community needs for health care; and as a role model who stimulated and inspired many Oklahoma students to achieve their goals in Health Administration and Policy; and

WHEREAS, Dr. David Falcone passed away May 27, 1996. Dr. Falcone is survived by his wife, Judy; his son, David; his mother, Dorothy; three brothers, Joseph, Edward and Carmen; a niece, Christina; and an uncle, Michael.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE 2ND SESSION OF THE 45TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING THEREIN:

THAT the Oklahoma State Legislature praises the life and career of the late Dr. David Falcone.

THAT a copy of this resolution be distributed to his wife, Judy; his son, David; University of Oklahoma President David Boren; University of Oklahoma Provost Joseph Ferretti; and Dr. Ed Brandt of the Center for Health Policy Research and Development at the Health Sciences Center of the University of Oklahoma.

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