

Introduced by

Senators Klein, G. Lee, Wardner

Representatives Porter, Weisz, Grande

1 A concurrent resolution congratulating the establishment of the first North Dakota chapter of  
2 Pilots for Christ, International, and honoring Mr. John Timothy Rice for whom the chapter is  
3 named.

4 **WHEREAS**, Air Force Second Lieutenant John Timothy Rice of Maddock, North Dakota,  
5 graduated from the United States Air Force Academy with honors in May of 2010 and was a  
6 member of the United States Air Force Academy Flying Team; and

7 **WHEREAS**, while attending Texas Tech University in 2011 his rich and full life was tragically  
8 cut short; and

9 **WHEREAS**, Pilots for Christ is an international nondenominational ministry of pilots and  
10 aviation enthusiasts dedicated to the promotion of the Gospel through aviation; and

11 **WHEREAS**, Pilots for Christ will provide services, including mercy flights, ambulatory  
12 medical flights, missionary transportation, and incentive flights for youth groups, free of charge  
13 to any needy person through a one hundred percent volunteer organization that does not have  
14 any paid staff;

15 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF NORTH DAKOTA, THE**  
16 **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING THEREIN:**

17 That the Sixty-third Legislative Assembly congratulates the establishment of the first North  
18 Dakota chapter of Pilots for Christ, International, and honors Mr. John Timothy Rice for whom  
19 the chapter is named; and

20 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Secretary of State forward an enrolled copy to the  
21 immediate family of John Timothy Rice and to the North Dakota chapter of Pilots for Christ.