

WHEREAS: Joseph's passing will leave a void in the lives of all his surviving nieces and nephews;
and

WHEREAS: Joseph will be sorely missed by all he touched and loved; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record extending its deepest sympathy to the family of Rev.
Joseph I. Collins at this time of such personal loss; and be it further

RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to forward a suitably engrossed copy of
this resolution to the Collins family on behalf of the entire City Council.

In City Council October 20, 2003.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "D. Margaret Drury", written over a horizontal line.

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk



City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

October 20, 2003

MAYOR SULLIVAN
VICE MAYOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR DECKER
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR MURPHY
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

WHEREAS: This City Council was deeply saddened at learning of the death of Reverend Joseph I. Collins on September 30, 2003; and

WHEREAS: Joseph was a World War I veteran serving in the U.S. Army's 89th Infantry Division as its Chaplain, and during his service to country received two battle stars for combat; and

WHEREAS: Joseph graduated from the College of the Holy Cross in 1935 and St. John's Seminary in 1940; and

WHEREAS: Joseph was ordained in 1940 and served as Curate at St. Mary of the Assumption Church in Hull, MA; and

WHEREAS: Joseph served at St. Paul Church in Cambridge, MA from 1948-1965, and as its Pastor from 1965-1971; and

WHEREAS: Joseph served as the Chaplain to Radcliffe College and Harvard University; and

WHEREAS: Joseph served as the Pastor at St. Pius V Church in Lynn, MA from 1971-1980; and

WHEREAS: Joseph was the Co-founder of the Boston Archdiocesan Choir School at St. Paul Church in Cambridge, MA; and

WHEREAS: Joseph was the beloved son of the late Daniel J. and Nora (Twomey) Collins; and

WHEREAS: Joseph was the beloved brother of the late Margaret Murphy, Agnes Cummings, Theresa V. Rafferty, James F., M.D., and Francis J.; and

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RESOLUTION #72

Resolution on the death of Reverend
Joseph I. Collins.

**Mayor Sullivan and entire
membership**

In City Council October 20, 2003

ORDER ADOPTED