



City of Cambridge

R-42.

IN CITY COUNCIL

April 30, 2007

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

- WHEREAS: This City Council was deeply saddened at learning of the death of Ralph Norman Helverson on April 25, 2007; and
- WHEREAS: Ralph was a minister of The First Parish in Cambridge, Unitarian Universalist, from 1959 to 1977; and
- WHEREAS: Ralph also served Unitarian Universalist congregations in New York, Florida, and conducted interim ministries in California, Connecticut and Florida; and
- WHEREAS: Ralph received degrees from Anderson college, Garrett Theological Seminary, Cornell University and an honorary doctorate in divinity from Meadville Lombard Theological School; and
- WHEREAS: Ralph was the beloved father of the late John Norman Helverson; and
- WHEREAS: Ralph's passing will leave a void in the lives of all his surviving family, his wife Wynanda Helverson; his son Donald Eric Helverson; his sisters Vivian McNerney Lillian Cutting and Hazel Allen; his four grandchildren Rebecca Byors and Sophia, Hope and Annika Helverson; and his great grandchild Katlyn Byors; and
- WHEREAS: Ralph 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 Ralph Norman Helverson 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 Helverson family on behalf of the entire City Council.

In City Council April 30, 2007.
 Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.
 Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "D. Margaret Drury".

D. Margaret Drury
 City Clerk

RESOLUTION #42

**Resolution on the death of Ralph
Norman Helverson
Councillor Sullivan and entire
membership**

**In City Council
April 30, 2007**

ORDER ADOPTED