

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

In City Council January 13, 2003.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

D. Margaret Drury

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk



City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

January 13, 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 Jean (Collins) Kerr January 5, 2003; and

WHEREAS: Jean was a graduate of Marywood College and received a Master's degree from Catholic University; and

WHEREAS: Jean was the witty author, playwright and columnist who translated her Broadway-oriented suburban family life into the 1957 bestseller "Please Don't Eat the Daisies"; and

WHEREAS: Jean Kerr's best hit play was "Mary, Mary" about a still-in-love divorced couple which ran for four years on Broadway; and

WHEREAS: Jean was known for her 1955 interview with Theatre Arts Magazine where she told the reporter "I have two trifling ambitions in the theater: to make a lot of people laugh and to make a lot of money"; and

WHEREAS: Jean was the beloved wife of the late famed drama critic, playwright and director Walter Kerr; and

WHEREAS: Jean was the mother to six beautiful children: five boys and one girl; and

WHEREAS: Jean will be sorely missed by all she touched and loved; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record extending its deepest sympathy to the family of Jean Kerr at this time of such personal loss; and be it further

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RESOLUTION #36

Resolution on the death of Jean
(Collins) Kerr.
**Mayor Sullivan and entire
membership**

In City Council January 13, 2003

ORDER ADOPTED.