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Designating September 25, 1994, as "Gold Star Mothers Day".

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

March 24, 1994

Mr. COYNE introduced the following joint resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service

JOINT RESOLUTION

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- Whereas the services rendered to the United States by the mothers of America have strengthened and inspired our Nation throughout our history;
- Whereas we honor ourselves and the mothers of America when we revere and emphasize the role of the home and the family as the true foundations of our Nation;
- Whereas by doing so much for the home, the American mother is a source of moral and spiritual guidance for the people of the United States and thus acts as a positive

force to promote good government and peace among all mankind;

- Whereas the American Gold Star Mothers assist veterans of the Armed Forces and their dependents in the presentation of claims to the Veterans' Administration, and aid the men and women who served and died or were wounded or incapacitated during hostilities; and
- Whereas the American Gold Star Mothers have suffered the supreme sacrifice of motherhood by losing sons and daughters who served in the Armed Services, and thus perpetuate the memory of all whose lives were sacrificed in our wars: Now, therefore, be it
 - 1 Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives
 - 2 of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
 - 3 That September 25, 1994, is designated as "Gold Star 4 Mothers Day", and the President is authorized and re-5 quested to issue a proclamation calling upon the people 6 of the United States to observe such day with appropriate 7 ceremonies and activities.