

and private worth, solemnly record their sentiment of his impressive merits, and offer every tribute of reverence for those excellencies which have proved themselves to Maryland, in permanent benefits; strengthened the Councils of the Fathers of our Freedom, and mingled in the lustre of our revolutionary renown: Be it therefore,

*Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That we cherish for the memory of Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, the deepest respect; indulging with pride the reflection that Maryland, to whose dignity and advantage were devoted his zealous and accomplished mind, and the energy and weight of his pure character, was the land of his birth and the home of his long and interesting life.

*Resolved,* That the resolute patriotism of Charles Carroll, when at the hazard of his brilliant private interests he dedicated himself to the cause of American Independence, consecrates his life among the memorials of civil heroism, to adorn and enforce the history of human liberty;—that this patriotic sacrifice, and the continued and cogent efforts of his mind, and all his earnest labours in advancing the consummation of our Independence, in awakening the people of Maryland to the sense of their rights, and their power, and in sustaining their ardour in their vindication through the crisis of our revolution, command our admiration and our gratitude.

*Resolved,* That permanently to indicate to posterity a noble model of public spirit, and to keep alive to future ages of the Republic, the image of a useful life and a glorious example; the Governor be and he is hereby requested to procure to be painted a full length likeness of the departed Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, to be placed in the Senate Chamber; the scene of his legislative labours; the theatre of that body, whose peculiar Constitution he framed, and the site of the sublime surrender of military authority, by the Father of our Country, with whose honours the deserts of Carroll are entwined.

*Resolved,* That in testimony of the respect we have expressed for the deceased; the members of the Assembly, wear badges of mourning for the remainder of this session; and that the Council and Senate Chambers, and Hall of the House of Delegates, be hung with mourning for the same period.

*Resolved,* That the Governor be, and he is hereby requested to transmit to the family of the deceased, copies of these resolutions.