

*Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the Secretary of State be and he is hereby requested to furnish the Superintendent of Schools in each County and Baltimore City with a sufficient number of copies of the Maryland Manual, so that each Superintendent can furnish a copy of said Manual for each public, private and parochial school in his County, or City, as the case may be.

Approved April 26, 1939.

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NO. 3.

(House Joint Resolution 20)

A Joint Resolution on the Death of Pope Pius XI

WHEREAS, His Holiness, Pope Pius XI, had ever stood before the world a fearless champion of piety, peace, patriotism, justice and tolerance; and

WHEREAS, the people of the Free State of Maryland have ever rested their destiny on these godly principles, which His Holiness clearly taught, practically expounded, and faithfully defended; and

WHEREAS, the Senate and the House of Delegates of Maryland have already separately recorded their grief at the passing of His Holiness, Pope Pius XI, who pointed to a sad and struggling world the road to joyous peace; therefore, be it

*Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That, in grateful tribute to a man whose life and actions were an admirable pattern for the fulfillment of their most sacred aspirations, they hereby jointly record both the sense of loss they feel at the death of His Holiness, Pope Pius XI, and their profound sympathy with the bereaved members of the church of which His Holiness was the visible head; and be it further

*Resolved,* That the Secretary of State be and he is hereby directed to send, under the Great Seal of the State, a copy of this resolution to His Excellency, the Most Reverend Amleto Giovanni Cicognani, Apostolic Delegate to the United States of America, together with a request that His Excellency transmit this same copy to the proper officer of the Apostolic Palace of the Vatican.

Approved April 26, 1939.