



STATE *of* MINNESOTA

Proclamation

WHEREAS: The death of a loved one is a devastating experience, and the murder of a loved one is exceptionally difficult; and

WHEREAS: The friends and families of murder victims cope with grief through a variety of support services, including counseling, crisis intervention, professional referrals, and assistance in dealing with the criminal justice system; and

WHEREAS: The designation of a Day of Remembrance for Victims of Homicide on September 25, 2012, provides an opportunity for the people of Minnesota to honor the memories of homicide victims and to recognize the impact of these losses on surviving family members and loved ones.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARK DAYTON, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim September 25, 2012 as:

DAY OF REMEMBRANCE FOR
VICTIMS OF HOMICIDE

in the State of Minnesota.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this 24th day of September.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Mark Dayton".

GOVERNOR

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Mark Ritchie".

SECRETARY OF STATE