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Statement from Mayor Emanuel on the Passing of First Lady Barbara Bush

First Lady Barbara Bush was deeply devoted to her country, her family and empowering the world through literacy. She will be remembered for her strength and graciousness, abiding patriotism and generous philanthropy. We are all keeping her beloved husband of 73 years, President George H.W. Bush, their children, grandchildren and the entire Bush family in our thoughts and prayers.

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