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MARVIN BALL, 75, of Pawleys Island, S.C., formerly of Cranston, operator of Balson Industries, Pawtucket, from 1963 until he retired, in 1989, died Thursday at Duke University Medical Center, Durham, N.C. He was the husband of Marie (Williams) Ball.



Born in Brooklyn, N.Y., a son of the late Harry and Harriet (Feinstein) Ball, he moved to Cranston in 1965 and lived in Rhode Island until 1989. With his father and brothers, Mr. Ball founded Harry Ball and Sons, a textile manufacturing company in New York, in 1947.

Mr. Ball was a former member of Temple Torat Yisrael, Cranston, and was a member of Temple Beth Eloham in South Carolina. He was a 1944 graduate of North Carolina State College of Textiles, where he later created the Ball Memorial Scholarship for textile students.

Besides his wife, he leaves four daughters, Marjorie Ball DiBella of East Greenwich, Eileen Ball of Chicago, Ill., Judy Ball of Natick, Mass., and Mindy Oswald of Barrington; two brothers, Jerry Ball of New York and Robert Ball of Rehoboth, and five grandchildren.

The funeral service will be held tomorrow at 11 a.m. in Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope St., Providence. Burial will be in Swan Point Cemetery, Providence.

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March 4, 1999. Residence: 720 Tidewater Circle, Pawleys Island, SC. Beloved husband of Marie (Williams) Ball. Devoted father of Marjorie Ball DiBella of East Greenwich, Eileen Ball of Chicago, IL; Judy Ball of Natick, MA and Mindy Oswald of Barrington. Dear brother of Jerry Ball of Manhattan, NY and Robert Ball of Rehoboth, MA. Loving grandfather of Gregory Doan, Samuel and Ana Lucia DiBella and Natalie and Camille Oswald. Funeral Services will be held Monday at 11AM at the MAX SUGARMAN MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 458 Hope St. (corner Doyle Ave.), Providence. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the Ball Memorial Scholarship, c/o Kent Hester, Box 8301, NC State University - College of Textiles, Raleigh, NC 27675. Shiva will be Private.