

BLACKMAN, GLORIA

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BLACKMAN, GLORIA C.
(Botvin), 94, of Luzon Ave., Providence died Wednesday at Hallworth House. She was the wife of the late Edward Blackman and the late Max Siegal.

Born in Providence, a daughter of the late Jacob and Rose (Botvin) Botvin, she was a lifelong resident of the City.

Mrs. Blackman was the owner/operator of the former Siegal Oldsmobile in Woonsocket, which was established in 1944 until her retirement in 1995. She was formerly associated with Colonial Motors, Inc. in Providence. She was a member of the RI Auto Dealers Association. Mrs. Blackman was a member of Temple Beth El and its Sisterhood and a member of the RI Jewish Historical Society. She was a life member of Hadassah, the former Jewish Home for the Aged and the Miriam Hospital Ladies Auxiliary. She was also active with the Jewish Federation.

She is survived by a daughter; Linda Susan Siegal of Victoria, British Columbia, four step-children; Linda Feldman of Scarsdale, NY, Kenneth Blackman of New York City, Joan Youngsman of Newton, MA, and Richard Blackman of Warwick and many nieces and nephews. She was the sister of the late Max, Louis, Peter and Maurice Botvin and Shirley White.

Funeral services will be held on Monday at 11:00 am at Sugarman-Sinai Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope Street, Providence. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to your favorite charity. Burial and Shiva are private.