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Roland C. Block ✓

**Had been a public accountant
in the area more than 50 years**

CRANSTON — Roland C. Block, 79, of 96 Bluff Ave., a public accountant for many years, died yesterday at home after an illness. He was the husband of Fay (Lucove) Block.

Mr. Block maintained an accountant's office in the Fleet bank building in Providence for nearly 50 years and on Jefferson Boulevard in Warwick for the last five years.

Born in Providence, he was a son of the late Louis and Bertha (Basker) Block. He had lived in Providence until moving to Cranston more than 40 years ago.

Mr. Block was a 1932 graduate of Bryant College.

He was a member of Temple Beth-El in Providence and of the temple's brotherhood. He was a member of the first confirmation class of that temple when it was on Broad Street, Providence.

Mr. Block was a member of Redwood Lodge No. 35, AF&AM; Aleppo Temple of Shriners, the state and national Association of Public Accountants, and was a charter member of Crestwood Country Club.

Besides his wife, he leaves two sons, Stephen D. Block of Warwick and Robert B. Block of Cranston; a daughter, Lesley D. Zuckerman of Cranston; seven grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

The funeral will be tomorrow at noon at Temple Beth-El, 70 Orchard Ave., Providence. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.

Block, Roland C.