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February 17, 2000. Beloved Husband of the late Ruth (Klemer) Bloom. Residence: Lakeworth, FL; formerly Providence. Dear Father of Ellen Schein, Providence and Peter Bloom, Rome. Loving Brother of Abraham and Julius Bloom, both of Seekonk, MA and Marcia Isenberg, Pompano Beach, FL. Devoted Grandfather of Leslie, Philip, Michael, Seth, Claire. Great-Grandfather of Jordan, Harley, Justin and Sari. Funeral Service 12:00 pm Monday at TEMPLE BETH-EL, 70 Orchard Ave., Providence. Relatives and friends are invited. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Temple Beth-El Shiva at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schein, 125 Hartshorn Rd., Providence, Tuesday 2-4 and 7-9 pm. Arrangements by MAX SUGARMAN MEMORIAL CHAPEL.

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BENJAMIN BLOOM, 95, of Lakeworth, Fla., founder and owner of the former William Bloom & Son Co., died Thursday at Wellington Regional Hospital in Florida.

He was the husband of the late Ruth (Klemer) Bloom. Born in Poland, a son of the late William and Lena Bloom, he had lived in Providence most of his life.

His company sold store fixtures. Mr. Bloom graduated from the University of Rhode Island with a degree in engineering.

He was a member of the Breakers Golf Club in Florida and a former member of Ledgemont Country Club and Temple Beth-El.

He leaves a daughter, Ellen Schein of Providence; a son, Peter Bloom of Rome, Italy; two brothers, Abraham Bloom and Julius Bloom, both of Seekonk; a sister, Marcia Isenberg of Pompano Beach, Fla.; and five grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

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