

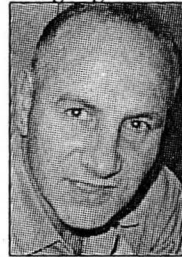
COHEN, GERALD

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CRANSTON

 **COHEN, GERALD P.**, 89, of Cranston, died peacefully Thursday, 4/14/11. Beloved husband of Bernice (Karten) Cohen and the late Julia (Malatt) Cohen. Devoted father of Wendy and Terry Moscovitz and Debra and Michael Trezvant and stepfather of Karen Karten and Cliff and Vicki Karten. Cherished grandfather of Jennifer Moscovitz and her fiancé Joseph Angelone, Jamie Moscovitz, Nicole Trezvant, Max Karten and the late Ben Karten. Dear brother of Maurice (Moe) Cohen and the late Herbert Cohen. Adored brother-in-law of the late Frances Cohen and Suzanne Cohen. Beloved uncle of Howard and Pat Cohen, Steven and Jean Cohen and Stuart and Linda Cohen. Dear son-in-law of the late Jennie Malatt. Beloved father of Jake, his loving dog. Born in Providence, a



son of the late Aaron and Nettie (Paster) Cohen, he had lived in Cranston for 56 years. He attended Clasical High School, Class

of '40. He served in the Air Force in WW-II in the 355th Fighter Squadron. He and his twin brother Moe opened Twin Florists, Inc. in 1951, ran it until 1985, and continued working as a florist until 2009. Gerry was a lifelong member and officer of Redwood Lodge #35 AF & AM and served on the Grand Lodge. He was a devoted Red Sox and Patriots fan.

A funeral service will be held Sunday, April 17, at 10:00 a.m. in SHALOM MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 1100 New London Avenue, Cranston. Shiva will be observed at the home of his daughter, Wendy, 17 Ashbrook Drive, Cranston, Sunday 6-8 p.m. and Monday 2-4 p.m. Donations in his memory may be made to Cranston Animal Shelter, 920 Phenix Ave., Cranston, RI 02921.