

CORWIN,

PHYLLIS

(LITTMAN)

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CORWIN, PHYLLIS LITTMAN, 88, of Laurelmead, Blackstone Boulevard, Providence, died Sunday.

Born in Manhattan, daughter of the late Samuel and Anna (Kenner) Littman, and sister of the late Charlotte Cohen, she is survived by her husband, Jerome Corwin, her son Stuart and his wife Susan of Petaluma, CA, and son Robert of Philadelphia.

Her family moved from NY to Providence in the late 1920s after selling their housewares store on Park Avenue to help turn their cousin's shoelace company into American Insulated Wire Co. After graduating from Classical H.S., and Pembroke College/Brown University in 1934 with Final Highest Honors, she became a Social Worker, and received a Master's Degree at age 60 from RI College.

Phyllis was a devoted mother, travelled the world with her husband, worked for the Girl Scouts, Assn. for the Blind, and Bradley Hospital, and was active as a Docent and Associate at the RISD and Boca Raton Museums, and in the Sisterhood of Temple Beth El and as an alumna of Brown.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to a charity of your choice. After a private service at Swan Point Cemetery, shiva will be observed at Laurelmead, Tues. and Wed. from 3-5 and 6:30-8 p.m.