

ELKIN, ALFRED

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ALFRED AARON ELKIN, 77, of Blackstone Boulevard, owner and operator of Vinyl Packaging and Plastic Development of Pawtucket for more than 30 years, died unexpectedly Friday while at work.



He was the husband of Gisele (Champoux) Elkin; they were married for 53 years. Born in Montreal, Quebec, Canada, the son of the late Samuel and Dorothy (Grossman) Elkin, he immigrated to East Providence in 1956, and had also lived in Pawtucket before moving to Providence.

Mr. Elkin had designed many disposable medical products, which were the foundation on which his company was based, and had obtained many patents.

During World War II, he served with the British Ferry Command, and was stationed in Labrador and Greenland.

The Preservation Society of Pawtucket had recognized him for his role in the restoration of the illuminated clock tower at Sabin Street and Central Avenue.

During the past two years, he had made almost weekly trips to Boston to watch his grandson play hockey.

Besides his wife, he leaves a daughter, Dorothy Elkin of Stoneham, Mass.; and a grandson, Benjamin Halpin. He was the brother of the late Phyllis Irene Nudel.

A memorial service will be held tomorrow at 11 a.m. in the chapel at Swan Point Cemetery, Blackstone Boulevard, Providence.

ELKIN, Alfred Aaron

July 27, 2001. Beloved husband of Gisele (Champoux) Elkin. Residence: Blackstone Blvd., Providence. Devoted Father of Dorothy Elkin and husband John Halpin of Stoneham, MA. Loving brother of the late Phyllis Irene Nudel and her husband, the late Harold Nudel. Adored Grandfather of Benjamin Halpin. A Memorial Service will be held on Wednesday at 11:00 AM at Swan Point Chapel. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to your favorite charity. The family was assisted with the arrangements by the SUGARMAN-SINAI MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 458 Hope St.