

FLINK,
ELLIS M.

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FLINK, ELLIS M., 91, of Blackstone Blvd., Providence, a retired food distributions executive, died Monday at Miriam Hospital. He was the husband of Rose (Lisker) Flink.

Born in Providence, a son of the late Abe V. and Rose (Goldstein) Flink, he was a lifelong resident of the city, wintering in Palm Beach, FL. Mr. Flink was a graduate of M.I.T., class of 1935.

Mr. Flink was the president and treasurer of the former B. Flink & Sons Co., a company founded by his grandfather in 1899. After a series of mergers, he became a director and senior vice president of Flagstaff Corporation, retiring in 1977. He served as a director of various industry associations.

He served with the U.S. Army during WWII. He was a member of Temple Beth El. Mr. Flink was a talented artist working with wood, metal and other media.

Besides his wife, he leaves a son, James M. Flink of Denmark; one daughter, Joanne F. Silver of Framingham, MA; four grandchildren, David and Stephanie living in the US, and Sophia and Mathilde living in Denmark; and one great-granddaughter, Ariana living in the US. He was the brother of the late Eunice Brown and Shirley Rosenbloom.

A graveside service will be held at Temple Beth El Cemetery, Providence at 10:00 AM on Thursday. Shiva will be private. In lieu of flowers, contributions in his memory may be made to the charity of your choice. Arrangements by Sugarman-Sinai Memorial Chapel.