

FRIEDMAN,
PAUL D.

Paul D. Friedman, 64

PROVIDENCE — Paul D. Friedman, 64, died Sept. 11 at Miriam Hospital. A Providence resident most of his life, he was the husband of Barbara (Harris) Friedman. The son of the late Meyer and Dorothy (Ray) Friedman, he was born in Liberty, N.Y.

The owner of R.I.'s first video store, Video Works on South Main St., he retired in 1990. Prior to that, he had been the Director of International Purchasing at the former Brite Industries in Providence for 15 years.

Mr. Friedman was devoted to social justice, was active in the peace movement in the 1960s and throughout his life. He was an accomplished guitarist who loved folk music and blues.

Besides his wife, he leaves his daughters: Jennifer Schnirman and her husband Geoffrey of Providence; Amanda Wislocki-

Wasecki and her husband Cezary of Natick, Mass.; a brother, Jeffrey Grossman of Glen Cove, N.Y.; two sisters, Carol Sachenbacher of Acton, Mass., and Geri Grossman of Hastings-on-Hudson, N.Y.; three grandchildren: Ruby, Leah and Noah; his mother-in-law, Helen Harris of Deerfield Beach, Fla., and many good friends.

Burial was in Swan Point Cemetery, Blackstone Blvd., Providence.

Contributions may be made to a peace organization.

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