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Sylvia

SYLVIA GALKIN, 97, of 2170 Ibis Way, Palm Beach, Fla., died Tuesday at home. She was the widow of Arthur Galkin. She was also the widow of Benjamin Rossman.

Born in Cambridge, Mass., a daughter of the late Louis and Bessie (Sborowsky) Burrows, she lived in Providence for many years before moving to Florida five years ago.

Mrs. Galkin was a yeomanette in the Navy in World War I. She was a 1922 graduate of the Passé-Normal School, Boston. She taught gym and operated a playground in the Boston area in the 1920s. She was later an interior decorator for Shirvay and Co. In 1922. she played against Helen Wills Moody in a semi-final match of a tennis tournament. She was a past president of the Council of Jewish Women, Providence. She was a board member of the Jewish Federation of Rhode Island, and a member of Temple Beth-El.

She leaves two sons, Robert Galkin of Cranston, and Warren Galkin of Warwick; two daughters, Anne Krause of Boca Raton, Fla., and Ruth Steiner of Oceanside, Calif.; a sister, Trudie DeForest of Needham, Mass.; 14 grandchildren, and 28 great-grandchildren.

A private memorial service will be held in the spring.

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January 4, 1994. Residence: Palm Beach, FL. Beloved wife of the late Benjamin Rossman and the late Arthur Galkin. Devoted mother of Robert Galkin, Cranston, Warren Galkin, Warwick, Anne Krause of Boca Raton, FL. and Ruth Steiner of Oceanside, CA. Dear sister of Trudie DeForest, Needham, MA. Loving grandmother of 14 grandchildren and 28 great grandchildren. A memorial service will be held in the spring at the family's convenience. In lieu of flowers contributions in her memory may be made to the Sylvia R. Galkin Scholarship Fund, Providence Section of the National Council of Jewish Women, Care of Ruth Kramer, 2 Regency Plaza, #707, Providence, RI 02903. Shiva will be private. Arrangements by the MAX SUGARMANN MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 458 Hope St., (Corner of Doyle Ave.).