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Funeral services will be held on Monday at 10:00 a.m. in Temple Emanu-El, 99 Taft Ave., Providence.

In lieu of flowers, you can make contributions to the Brown University, Miriam Hospital, or the Jewish Seniors Agency of Rhode Island.

For online condolences, visit ShalomMemorialChapel.com.

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