GREEN, LEILA

PROVIDENCE

GREEN, LEILA ABRAMS, 82, of Warwick, RI, passed peacefully on Monday, July 16, 2012 following a brief battle with cancer. Born March 16, 1930 in Providence, she was the daughter of the late Herman and Rebecca (Kortick) Abrams.

Leila graduated from Hope High School in 1947. She married, and was a homemaker for 25 years. She also worked as an auditor for the State of Rhode Island, and an interviewer for the US Bureau of the Census. Leila was invited to be a test cook for America's Test Kitchens, and was a URI Certified Master Gardener. Her gardens were featured in articles in the Warwick Beacon, The Providence Journal, and in 2008, in Better Homes and Gardens.

Survivors include: her four children Bonnie, Donald and wife Olga Brown, Harvey and wife Shari, and Daniel; grandchildren David, Elle, Ashley, Emily, and Maya; nephews Richard and Michael Mellion; her sister, Hope Mellion; loving companion, Richard Powers.

A celebration of her life will be held in her back garden Sunday, July 22, 2012 from 2-4pm.

Donations can be sent to The Animal Rescue League or Visiting Nurses of Care New England, Kent County.