GUTLON, Audrey

AUDREY CHASE GUTLON, 65, of Durham, N.C., an interior designer and professional fundraiser, died Dec. 23 at Duke Hospital in Durham after a seven-year battle with cancer.

She was born in Providence in 1934, the daughter of Samuel and Bertha (Snell) Chase, and lived here for more than 30 years before moving, for business reasons, to the Philippines, Hong Kong and New York City. She moved to Durham about 10 years ago.

A graduate of Bennington College in Vermont, she was a partner in the interior design firm Kiser-Gutlon in New York and also was co-founder of The Design Industry Foundation to Fight AIDS.

In Durham, she developed several fundraising programs, including an annual luncheon for the Duke University Cancer Center and the Duke Cancer Patient Support Program. On Dec. 8, the cancer center staff recognized her efforts with their highest honor by placing an ornament in her name atop the Tree of Hope.

In Durham, she also served as a board member of the Art Guild and the Friends of the Duke University Museum of Art.

She leaves a son, Richard, and a daughter, Pamela, both of Durham, and a sister, Marian Chase Broder of Springfield, Mass.

A memorial service will be held Wednesday at 11 a.m. in Temple Beth El, 70 Orchard Ave., Providence.

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December 23, 1999. Age 65, of Durham, NC, formerly of Providence. Daughter of Samuel and Bertha (Snell) Chase. Mother of Richard and Pamela, both of Durham. Sister of Marian Chase Broder, of Springfield, MA. A Memorial Service will be held Wednesday, January 5, at 11AM at Temple Beth El, 70 Orchard Ave., Providence. In lieu of flowers, the chidren have requested that contributions be made in Audrey's honor to The Duke Cancer Patient Support Program, Duke Universtiy Medical Center, P.O. Box 3139, Durham, NC 27710.