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HALZEL, HAROLD JACOB, 87, of Tamarisk, 3 Shalom Dr., died Tuesday at Philip Hulitar Inpatient Center, Providence. He was the beloved husband of Shirley (Gitlin) Halzel.

Born in Malden, MA, a son of the late Philip and Etta (Baum) Halzel, he had lived in Warwick for 48 years, previously living in Providence for 7 years. He was the owner of the former Crown Displays, Inc. for 35 years, retiring in 1986. He was a Navy veteran of WWII, serving in the Pacific Theatre. Harold was a member and past Vice President of Temple Am David. He was a 50 year member of Major General Henry Knox Lodge of the Masons AM & FM in Boston and a 50 year member of the Sackin-Shocket Post of the Jewish War Veterans. Harold was a Past President of the Board of Directors of Nickerson Community Center, Providence. He was a member of the Scottish Rite Valley of Providence, Palestine Shrine and a Past President of the Oriental Band.

Devoted father of Leonard Halzel and his wife Barbara of Providence, Martin Halzel and his wife Dr. Jan of Centennial, CO and Dr. Miriam Caslow and her husband Robert of Port Washington, NY. Dear brother of Dorothy Cushman of Silver Spring, MD and the late George Halzel. Loving grandfather of Eric, Michael, Rachel, Julie, Adam & Emily and her husband Nathan. Cherished Great Grandfather of Lynn.

Funeral services will be held Thursday at 1:00 p.m. in SHALOM MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 1100 New London Ave., Cranston. In lieu of flowers, contributions in his memory may be made to ThyCa: Thyroid Cancer Survivors Assn., Inc., P.O. Box 1545, New York, NY 10159-1545, www.thyca.org or Joseph A. Pierno Scholarship Fund, 3 Shalom Dr., c/o Tamarisk, Warwick, RI 02886. Shiva will be observed at his late residence Thurs. 7-9, Fri. 1-3, Sat. 7-9, Sun. 2-4 & 7-9 and Mon-Wed. in Port Washington, NY.