HORVITZ, ROSE (GERSHKOFF)

PROVIDENCE

5-20-05

HORVITZ, ROSE (GERSHKOFF), 99, of 1 Butler Avenue, Providence, died Thursday at home. She was the wife of the late Abraham Horvitz.



Born in Russia, a daughter of the late Abraham and Sarah (Rosenberg) Gershkoff, she had been a resident of Pawtucket until moving to Providence in 1971.

Mrs. Horvitz was a member of Temple Emanu El and its Sisterhood and Leisure Club, a life member of Hadassah and member of the former Women's Association of the Jewish Home for the Aged.

She was the dear mother of Paul Horvitz and his wife Carol of Houston, TX, Pearl Shein and her husband Richard of Providence, and Deborah Horvitz of Boston. She also leaves her loving brother Irving Gershkoff of Scottsdale, AZ. Mrs. Horvitz was the devoted grandmother of Marcia, Steven, Rachel and Jane; and great-grandmother of eight. She was the sister of the late Hyman, Edward, Fred, Aaron and Stanley Gershkoff and Celia Cohen and Cynthia Goldis.

The funeral will be held on Friday at 11:00 a.m. at SUGARMAN-SINAI MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 458 Hope Street, Providence with burial to follow in Lincoln Park Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Home and Hospice Care of RI, 169 George Street, Pawtucket, RI 02860. Shiva will be observed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Shein, 328 Doyle Avenue, Providence, Saturday 7-9 and Sunday 2-4 and 7-9 p.m.