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IRVING KAUFMAN, of Faunce Drive, a lighting engineer and CEO of Brite Lite Lamps Corp., New York, for many years, retiring in 1982, died yesterday at Our Lady of Fatima Hospital, North Providence. He was the husband of Martha "Molly" (Brotman) Kaufman.

A lifelong Providence resident, he was a son of the late Samuel and Rebecca (Lilker) Kaufman.

A member of the Illuminating Society of North America, Mr. Kaufman was the only person from the lamp industry accepted into the Rushlight Society.

He was a member of Doric Lodge of Masons, AM&FM, and the Jewish Community Center, where he served on numerous committees.

Besides his wife, he leaves a son, Dr. Lee Kaufman of Sharon, Mass.; a daughter, Roberta Greenberg, and a sister, Bernice Port, both of Cranston; four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. He was the brother of the late Joseph Kaufman.

The funeral will be held tomorrow at 1 p.m. in Mount Sinai Memorial Chapel, 825 Hope at Fourth Street. Burial will be private.

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October 24, 1999. Beloved husband of Martha "Molly" (Brotman) Kaufman. Residence: 25 Faunce Dr., Providence. Dear father of Dr. Lee and his wife Sheri Kaufman, Sharon, MA and Roberta Greenberg, Cranston. Loving brother of Bernice and her husband Seymour Port, Cranston and the late Joseph Kaufman. Devoted grandfather of Judi and her husband Dr. Thomas Liner, Debra Greenberg, Richard Greenberg and Jaime Kaufman. Adored great grandfather of Jessica and Briana Liner. Funeral Service Tuesday 1:00 PM at MOUNT SINAI MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 825 Hope at 4th Sts. Relatives and friends are invited. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Hospice Care of RI, Box H, Annex Station, Providence, RI 02901. Memorial Observance at his late residence Tuesday 7-9; Wednesday 2-4 and 7-9 PM.