KOOZMAN, RHODA

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**KOOZMAN, Rhoda Edith**

October 11, 2004. Beloved wife of the late Charles Koozman. Residence: Archer Ave., The Villages, Fla. Dear mother of Brad Koozman, The Villages, Fla., and the late Rena A. Koozman. Loving sister of the late Irving and Harold Gerard. Funeral service 11:30 a.m. on Thursday at SUGARMAN-SINAI MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 458 Hope St., Providence. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Butler Hospital, O.C.D. Program, c/o Steven A. Rasmussen, M.D., 345 Blackstone Blvd., Providence, R.I., 02906. Shiva will be observed at the Marriott Hotel, Orms St., Providence, following entombment on Thursday, and at the home of Matthew and Ronni Katz, 207 W. Park Ave., New Haven, Ct., on Friday 2-4, Saturday 7-9, and Sunday 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Tel. #(203) 508-2423.

**RHODA EDITH KOOZMAN,** 80, of Archer Avenue, The Villages, Fla., and formerly of Providence, a retired antiques dealer, died Monday at Leesburg (Fla.) Regional Medical Center.

She was the wife of the late Charles Koozman. Born in New York City, the daughter of the late Meyer and Rose (Sampson) Gershowitz, she had lived in Great Neck, on Long Island, N.Y., and in Providence before moving to Florida in 2002.

She attended the Pratt Institute, in Brooklyn, N.Y..

Mrs. Koozman had owned several antique stores in Great Neck, including the former RhoAnn Antiques, Bits and Bobs, and Rhoda-Antique Jewelry.

She is survived by a son, Brad Koozman of The Villages. She was the mother of the late Rena A. Koozman, and the sister of the late Irving and Harold Gerard.

The funeral service will be held tomorrow at 11:30 a.m. in the Sugarman-Sinai Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope St. Entombment will follow at Swan Point Cemetery.