LAPATIN, SELMA

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LAPATIN, SELMA, 83, of Fifth St., died Tuesday at Rhode Island Hospital. She was the beloved wife of the late Samuel Lapatin. Born in Providence, a daughter of the late Harry and Sarah (Quinn) Winkleman, she was a lifelong Providence resident.

She was a salesperson for the former Outlet Company in Providence for 10 years. Prior to the Outlet, she was in the former family business, Winkleman and Finklestein Clothing Store in Centerdale. Selma was a member of the Cranston Senior Guild and a former member of Temple Beth Shalom and its Sisterhood. Devoted mother of David Lapatin and his wife Sandra of Cranston, and Sheryl, Joan and Deborah Lapatin, all of Providence. Dear sister of the late Charles, Morris, Harold and Miriam Winkleman. Loving grandmother of Samantha, Sam, Stephen and Jenna.

Funeral services will be held Thursday at 10:00 a.m. in SHALOM MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 1100 New London Ave, Cranston. In lieu of flowers, contributions in her memory may be made to A WISH COME TRUE, 1010 Warwick Avenue, Warwick, RI 02888. Shiva will be observed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Lapatin, Thur 6-9 p.m.