LAZAR, Bernard

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Warwick

BERNARD "BEN" LAZAR, 90, of 23 Esquire Ave., owner-operator of the former Stapure Products, died Sunday at Hillside Health Center, Providence.



He was the husband of Mildred (Abowitt) Lazar. Born and raised in Bronx, N.Y., a son of the late Abraham and Ethel (Meisel) Lazar, he had lived in Providence before moving to Warwick 24 years ago.

Mr. Lazar had owned and operated the former Stapure Products of Providence for 65 years, until retiring 10 years ago.

He was an officer and editor-in-chief of the Knights of Pythias.

Mr. Lazar was a member of Congregation Sons of Abraham-Shaare Zedek Synagogue.

Besides his wife, he leaves three daughters, Paula Katzman and Cynthia Beth Lazar, both of Warwick, and Susan Maxcy of Mansfield, Mass.; seven grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren. He was the brother of the late Morris, Charles, and Irving Lazar, Sadie Krystal and Pauline Keene.

Graveside funeral services will be held today at 11 a.m. in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Post Road.

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July 1, 2001. Residence: 23 Esquire Ave., Warwick. Beloved husband of Mildred (Abowitt) Lazar. Devoted father of Paula Katzman and her husband Harry of Warwick; Susan Maxcy and her husband Richard of Mansfield, Ma.; and Cynthia Beth Lazar of Warwick. Dear brother of the late Morris, Charles and Irving Lazar, Sadie Krystal and Pauline Keene. Loving grandfather of Mark, Debra, Robin, Adam, Nancy, Gayle and Gary. Cherished great-grandfather of ten. Graveside services Tuesday at 11 a.m. in LINCOLN PARK CEMETERY, Post Rd., Warwick. In lieu of flowers, contributions in his memory may be made to your favorite charity. Shiva will be observed at his late residence Tuesday through Thursday 2-4 and 7-9, Friday 2-4 p.m. Arrangements under the direction of SHALOM MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 1100 New London Ave., Cranston.