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MELVYN S.

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MALDAVIR, MELVYN S., 68, of 22 Neptune Street, died Thursday at the Philip Hulitar Inpatient Center, Providence. He was the beloved husband of Sandra (Priest) Maldavir. They were married for 42 years. He was a fine jewelry salesman who sold to many area retail stores. He was a graduate of Hope High School and Bryant College and was an army veteran serving in Germany. Mel was a past master of Redwood Lodge #35 AF & AM and was a member of Temple Sinai and its Brotherhood. He also coached Little League. Devoted father of Jeffrey Maldavir and his wife Lori of Northport, NY and Mindy Halpern and her husband Gary of East Greenwich. Dear brother of Ruth Greenberg of Warwick and the late Gerald Maldavir. Loving grandfather of Jamie, Emily, Shelby and Jack. He is also survived by his mother-in-law Frances Priest, brother-in-law Henry Priest and his wife Kathy and nephews, Zachary and Alex, all of Cranston. Funeral services will be held Sunday at 11:00 a.m. in TEMPLE SINAI, 30 Hagen Ave., Cranston. In lieu of flowers, contributions in his memory may be made to Temple Sinai. Shiva will be observed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Halpern, 15 Sonnet Dr., East Greenwich, Sunday 7-9 p.m. and will continue at Mel's late residence Monday and Tuesday 2-4 & 7-9 p.m. Arrangements by SHALOM MEMORIAL CHAPEL, Cranston.