MEYER, BERYL RUTH

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MEYER, BERYL RUTH, 85, of 84 Chace Ave., died Monday, April 27, 2009, at Miriam Hospital. She was the beloved wife of the late Sidney Meyer.

Born in Brooklyn, NY, a daughter of the late Edward and Rebecca (Zelikow) Kossove, she was a lifelong Providence resident.

She was a founder of the National Tay-Sachs Foundation, past president of the Women's Association at Miriam Hospital and in charge of fundraising at the Hebrew Day School. She was on the Temple Emanu-El board of directors and president of the Leisure Club.

Devoted mother of Sandy Ross and her husband, Allen, of Smithfield, Robert Bruce Meyer of Providence and the late Alan Gerald Meyer. Dear sister of the late Charles Kossove. Loving grandmother of Nancy Bloch and her husband, Jeremy, and Martin Ross and his wife, Sheri. Adored great grandmother of Samuel and Jameson Bloch. Cherished aunt of Pam Schneider and her family.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday at 11:00 a.m. in Temple Emanu-El, 99 Taft Ave., Providence. In lieu of flowers, contributions in her memory may be made to the National Tay-Sachs Association, 2001 Beacon St., Suite 204, Boston, MA 02135 or Temple Emanu-El Leisure Club, 99 Taft Ave., Providence, RI 02906. Shiva will be observed at her late residence Tues. 3-9 p.m. and at 86 Colwell Rd., Smithfield Wed., Thurs. & Sun. 4-7:30 p.m. Arrangements by SHALOM MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 1100 New London Ave., Cranston.