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Mrs. Anna Port

Founder and president of interior design firm



PROVIDENCE — Mrs. Anna (Silverstein) Port, 72, of 27 Edge Hill Rd., who was listed in Who's Who and was the owner and president of Stanport, the Providence interior design firm she founded in 1941, died today at the Miriam Hospital after an illness of several months. She was the wife of Eli Port.

Mrs. Port was a consultant in interior design for the state of Rhode Island, Brown University, Old Colony Bank of Rhode Island, the Catholic Diocese of Rhode Island and the main sanctuary of Tuoro Synagogue of Newport. She also participated in major design projects for many other institutions, and was color consultant for many hospitals throughout Europe.

A member of the National Society of Interior Designers and past president of its New England chapter, she was the recipient of its Room of Tomorrow award. She was a trustee of the National Education Foundation and a member of the National Home Fashions League and the Restoration of Lyndhurst, Tarrytown, N.Y.

Mrs. Port was a life member of the boards of Miriam Hospital, Brandeis University and Temple Emanu-El. She was a life member and trustee of the Quota Club of Providence and a member of the Providence Art Club.

A daughter of the late Raphael and Mamie (Nelson) Silverstein, she was born in Providence.

Besides her husband, survivors are a daughter, Mrs. Muriel Stevens of Pawtucket; two sisters, Mrs. Pearl Kahn of Miami Beach, and Mrs. Florence Silverman of Pawtucket, and two grandchildren.

A funeral service will be held tomorrow at 11 a.m. at Temple Emanu-El. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.

OBITUARY

ANNA PORT

7-11-78 **MRS. ELI PORT**

Funeral services for Anna (Silverstein) Port, 72, of 27 Edge Hill Road, who died Monday after an illness of several months, were held Tuesday at Temple Emanu-El. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

The wife of Eli Port, she was born in Providence, a daughter of the late Raphael and Mamie (Nelson) Silverstein.

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Besides her husband, survivors include a daughter, Muriel Stevens of Pawtucket; two sisters, Pearl Kahn of Miami Beach, Florida, and Florence Silverman of Pawtucket, and two grandchildren.

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