RAPHAEL, BARBARA COHAN

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RAPHAEL, BARBARA COHAN, of 50 Park Row West, Providence, passed away peacefully on February 27, 2006, in the company of her loving children, Joan and David. She was predeceased by her husband, Sumner "Sonny" I. Raphael, M.D.

She is survived by her daughter and son-in-law, Joan Raphael and Philip M. Weinstein; her son and daughter-in-law, David and Diana Morris Raphael; her grandchildren, Ben Francis Raphel, Jory Sumner Raphael and his wife, Stacy Erickson, and her granddaughter, Mara Wilcox and her husband, James Wilcox; and her great-grandson, Jack Sumner Wilcox.

Barbara led a full life and loved her art, golf and travel. She was a graduate of Pembroke College of Brown University, and was past President of the Women's Auxiliary of Women & Infants Hospital in Providence, where she served and volunteered for many years. She was a long-time member of Ledgemont Country Club in Seekonk, Massachusetts and Hunter's Run in Boynton Beach, Florida. She was also a member of Temple Beth El in Providence.

In lieu of flowers, the family kindly requests that donations may be made in Barbara's name to Women & Infants Hospital, c/o W&I Development Foundation, 101 Dudley Street, Providence, RI 02905.

Shiva will be observed at her late residence Wednesday 7-9, and Thursday 2-4 and 7-9 p.m.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, March 1, 2006, at 1:30 p.m. at Temple Beth El, Providence. Interment will be at Sharon Memorial Park, Sharon, Ma.

Arrangements by Sugarman-Sinai Memorial Chapel.