RODBELL, THELMA SALMONSON

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RODBELL, THELMA SALMANSON of Palm Beach, FL, 91, beloved mother of Barbara, Alan (and Shelly), and Carol Salmanson (and Steve Leto), sister of Anne Schlusselberg, and grandmother of Leonard Daniel and Rebecca Salmanson.

Born in Sambor, Poland (now Ukraine), she immigrated in 1930 to West Warwick, RI, and moved to Providence in 1947 when she married Leonard Salmanson, who died in 1975. In 1978 she married Leonard Rodbell and moved to Atlanta, where his children Sidney, Paul and Arthur, and grandchildren considered her a part of their family. She was a passionate supporter of the State of Israel since its founding, as well as many other charities. She will be sorely missed by all her friends and family.

Funeral and burial will be held at Lincoln Cemetery in Warwick, RI at 3 pm on Friday, September 23rd. Shiva will be observed at 980 Fifth Ave in New York City from Sunday, September 25th through Monday, September 27th, from 1-9 pm. In lieu of flowers, please send contributions to the Jewish Child Care Association (120 Wall St., New York, NY 10005), NURTUREart (910 Grand Street, Brooklyn, NY 11211), or PEF for A.V. Israel (317 Madison Ave., Ste. 607, New York, NY 10017).