Marian Sachs

died on November 20, 2022, atMorningstar Assisted Living Facility in Pasadena, California, her residence for the past 11 years. She was the wife of Sanford (Sandy) J. Sachs. Born in Beverly, MA in 1918, daughter of Melvin and Rebecca (Burak) Rosenbloom. She was an Edgewood, RI resident for over 50 years, she formerly lived in Newton, MA.

She studied at theNew England Conservatory of Music and theMuseum of FineArts in Boston. She graduated from the Beth Israel School of Nursing as an RN and worked with the Red Cross Blood Donor Center during WWII. Her studies also included courses at the New York School of Interior Design, Boston Architectural Center, and Harvard Graduate School of Design. After retirement she continued her studies at theNational Archives inWashington D.C. and took art classes at the Providence Art Club.

For many years she was an Interior Designer with the architectural firmof Robinson, Green and Beretta, a member of theAmerican Society of Interior Designers, and an Affiliate member of the American Institute of Architects. For a time, she co-owned and ran a string of racehorses. She served on the board of the Providence Art Club and was the Art Club Archivist. As a Trustee of theWilliam Hall Library, she wrote a book, “A Library is Born,” about the benefactor, William H.Hall, and the resultant library. She was also a member of the Edgewood Yacht Club and a volunteer at Save the Bay. She was a congregant of the Temple Beth El in Providence and served on the Social Action Committee.

Upon the passing of her beloved Sandy, she moved to California to be close to her west coast family and enjoyed painting with the Mount Washington Plein Air Painters. Besides her husband, Sanford (deceased in 2009), she leaves a daughter, Terry Lyn Trabich, of Huntington Bay, N.Y., two sons, Paul David Sachs of Newbury, Vermont, and John Abbott Sachs of Los Angeles, six wonderful, accomplished grandchildren, and five great grandchildren. She was the sister of Arnold P. Abbott of Fort Lauderdale, Florida (deceased in 2019). A private memorial service will be held at the Rhode Island Veterans Memorial Cemetery in Exeter, RI where she will rest with her husband of 63 years. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the Providence Art Club Endowment Fund or to theWilliam H. Hall Trustees Endowment Fund.



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