SAVRAN, JACK

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SAVRAN, JACK, age 96, died peacefully at home with his family by his side on November 30. He lived in Simsbury, CT since 1999 and practiced medicine in Rhode Island for almost fifty years, retiring in 1987.

He was born in Providence on April 27, 1910 to David and Sarah (Berman) Savran and was the beloved husband of the late Loraine Savran for 52 years. He is survived by his son David Savran of New York City and his daughter Shelley Savran Houlihan, her husband Charles D. Houlihan, Jr. and their daughters Meghan and Brenna of Simsbury, CT.

He graduated from the University of Rhode Island in 1933 and Hahnemann Medical College in 1937 and served in the Army Medical Corps during World War II. He practiced medicine in Providence, was Chair of the Department of Surgery at Roger Williams Hospital, and on staff at Notre Dame, Rhode Island, and Miriam Hospitals. He was a member of the American and International Colleges of Surgeons and a 32nd Degree Mason. He was the author of several atricles on surgical practice and the first Professor Emeritus of Surgery at the Brown University Medical School.

His dedication, warmth, humor, and generosity were unparalleled. We were blessed to have him in our lives.

The funeral will be held Sunday December 3 at 10 A.M. at the Sugarman Sinai Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope Street, Providence, RI 02906, 401-331-8094. In lieu of flowers, donations should be sent to the Connecticut Hospice, 270 Farmington Avenue, Suite 235, Farmington, CT 06032.