STONE, Dr. Jacob

Jacob Stone, Providence physician

Dr. Jacob Stone, 76, of Boynton Beach, Fla., died yesterday at Hospice by the Sea, Boca Raton, Fla. He was the husband of Betty-Rose (Berkowitz) Stone.

Born in Providence, a son of the late Hyman and Golde (Press) Stone, he had also lived in Narragansett.

Dr. Stone was a summa cum laude graduate of Classical High School, and a magna cum laude graduate of Brown University. He received his medical degree from Georgetown University, and had won the pathology prize. He served his medical internship at Grace Hospital, New Haven, Conn., and St. Mary's Hospital, Waterbury, Conn.

He served his residency in internal medicine at Mount Sinai Hospital, followed by a fellowship in cardiology at Goldwater Hospital, both in New York. During World War II, Dr. Stone served as a captain in the Army, and was recalled during the Korean War as chief of general medicine, and chief of the cardiology section at Murphy Army Hospital, Waltham, Mass.

He maintained his medical office for 30 years at 226 Waterman St. He recently moved his office to 160 Wayland Ave.

Dr. Stone was a fellow of the American College of Physicians, and a diplomate of the American College of Cardiology. He practiced internal medicine with a specialization in cardiology for 48 years. He was on the staffs of the Rhode Island Hospital, Miriam Hospital, and Roger Williams Hospital. He taught at the Brown University School of Medicine. He was author of several papers in his field, and did original work in the development of the benchmark Master 2-Step Exercise Test, used to evaluate the cardiovascular condition of patients.

He was medical director of the Orchard View Nursing Home for 15 years. He was a member of the board of directors of the Jewish Home for the Aged, and the Jewish Federation of Rhode Island. He was a member of the Ledgemont Country Club, Seekonk, Mass., and the Hunters Run Club, Boynton Beach.

Besides his wife he leaves a daughter, Barbara Stone Halpern of Pittsburgh, Pa.; two sons, Bruce Jay Stone, and Dr. Kevin Robert Stone, both of San Francisco, Calif.; a sister, Claire Stone Auerbach of North Darmouth, Mass., and five granddaughters. He was brother of the late Dr. Leo Stone.

The funeral service will be held Wednesday at 11 a.m. at Temple Beth-El, Orchard Avenue. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.

STONE, Dr. Jacob

April 17, 1994. Beloved husband of Betty-Rose (Berkowitz) Stone. Resident of Boynton Beach, FL., formerly of Providence and Narragansett Pier. Dear father of Barbara Halpern, Pittsburg, PA., and Bruce Jay Stone and Dr. Kevin Robert Stone, San Francisco, CA. Dear brother of Claire Auerbach, No. Dartmouth, MA, and the late Dr. Leo Stone. Devoted grandfather of 5 grand-daughters. Funeral service 11 a.m. Wednesday at TEMPLE BETH-EL, Orchard at Butler Avenues. Relatives and friends are invited. In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to Hospice by the Sea, 1531 W. Palmetto Park Rd., Boca Raton, FL. 33486-3395, or the Golde & Hyman Stone Scholarship Fund, c/o Providence Hebrew Day School, Elmgrove Ave., Providence. Memorial observance at 70 Wingate Rd., Providence, on Wednesday and Thursday 2-4; 7-9 p.m. Arrangements by MOUNT SINAI MEMORIAL CHAPEL.

Out of Respect to the Memory of

JACOB STONE M.D.

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Wednesday, April 20th, 1994