TALAN, FRANCES

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TALAN, FRANCIS "FRANK", 94, of Morse Avenue, died Tuesday, 7/6/10, at Greenwood Care & Rehabilitation Center, Warwick. He was the beloved husband of the late Margaret (Caldwell) Talan.

Born in Providence, a son of the late Abraham and Bella (Ross) Talan, he was a lifelong Rhode Island resident. Frank was a WW-II Army veteran serving in the European Theater and fought valiantly in the "Battle of the Bulge." He was a dispatcher for AAA for 24 years. Frank was a volunteer for "Meals on Wheels", drove cancer patients to different destinations and was a driver for the "Gingham Girls."

Devoted father of Beverly Greene of Warwick, the late George Harris, Shirley Talan Phillips and Freda Talan. Dear brother of the late Charles J. and Samuel I. Talan. Dear brother-in-law of Lillian Talan Drescher of West Warwick. Loving grandfather of Lisa Levine of Coventry. Adored great grandfather of Jacob, Ryan and Benjamin Levine. Cherished uncle of Robin B. Justice of Wakefield, Diane F. Talan Aronson of New York, NY, Michelle E. Lawson of Cranston and David B. Talan of Providence. Adored great uncle of Marisa B. Mara and Travis W. Justice.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 8:00 a.m. in SHALOM MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 1100 New London Avenue, Cranston. In lieu of flowers, contributions in his memory may be made to Jewish War Veterans, P.O. Box 100064, Cranston, RI 02910.