WEISMAN,
JOSEPH A.

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WEISMAN, JOSEPH A., 85, a retired jewelry manufacturer, died Monday at Miriam Hospital. He was the husband of the late Beatrice (Klibanoff) Weisman.

Born in Providence, the son of the late Julius and Esther (Davis) Weisman, he was a lifelong resident of Providence.

Mr. Weisman was a graduate of Hope High School, Brown University, Class of 1940 where he graduated Phi Beta Kappa and Harvard School of Business. He was the former President and Chairman of the Board of Plainville Stock Company, Plainville, MA until his retirement in 2002.

He served during WWII as LT. Commander in the US Navy aboard the USS Mann. He was a member of Temple Emanu-El and its Men's Club, a member of the Providence Jewelers Club and a founding member of the Brown Curriculum Learning In Retirement (BCLIR).

He is survived by four sons: David E. Weisman of Washington, DC, William A. Weisman of Arlington, MA, Robert P. Weisman of Providence and Lawrence G. Weisman of Providence, and the late Steven F. Weisman. He was the father- in-law of Vicki Weisman, Sandy Weisman and Cort Facteau and nine grandchildren. He was also the brother of the late Harriet Davis and Shirley Baer.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. at SUGARMAN-SINAI MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 458 Hope Street, Providence. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Alzheimer's Association, 245 Waterman St., Suite 306, Providence, RI 02906. Shiva at the home of Lawrence Weisman, 100 Hartshorn Rd., Providence, Wednesday 7-9 and Thursday 2-4 and 7-9 pm.