ZAIDMAN, DORIS (COHEN)

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**ZAIDMAN, Doris (Cohen)**

September 15, 2003. Residence: 425 Meshanticut Valley Pkwy., Cranston. Beloved wife of Irving Zaidman. Devoted mother of Rae Zaidman of Westerly and the late Stephanie Zaidman. Dear sister of Esther Cohen of Walnut Creek, Ca., and the late Herbert Cohen. She also leaves many nieces, nephews, grandnieces, grandnephews, great-grandnieces and great-grandnephews. Funeral service Wednesday 1:00 p.m. in SHALOM MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 1100 New London Ave., Cranston. In lieu of flowers, contributions in her memory may be made to the Stephanie Zaidman Home Care Endowment fund, c/o Jewish Family Service or the Stephanie Zaidman Scholarship Fund, c/o National Council of Jewish Women. Shiva will be held at her late residence Wednesday 7-9, Thursday 2-4 and 7-9, Friday 2-4, Saturday 7-9 and Sunday 2-4 and 7-9 p.m.

**DORIS ZAIDMAN,** 80, of 425 Meshanticut Valley Parkway, a registered nurse and office manager before retiring, died yesterday at the Philip Hulitar Inpatient Center of Home and Hospice Care of Rhode Island, in Providence.

She was the wife of Irving Zaidman; they had been married for 60 years. Born in Providence, a daughter of the late Jacob S. and Ida (Goldstein) Cohen, she had lived in Warwick for 50 years before moving to Cranston a year ago.

She was a 1944 graduate of the nursing school at the former Homeopathic Hospital, now Roger Williams Medical Center, in Providence, and had worked as a registered nurse at the hospital for several years.

Mrs. Zaidman had been a nurse and secretary for Dr. Waldo Hoey, a chief surgeon at Roger Williams Medical Center, for 20 years, until retiring 12 years ago. She simultaneously had been the office manager for her husband's paper-goods manufacturing representative business, Irving J. Zaidman Associates, for 30 years, until retiring 12 years ago.

She had been a treasurer of the Nurses' Alumnae Association for many years.

She was a member of the board and an advisor on the home care committee of Jewish Family Service, and a volunteer at the service's Kosher Meal Site at Temple Torat Yisrael, in Cranston.

Mrs. Zaidman was a member of Temple Torat Yisrael. She was a former member of Temple Am David and a past president of its Sisterhood.

She was a life member and member of the board of the National Council of Jewish Women, and a past member of the Presidium, for the council's Rhode Island section. She was a life member of Hadassah, a former member of the Women's American ORT, and a former member of the board of the Leisure Club at Temple Emanu-El.

Besides her husband, she leaves a daughter, Rae Zaidman of Westerly; a sister, Esther Cohen of Walnut Creek, Calif.; and nieces, nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews. She was the mother of the late Stephanie Zaidman, and a sister of the late Herbert Cohen.

The funeral service will be held tomorrow at 1 p.m. in the Shalom Memorial Chapel, 1100 New London Ave. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.