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ABROHMS

On Saturday, June 6<sup>th</sup>, 2020, Jack R. Abrohms, loving husband, father, and grandfather, passed away at the age of 69. Jack was born on September 24<sup>th</sup>, 1950, to Frank and Ruth "Cissie" (Silver) Abrohms. He was married in 1975 to Alison Abrohms with whom he raised two daughters. After moving to California, Jack met Jan Soley Abrohms and they were married in 2003. He is survived by his sister Eileen Lowenstein, wife Jan Soley Abrohms, daughters Megan (Richard) Myers and Alyssa (Adam) Carmasine, and grandsons Aaron and Joel Myers. Funeral services will be held on Sunday, June 21<sup>st</sup>, 2020 at Roosevelt Memorial Park, Trevoise, PA. Donations in Jack's memory may be made to the American Heart Association in lieu of flowers.



BLAKE

Marvin Blake, 93, of Wrightstown, PA passed away on Monday June 15, 2020 with his loving wife and daughters by his side. Born on November 15, 1926 to Samuel and Jean Blake of New York, New York, he was a proud graduate of City College in New York where he served with distinction as President of Tau Delta Phi fraternity. He is survived by his beloved wife Natalie with whom he celebrated almost 70 years of marriage and by his three daughters and son in laws, Jennifer Landis (Michael), Andrea Page (David) and Robin Silber (Alan), as well as his five grandsons, Jordan, Alex, Sam, Blake and Zachary. Marvin started his career in advertising, owned a chain of retail stores with Natalie, was a senior executive in property management and ended his working years as a real estate broker. He loved being with his family, traveling, hosting family celebrations and events, spending time with cherished friends, antiquing, and bright sunshine. His greatest treasures were his family and friends, and above all he had an enduring endless love for his wife, Natalie. He was much loved by all who knew him. His quick wit, genuine smile and the ever-present twinkle in his eyes will be greatly missed. Burial was held at Beth David Cemetery in Elmont, NY on June 17, 2020. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to Feeding America. GOLDSTEINS' ROSENBERG'S RAPHAEL-SACKS www.goldsteinsfuneral.com

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BOYETTE

Michael Paul Boyette, 63, of Elkins Park, PA, died at home surrounded by his family on May 27, 2020. Beloved husband of Randi; father to Joshua, Sarah (Daniel Sussman) and Daniel; grandfather to Anna and Cora; son of Beatrice (Ovid Paul, d. 2002) of St. Petersburg, FL; brother to Lisa and Richard (Christy); devoted in-law, uncle, great-uncle and cousin. Michael wrote ten books, including "Let it Burn," and was a valued mentor, co-worker and friend. A talented guitarist and organic gardener, he was admired for his unwavering love for his family, his brilliance, humor, kindness and quiet warmth. Michael was particularly proud of winning the New Yorker cartoon caption contest in September 2014. He was diagnosed with glioblastoma in October 2018 and faced his illness with strength, courage, and grace. He was interred at King David Memorial Park on May 28, in accordance with his Jewish faith. Contributions in his memory can be made to the Holocaust and Jewish Resistance Teachers' Program, Anti-Defamation League, MANNA, or KAVOD SHEF (Philadelphia/Cherry Hill). JOSEPH LEVINE and SONS

BRODY

Norma Brody (nee Abrams) passed peacefully on June 9, 2020, at the age of 88. Born and raised in Philadelphia, PA and a graduate of Temple University, Norma was the wife of the late Jerry Brody and is survived by her two children, the Hon. Robert (Jun) Brody and Dr. Richard (Cheryle) Brody. She is also survived and missed by her grandchildren, AJ and Eve. A private memorial service will be held for the family. Contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society or the Alzheimer's Association. PLATT MEMORIAL CHAPELS, Inc.

BRUNER

Fania Bruner (nee Drapacz), On June 4, 2020. Wife of the late Mates Bruner. Mother of Gena Alulis, Harry Bruner, Sam Bruner, and the late Joseph Bruner. Sister of Elza Drapacz, Gerald Harel and the late Abram Drapacz. Grandmother of Jeffrey and Eric Alulis, Eric, Daniel, Marcus, David, and Jessie Bruner. Also survived by many great grandchildren. Graveside Services were private. Contributions in her memory may be made to any Jewish charity of the donor's choice. GOLDSTEINS' ROSENBERG'S RAPHAEL-SACKS

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CHANIN

Eileen (nee Marcus), born December 14, 1946, Brooklyn, NY, died April 23, 2020, Philadelphia, PA, of complications of Covid-19. Luminous in looks and heart, beloved wife of Bernard Chanin, ever forgiving lover and friend for 34 years, the world diminished now gone, the glow continues. Shared gladly with her devoted daughter Whitney Matz, son-in-law Ed, and grandsons Ben, Jackson, and Jonah, who brought to her the ineffable joy of a new generation. Devoted daughter to her mother Gertrude, sister to siblings Michael and Wendy, niece to her dear Aunt Rosalind. A compassionate heart prepared to befriend, to adopt, to love all who crossed her path with a heart or hand in need. Lived a sisterhood of love with her lifelong friends and companions Reesa Levy and Ellen Dolchin. Bereft of words to express our loss, we look to the poet to voice our lament.

Annabel Lee

It was many and many a year ago, In a kingdom by the sea, that a maiden there lived whom you may know by the name of Annabel Lee; And this maiden she lived with no other thought than to love and be loved by me.

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For the moon never beams without bringing me dreams of the beautiful Annabel Lee; and the stars never rise but I feel the bright eyes of the beautiful Annabel Lee: And so, all the night-tide, I lie down by the side of my darling--my darling--my life and my bride, In her sepulcher there by the sea-- In her tomb by the sounding sea.....

Edgar Allan Poe

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WEINSTEIN

David Arthur Weinstein passed away on Wednesday May 27, 2020. He was 91, born and raised in Philadelphia. He was the beloved husband of the late Libby Maxine (nee Gerson) who recently passed away in April. He will be missed by his three sons; Richard (Ruth), Barry (Elise) and Steven (Karen); along with his five grandchildren whom he adored, Evan, Cali, Andrew, Tara and Daniel. He is also survived by a brother in law Edward Gerson (Anne) and their children, Saul, Gillian Mines (Steven) and Jeffrey (Lisa). He will also be fondly remembered by his cousin Gary Kauffman of Plymouth Meeting, Pennsylvania. Dave enjoyed playing the piano as he played any song by heart. He especially enjoyed playing for the residents of Paul's Run Retirement Home where he spent the past couple of years. As most of you who knew him, Dave had a wonderful sense of humor and could make a joke about any situation. Dave and Libby retired to Lake Worth, FL in 2000 but returned in 2018 to be closer to their family. Dave was last employed by the Free Library of Philadelphia and previously by Exide Battery Corporation, headquartered at the time in Philadelphia. Interment will be in Boynton Beach, Florida, services will be private. Contributions in his memory may be made to: Settlement Music School ; <https://settlementmusic.org/give-now/>

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DAVIDOFF

Dr. Stephen H. Davidoff, June 2, 2020 of Lansdale, PA; beloved husband of Rochelle "Chellie", (nee Luber) ; loving father of Lisa Davidoff. Devoted brother of Sue Rosenthal (Harold). Service and interment were private. In lieu of flowers, contributions in his memory may be made to Congregation Adath Jeshurun, Elkins Park, PA. JOSEPH LEVINE and SONS

DUBIN

Janice P. Dubin (nee Key), on June 4, 2020. Wife of Marvin Dubin, Mother of Kimberly (Dr. Kenneth) Wolfe, Deborah (Robert) Marx, and Joanne Dubin. Grandmother of Alexandra and Benjamin Wolfe and Julia, Caroline, and Daniel Marx. Private graveside services are being held. Janice was a magnificent wife, mother, and grandmother. She was a vibrant, strong, and caring woman. She enjoyed playing mah jong, spending her summers in Margate, and being with family and friends. She was an extraordinary person who will be dearly missed by all who knew her. Donations in her name can be made to the Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation at [ipffoundation.org](http://ipffoundation.org) or Abington-Jefferson Hospice, 2510 Maryland Road, Willow Grove, PA 19090 [www.abingtonhealth.org](http://www.abingtonhealth.org). GOLDSTEINS' ROSENBERG'S RAPHAEL-SACKS

DVOR

Linda Ann Dvor, age 78 of Philadelphia, passed away May 24, 2020 at the Renaissance Center after choosing to stop kidney dialysis. Former resident of the Pavillion, she attended the Widener School and graduated Germantown High School. Daughter of the late Casper and Rose Phillips Dvor. She is survived by her sister Marsha Dvor Levin (Fridel), Or Akiva, Israel; nephews, grandnieces, grandnephews and cousins Earl Aronson, Sidney Shusterman and Ida Wiener Moss. Contributions in her memory may be made to Jewish Employment and Vocational Services/Human Services [jevshumanservices.org](http://jevshumanservices.org) or a charity of the donor's choice.



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ELIAS

Alma Elias, May 29, 2020. Wife of the late Gabriel Elias, formerly of Elkins Park, father of Herschel (significant other Jenine Colamussi) Elias, Pearl (Dr. Steven Bachrach) Elias, Dr. Jack (Sandy) Elias, Dr. Monte Elias, Robert (Kathy) Elias and Dr. Sam (David Clark) Elias; also survived by 14 grand-children and 16 great grand-children. She was born into an immigrant family in Utica, New York in 1925. Alma was an occupational therapist and spent a year at the Remington Rand Gun factory during WW II helping the war effort. While working at a VA hospital after the war she met Gabriel, the love of her life, and together they raised a large, loving, and boisterous family. Alma and her family moved to Elkins Park in 1957 and lived there for more than 50 years. Alma was an involved member of her synagogue, Adath Jeshurun, Hadassah, numerous book groups, the local Yiddish club and other community activities. Alma was a quiet "force of nature". Her warm and engaging personality coupled with her love of people captivated all she encountered. Everyone who met her commented on her friendliness and her beautiful smile. She was a born storyteller and liked nothing better than to recount the stories of her early life in Utica. Everyone who knew her loved her and everyone she met became her friend. She was dedicated to her family and friends, Judaism and the state of Israel and supported them with her time and resources. Alma was a giving and caring person who was known for befriending those who needed support and including them in her family. Never a complainer she will be missed by all who knew her for her warmth, her caring, and her willingness to be a friend. Contributions in her memory may be made to The Jewish Federation of Greater Philadelphia for Israel programs, 2100 Arch St., Phila., PA 19103 [jewishphilly.org](http://jewishphilly.org). JOSEPH LEVINE and SONS



FINKEL

Sylvia Finkel (nee Litman), on May 27, 2020. Beloved wife of the late Albert; Loving mother of Janis (David) Glusman and Doug (Jody Gray) Finkel; Devoted grandmother of Sharon (Joe) Pennock and Brian (Renee Murdock) Glusman; Adoring GG to Miriam and Madeline. Beloved aunt and friend to many. In addition to raising her children, Sylvia helped create the Frances Borowsky Chapter of the Fox Chase Cancer Center. She was the de facto bookkeeper and "right hand gal" to her father's construction business. Services and interment are Private. Contributions in her memory may be made to Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation, [www.jdrf.org](http://www.jdrf.org). GOLDSTEINS' ROSENBERG'S RAPHAEL-SACKS

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FISCHER

Martin A. Fischer, longtime Old City entrepreneur, combat-wounded World War II veteran, loving family man, on May 29, 2020, age 98. Graduate of West Philadelphia High School and the Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania. His vision in rehabbing rundown buildings into spacious loft apartments helped launch a residential destination that later became known as "Old City." With his late wife Polly he maintained homes in center city Philadelphia; Long Beach Island, NJ; and Key Biscayne, Florida. Throughout his adult life he enjoyed sailing, skiing, tennis, urban flower gardening, opera and Broadway music. He is survived by son Edward "Skip" Fischer (Dawn Pratson), daughter Jane Broderson (William Fletcher), five grandsons and one great-granddaughter. Donations in Martin's memory may be made to the Jewish Federation of Greater Philadelphia or donor's choice.

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FISHBACK

Robert Lewis Fishback, on May 21, 2020. Loving father of Trina (Ken) Weingarten and Jed (Breena) Fishback; Devoted grandfather of Sofia, Elena, Jillian and Jordan. Lifetime resident of Philadelphia. High school history teacher in the Philadelphia Public School System. Last resided in Princeton. Services and interment are private. Contributions in his memory may be made to Princeton Medical Center Foundation, Healthcare Heroes Fund.

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FLASHNER

Anne Flashner (nee Rosen), on June 4, 2020. Wife of Dr. Morton Flashner, mother of Arthur (Susan) Bachman, Esq. and Dr. Steven (Dr. Deirdre Collins) Flashner, grandmother of Helene (Jeffrey Zimmerman) Bachman, Allison Bachman, Hannah (Terry) Casey, Dr. Bess Flashner, Samuel Flashner, Evelyn (Patrick) Boydan and Lillian Flashner; also survived by 3 great grandchildren. Services and interment private. Contributions in her memory may be made to Hadassah, 1518 Walnut St., Phila., PA 19102.

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FLEISHMAN

David Seth Fleishman passed away too soon on May 23, 2020. A super electrician who could take a house apart and put it back together again electronically. If he saw someone on the street who needed help, he would take them in, feed them, and allow them to stay the night. Beloved son of Dolores "Dolly" and the late Philip Fleishman. Dear brother of Wayne (Rachel) Fleishman and Steven Alan Fleishman. Loving uncle of Don, Lee (Wendy), and Amber. Great uncle of Lucas. Friends and family loved him. May he rest in peace. We will miss you. Contributions in his memory may be made to a charity of the donor's choice.

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FOLKMAN

Guida Folkman (nee Waine) on May 25, 2020. Beloved wife of the late Morris; Loving mother of David (Jacki) Folkman and Alan (Marsha Neifield) Folkman; Devoted grandmother of Aryn (Evan) Lechtman, Elissa (Jonathan) Spektor, Hillary Folkman and Marni Folkman; Adoring great-grandmother of Cooper, Simon, Lennon and Elle. Also survived by many loving nieces and nephews. Services and interment are Private. Contributions in her memory may be made to Abramson Senior Care, 1425 Horsham Rd., North Wales, PA 19454.

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GLASSMAN

Stanley Glassman of Drexel Hill, Pa passed away April 11, 2020 at the age of 91. Husband of the late Eleanor Glassman. Survived by his son Perry and his wife Eileen of Boynton Beach, FL and Frankie Buonadonna and husband Pat, grandchildren Jaynee Brosnan, Kimberly Ward, Leah Milano, Michael Biron and many great grandchildren. Predeceased by sibling Ann Pastore and grandson Adam Glassman. Condolences may be made at www.vraimfh.com.

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GOLD

Paul Gold, on June 17, 2020. Beloved husband of the late Hilda (nee Shusterman). Loving father of Sidney L. Gold, Esq (Joan), Randy Gold (Andrea), and Pennysue Gold-Laster (Howard Laster). Dear grandfather of Nathan (Beck), Alyssa, Macy, and Maxwell. Graveside services will be private. Contributions in his memory may be made to the Jewish War Veterans or Soul Studio Scholarship Fund.

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GOLDMAN

Milton R. Goldman, 89, was born and raised in Philadelphia. Milt passed away peacefully on May 20, 2020, after complications of a stroke, with his adored daughters by his side. He loved life, his family and especially gadgets! Predeceased by his loving wife, Marcia Goldman (nee Brod). He is survived by his devoted daughters, Judy (Joel) Pomerantz and Cindy Goldman Miller; the beloved Zayda to his caring grandchildren, Etan (Ilana) Pomerantz, Adam (Eliana) Pomerantz, Zachary (Kori) Pomerantz, Justin (Jamie) Miller, Perry (Nicole) Miller, Eve Miller and Aaron Miller; he was treasured by his 13 great-grandchildren. Donations can be made to friendsofyadsarah.org or to a charity of the donor's choice.

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Harriet Goldstein, on June 7, 2020, age 96 of Philadelphia, PA. Beloved wife of the late Max Goldstein and devoted mother of Beth and Jay Goldstein. Harriet is also survived by her sister Gloria (Charles) Ellman, grandchildren, many nieces and her nephew. Harriet was the loving sister of the late Shirley Serota. Contributions in her memory may be made to a charity of the donor's choice.

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GOODMAN

Stanford Goodman on June 1, 2020. Husband of the late Shirley; father of Marc Goodman, Sharon (Kevin) Coghlan and Stephanie (Paul) Kahn; brother of Linda (late Edward) Silver; grandfather of Ilyssa and Sean Coghlan, Olivia and Sydney Kahn. Funeral Services are private. Contributions in his memory may be made to Fisher Center for Alzheimer's Research Foundation, 110 E 42nd St. 16th Fl., NY NY 10017, www.alzinfo.org

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GORDON

Phyllis Gordon (nee Cohen), 90, June 10, 2020. Loving wife of the late George Gordon. Devoted mother of Eileen Gordon-Roth (Larry) and Hal Gordon (Fern). Dear sister of Annette Quell and Eleanor Fineman. "Bubby" to Rachael and Lindsay. Loved by cherished nieces, nephews and friends. Contributions in her memory can be made to the Alzheimer's Assoc.

GRAY

Seymour Gray, a World War II Veteran who was a Silver Star and Army Accommodation Medal recipient, passed on May 24, 2020. Husband of the late Eileen (nee Blitman). Father of Faith (George) Dusak, Joyce Gray-Steffen (Chuck Steffen) and Rod Gray. Brother of Donald Gray, Lillian Garbus and Beatrice Steponate. Grandfather of Alexandra, Amanda, Jake, Joey, Sloane, the late Danielle and the late Drew. Private Graveside Services are being held. Contributions in his memory may be made to a charity of the donor's choice.

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GRAY

Rod Gray on June 12, 2020. Father of Sloane Gray and the late Drew Gray. Brother of Faith Dusak (George) and Joyce Gray-Steffen (Chuck). Son of the late Seymour and Shirley Gray. Uncle of Alexandra Dusak. Services are private. Contributions in his memory may be made to a charity of the donor's choice.

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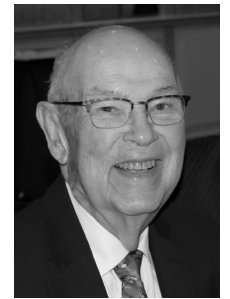
On the afternoon of May 13, 2020, at the age of 96, Libbie Rubin Greenbaum passed away after a two-week siege by Covid-19. She was treasured by all who knew her. Libbie was born in Cocoa Beach and grew up in Fort Pierce, Florida where her family owned the only department store in town. She attended the University of Alabama. On a school vacation, during World War II, she met Navy Officer Albert Greenbaum who was training in her hometown and who had been befriended by her family. She and Al later married and she moved with him to the Philadelphia area. They had two children, Sheila and Stanley. Libbie was an active volunteer in her children's school activities. In addition, she used her retail background to run a gift shop for her congregation, Main Line Reform Temple, and its Sisterhood. Also recipients of her volunteer service were Overbrook School for the Blind and Hadassah. She was an advocate for better mental health services and other progressive causes. Libbie was an accomplished golfer, swimmer, and bridge player; she was an enthusiastic tennis player as well. All the while, she was a perfect helpmate to Al. Libbie was considerate and unfailingly kind, positive, nonjudgmental, and giving. She loved children and when granddaughter Rubyn was born, she was beyond thrilled. They formed a profound bond. Libbie leaves an indelible mark on the world because she touched so many individuals and showered each with a unique love that helped them to develop to be able to pay it forward. Especially in these times dictated by Covid-19, the most meaningful tribute to her would take the form of a person doing a thoughtful gesture or good deed for someone who needs it, or a random act of kindness. For those so inclined to make a contribution in her memory, designations are Main Line Reform Temple, Jewish Federation's Covid Response, Planned Parenthood, or a charity of one's choice. Libbie was predeceased by her husband Albert. Surviving are her daughter Sheila Greenbaum and son-in-law Gary M. Wasserman; and son Stanley Greenbaum. She is also survived by granddaughter Rubyn Wasserman and many beloved family members and friends.



GROSSMAN

David Hollander Grossman (July 1, 1951 – May 31, 2020). David will be remembered with love and respect by his wife Debbie Miller, children Mark (Lauren), Daniel (Lauren), Jacob, granddaughter Freddie Louise, and sister Cindy (Jerry). David valued kindness, diligence and honesty in all aspects of his life, including raising his three sons and serving as a respected emergency room physician for 38 years (with 10 years as chief of the emergency department at Lankenau Hospital). Donations may be made in memory of David to Kitty Cottage Adoption Center ([www.kittycottage.org](http://www.kittycottage.org)) where he served as a board member.

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GURAK

On June 12, 2020, Howard Gurak of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Brant Lake, New York, and Shannondell in Audubon, Pennsylvania passed away from natural causes. He is survived by his loving children, Ellis (Sasha), Randall (Sharon), and Rochelle Robinson (Joseph), and granddaughters, Stephanie, Nina and Kathia. Howard is predeceased by his wife Lois; his father and mother Charles and Naomi; his brother Robert; and sister Rose Weisberg. Howard was at the forefront of the special education field and was a long-time champion and advocate for children. He earned his B.A. in Education from West Chester University and two Masters in Public Administration and Education from University of Pennsylvania. Howard began his career in public service as an administrator in the Philadelphia Fire Department but found his true talents and passion when asked to teach a special education class in the Radnor School District. Throughout his 35 years at Radnor, he taught and mentored countless students with disabilities, giving them the tools they needed to reach their full potential. He designed a business model for teaching students about entrepreneurship called Shoestring Ceramics, in which students sold stock, took orders, produced ceramics, and paid out dividends. Howard was at the forefront of mainstreaming special education, earning the Baumgarten Award for Excellence in Teaching in Pennsylvania. His advocacy for children did not stop at the school doors. He is a past President of the Delaware County Council for Exceptional Children and served on the Board of Directors for PATH, a community mental health organization for 10 years. Howard met the love of his life at summer camp in the Pocono Mountains. Lois was the camp nurse when Howard, a camp counselor, walked into the infirmary with a sports injury. Howard was cured of his injury but was bitten by the love bug. They were married the following January of 1955. Wishing to carry on the summer camp tradition, Lois and Howard packed up their three children every summer to attend Camp Saskatchewan in the Adirondack Mountains of New York. Lois continued as the camp nurse, and Howard was the drama counselor for over 25 years. When the camp closed, they bought a home on Crystal Lake in the Adirondacks and continued bringing joy to children at Brant Lake Camp for the next 25 years. Both Lois and Howard were world travelers, visiting over 100 countries and meeting kings, queens, peasants, butlers and everyone in between, and always leaving a lasting impression wherever they went. Howard had many hobbies including fishing, Phillies baseball, and gardening, but he was most well known for his talents on stage. An accomplished singer, comedian, actor, and director, Howard worked with everyone from his students to Scorsese on various projects, including starring in two syndicated television pilots, "going viral" on Old Jews Telling Jokes, and was most renowned for dazzling children and adults alike as an authentic Benjamin Franklin impersonator. More recently, he wrote, acted, and directed multiple Shannondell productions. He was a Masonic Past Master of Williamson Corinthian Lodge #368. Funeral services were held privately, and a Celebration of Life will be held when the pandemic restrictions permit.

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## HAAS

Phyllis Haas (nee Weissman), May 26, 2020 of Bala Cynwyd, PA; beloved wife of the late Gerald J. Haas; loving mother of David (Donna Goldblum) Haas and Steven (Beth Eskin) Haas; adoring grandmother of Michael (Liza Milberg) Haas, Jackie (Adam) Lyons, Matthew Haas, Raina Haas, and Alex Haas; cherished former mother-in-law of Nancy Snyder. Memorial services for Phyllis will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers, contributions in her memory may be made to the COVID-19 Relief Fund of Camp Ramah in the Poconos ramahpoconos.org. Please use the dedicated link on the bottom of their home page.

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## HARRIS

Kenneth A. Harris, age 75, died in his home in Boynton Beach, Florida on May 31, 2020. He was the son of Jack and Mary Harris and brother of Larry Harris. He grew up in Bay-side, Queens. He attended Hofstra University, played football for the New York Jets and worked in the garment industry for over three decades. He married Evelyn Meyer with whom he raised three children. He is survived by his partner Marlene Cohen, his wife of 32 years Evelyn Harris, his daughters Suzi (J.D.) Abrams and Jackie (Greg) Weisman, his son Marc Harris and his three grandchildren, Jordyn, Max and Jacob. His love for his family was limitless. He will be missed greatly. Funeral Services for immediate family will take place at Roosevelt Memorial Park on June 2nd, at 2:00 PM. Donations in his honor may be made the Anti-Defamation League or the American Heart Association.

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## HARTMAN

Elaine Hartman (nee Jarris), age 91, passed away May 25, 2020. Beloved wife of the late Jack Hartman. Loving mother of Evan Hartman (Dawn), Beth Hartman Kramer (Edward), and Brian Hartman. Adoring grandmom of Jessica Levin (Scott), Max Kramer, and Erik Kramer (partner Melina Harris). Great-grandmom of Stella and Jack. Dear sister of the late Raymond Jarris. Contributions in her memory may be made to The Alzheimer's Association 399 Market St. Suite #102 Phila PA 19106. www.alz.org/delval Services are private.

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## KAMINER

Mollie Kaminer (nee Becker), age 99, passed away June 2, 2020. She is predeceased by her beloved husband Isadore, her loving children Marc Kaminer and Debra Kaminer, and her dear siblings, Yetta Becker, Minnie Hirschfield (Hertz), Jenna Becker, and Herman Becker. Mollie is survived by her nephews Jay Hirschfield and Daniel Hirschfield. Contributions in her memory may be made to The American Diabetes Association 150 Monument Rd. Suite 100, Bala Cynwyd PA 19004. www.diabetes.org Services are private.

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## KATZ

Sonya Katz (nee Belsky), on May 31, 2020, of Huntingdon Valley, PA. Wife of the late David Katz. Beloved mother of Howard Katz, Helayne Seibel and Beth (Jay Weinberg) Katz and devoted grandmother of Yonaton Katz, Jacob Seibel and Bennett and Dillon Weinberg. Services and interment at King David Memorial Park were Private.

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## KERNER

Jerome R. Kerner "Jerry" of Lafayette Hill, passed away peacefully on Thursday May 21, 2020. He was 89 years old. Born June 26, 1930 in the Bronx section of New York. He was the son of the late Joseph and Mollie (nee Fleischer) Kerner, and the beloved husband of Rita (nee Levin) Kerner. In addition to his wife Rita, Jerry is survived by his three children: Larry Kerner, Amy Kerner and Dr. Steven Kerner (Linda), two grandchildren: Emily and Jared and his sister Natalie Kent. He was preceded in death by his sister Helene Dieter. Jerry had a passion for bonsai, volunteered to repair prayer books, volunteered at Einstein Hospital, local library, for the hearing impaired and Franklin Institute. Due to the Covid-19 pandemic, a private graveside service will be held for Jerry at Tiferet Bet Israel Cemetery. To share your fondest memories of Jerry, visit www.lifecelebration.com.

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## KRIGER

Linda Sheila Kriger (nee Herskowitz), May 29, 2020. Wife of Jake Kriger of Phila. Mother of Daniel and Ezra Solway, Rachel Kriger (Nick Corso), Jeremy Kriger (Yoella Epstein) and Mirah Kriger. Grandmother of Neima, Neli, Adel, Kassia, Maayan, Ayla and Evan. Private Graveside Services at Montefiore Cem. Contributions in her memory may be made to Center For Contemporary Mussar, contemporarymussar.org.

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## LEANESS

Jerrold Leanness on May 27, 2020. Beloved husband of the late Marilyn (nee Goldman); Loving father of Margie (Eric) Rothberg and Terry (Mary) Leanness; Devoted grandfather of Hillary (Jarad), Dawn (John), Craig (Annie) and Jill; Adoring great-grandfather of Jasper, Eve and Cora. Caring long time companion of Harriet Smith. Dedicated Track and Field Official including serving at the 1984 Olympics and 25 years at Penn Relays. World War II Marine veteran. CPA and Penn State graduate. Services and interment are Private. Contributions in his memory may be made to a charity of the donor's choice.

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## LUKOFF

Anny Lukoff (nee Faden), June 8, 2020. Beloved wife of the late Dr. Sydney. Devoted mother of Wendy (Larry) Kleeman, Jodi (Marc) Ratnowsky, Lisa (Steven) Meyers and the late Stephen Lukoff. Dear sister of Frances Eisenberg. "Mom Mom" to Andrew Kleeman (Jasmine Bensky), Jarrett Kleeman, Philip Ratnowsky (fiance' Hannah Hausmann), Corey Ratnowsky, Ethan Ratnowsky, Marisa Meyers, Justin Meyers, Zachary Meyers and Jeremy Meyers, also survived by cherished nieces, nephews and friends. Services are private. Contributions in her memory may be made to the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, 100 N 20th Street, Suite 405, Philadelphia PA 19103 or Abramson Senior Care, 1425 Horsham Road, North Wales PA 19454.

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## MARGULIES

Milton Margulies, M.D., 89 of Haverford. He is survived by his beloved wife, Renée Margulies; children: Jeffrey (Rose), Stuart (Melissa), Kathryn Viggiano (Dr. Joseph), and Richard (Amy); grandchildren: Kyle, Sara, Jennifer, David, Allison, Matthew, Brian, Julia, Daniel, Jessica, and Scott; and a sister, Shirley Spiegel (Michael). Services at West Laurel Hill were private. Donations in Milton's memory may be sent to the charity of your choice. Milton was born in Toronto, ON, and made his way to New York for his medical residency where he met and married Renée. Milton practiced Radiology at Lankenau Medical Center. For hobbies, he dabbled in painting and gardening. He will be missed.

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## MAZER

Alma R. Mazer (nee Posner). Wife of Irwin Mazer, mother of Sue (Jeff) Penfil, Joel (Merri) Dipertstein, and Richard Dipertstein. Stepmother of Audrey Rosenberg and Allyson Karo. Grandmother of Bryan Dipertstein, Rachael and Alexandra Penfil. Also survived by 8 Step grandchildren and 8 Great Step grandchildren. Service and interment were private. Contributions in her memory may be made to the Alzheimer's Association.

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## MOSES

Gordon Moses, on May 25, 2020. Husband of Barbara (nee) Norwitz and the late Irene (nee) Kroll. Father of Hillary (BJ Bear) Moses and Debbie (Michael) Pollack. Brother of Leonard (Suzanne) Moses and Alvin (Andrea) Moses. Grandfather of Jennifer and Benjamin Pollack. Service and interment private. Contributions in his memory may be made to JCC Maccabi Games or Birthrite Israel Foundation.

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## MUDERICK

Michael, May 31, 2020 of Havertown, Pa. Beloved husband of Ann (nee Prager). Devoted father of Aaron (Elizabeth) Muderick and Joel (Lisa) Muderick. Loving brother of the late Linda Muderick Lipton. Proud grandfather of Sara, Rebecca, Eli and Dylan. Services and interment are private. Contributions in his memory may be made to Adath Israel, Inglis House, Jewish Federation, Chabad of the Main Line, Lankenau Heart Institute or a charity of the donors choice.

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## OPPENHEIM

Surah A. "Sue" Oppenheim (nee Rosenthal) died on May 17, 2020 at her longtime home in Cheltenham, PA. She was the beloved wife of the late Hyman M. "Hank" Oppenheim; loving mother of Jay Oppenheim, Donna Oppenheim and Wendy Oppenheim-Brokke (husband Lynn); Devoted Grandmother of Heather Brokke, and loving sister of Phyllis Weil. She was predeceased by her, sister Josephine R. Todes and her brother, Spencer Rosenthal. Sue was born in Philadelphia on September 12, 1923. She earned her Bachelor's degree in music from Temple University in 1945 and her Master's degree in counseling from Villanova University in 1975. Thereafter, she served as an elementary school guidance counselor in the Philadelphia School District until her retirement in 1993. During the time between receipt of her degrees, she married Hank, and they raised their three children. Hank died in 1978. Sue was devoted to her family, was an accomplished pianist, and enjoyed music, bridge, travel, reading and golf. Services were private. A celebration of Sue's life will be held at a later time. Donations in Sue's memory may be made to Temple University (for Boyer College of Music and Dance), Temple University Institutional Advancement, PO Box 827651, Phila. PA 19182-7651 or to a charity of the donor's choice.

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## PLOTNICK

Paul Steven Plotnick, on May 22, 2020. Husband of Helene Kates. Son of the late Anna and Jack Plotnick. Father of Alyssa Plotnick and Ben Plotnick. Brother of Mark Plotnick and Susan Plotnick. Uncle of Elliott Warshowsky and Michael Warshowsky. Private Graveside Services are being held. Contributions in his memory may be made to Cong. Beth El-Ner Tamid, 715 Paxon Hollow Rd., Broomall, Pa., 19008.

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## PORTNEY

Herbert Portney. Let us celebrate the life of Herbert Portney. At age 84, he passed away on Sunday, May 24th, 2020. Herb, a native Philadelphian, was the beloved husband of Charlene, z'l, and the loved and cherished father of Kevan B. Portney (Nancy) and David Aaron Portney, z'l (Tara). He is survived by his brother Robert Portney (Marc). Herb will be incredibly missed by his loving grandchildren, Josh, Bryan and Makenzy. Born on May 18th, 1936 to Myer and Elsie Portney, he was a Korean War veteran, serving his country honorably before coming home to raise a family. He was a salesman and restaurateur in his early years. Later in life, he graduated from Drexel and became an educator. He rarely had a filter, but he always made everyone feel welcomed. He is now at peace with his mom, dad, amazing wife and loving son David. His wonderful, ever-loving outlook and personality will be missed.

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## PRILUKER

Irving Priluker, age 86, passed away June 2, 2020. Beloved husband of the late Roberta Priluker (nee Zolotorow). Loving father of Jerome Priluker and Cynthia Priluker. Dear grandfather of Rose and Allyssa Rappaport. Irving worked as a technician for Bell Telephone/Verizon for 37 years. Contributions in his memory may be made to The Parkinson Council 555 City Ave. Suite 480 Bala Cynwyd, PA 19004. www.theparkinsoncouncil.org

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## RACE

Millie Race (nee Buttermann), on June 1, 2020. Wife of the late Herbert Lazowick and the late Daniel Race. Mother of Beverly Miller and Ricki Horowitz. Sister of Rochelle (Lou) Zager and the late Sidney Buttermann. Grandmother of Joey Horowitz. Private Graveside Services are being held. Contributions in her memory may be made to American Cancer Society, www.cancer.org, or to Alzheimer's Association, www.alz.org/delval.

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## RASKIN

Raymond L. Raskin, 77, of King of Prussia, a noted Philadelphia area bridge player (Platinum Life Master), on Thursday June 4, 2020. Born February 20, 1943, in Philadelphia, he was a son of the late Lewis and Libby (nee Rappaport) Raskin and the husband of Meryl (nee Smith) Raskin. He was the father of Fred (Rebecca), Eric (Robin), Ari, and David (Sindhu Zagoren). He is also survived by his five grandchildren. Due to Covid-19 pandemic, a private graveside service will be held for Ray at Tiferet Bet Israel Cemetery. A donation in Ray's name would be appreciated to TBI, 1920 Skippack Pike, Blue Bell, PA 19422, or to Beaumont at Bryn Mawr, 601 N. Ithan Avenue, Bryn Mawr, PA 19010 with a note that it is for the Beaumont Staff Appreciation Fund. To share your fondest memories of Ray, visit www.lifecelebration.com

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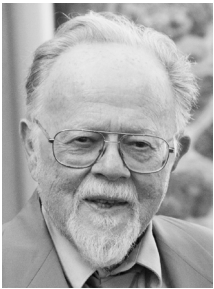
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**RAWDIN**

Eugene Rawdin, PhD of Elkins Park, an engineer whose career focused on innovating and designing space and defense systems, passed away on April 25, 2020 from complications from heart failure. Dr. Rawdin was 90. A graduate of Brooklyn Polytechnic, Dr. Rawdin received his PhD from the University of Pennsylvania, Moore College of Engineering. Dr. Rawdin began his career in 1953 during the Korean War as a commissioned officer in the Air Force. That same year, he married his life's love, Nona Neubauer, and started a family of four children. Upon discharge, Dr. Rawdin joined IBM, working in the engineering group on projects including mainframe-computing innovations. Most of his career was spent at RCA and GE, focusing on radar, defense, and space systems. Dr. Rawdin was a life-long learner and teacher who frequently gave guest lectures at institutions including his alma mater. Foremost was his love of family. He was married for 67 years and is survived by his adoring wife Nona "Cookie"; four children, Scott (Alice), Janis Rawdin-Walcoff (George, deceased), Grant (Laura), and Suann Shuster (Robert); 8 grandchildren, Yasha, Alex, Jacob, Jesse (deceased), Sydney, Jordan, Aaron, and Rachel; and 1 great-grandchild, Penelope. Graveside services with military honors took place on April 28th. The Airforce's Thunderbirds and Navy's Blue Angels fittingly performed a fly-over that day. A memorial service will take place at a later date. Donations in Dr. Rawdin's memory may be made to the Jewish Federation of Greater Philadelphia.

**REBER**

Charlotte R. Reber (nee Diamond) on June 16, 2020. Wife of the late Marvin. Mother of Joan (Richard) Raisman and Lynn Reber; also survived by 6 grandchildren and 8 great-grandchildren. Graveside Services are private. Contributions in her memory may be made to Congregations of Shaare Shamayim or Holy Redeemer Hospice.  
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**ROSENBERG**

Doris M. Rosenberg (nee Grunes) age 86, passed away on May 27, 2020. Beloved wife of the late Alvin S. Rosenberg; Loving mother of Mitchell Rosenberg (Nancy), Robin Rosenberg, Nancy Dubin (Jeff); Adoring Mommom of Laine Dubin, Jae Dubin, Jesse Brown (Carol), Jacob Brown, and Joshua Brown (Meghan). Great-grandmother of Archer Brown. Loving and involved aunt and great-aunt, friend to many. Doris loved to play tennis, mah-jongg and canasta, be at the Jersey shore and spend time with her family. Doris also loved music and danced in the streets of Paris. The family intends a private graveside service. Contributions in her memory can be made to Vitas Community Connection at Mercy Fitzgerald Hospital [www.vitascommunityconnection.org](http://www.vitascommunityconnection.org) or Haddassah of Greater Philadelphia [www.haddassah.org](http://www.haddassah.org).

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**ROSENSTEIN**

Anita Rosenstein (nee Dickler), on May 22, 2020. Devoted wife of 64 years to the late Fred L. Rosenstein, mother of Jack and Beryl Rosenstein and Carol and Joel Silver. Loving grandmother of Brian and Amy Rosenstein, Mark and Jennifer Rosenstein, Richard and Kerri Silver and Jonathan and Pam Silver. Adored Gi-Gi to Evan, Eve, Sean, Chase, Lucas, and Jacob. Sister of Gerri and Ron Fash, Marvin and Mickey Dickler, the late Herbert Dickler, and the late Joan Dickler Berman. She will also be missed by sister-in-law Leatrice Dickler, brother-in-law Arnold Berman and his companion Elaine Lutz, as well as many loving nieces and nephews. Donations may be made to the Shriners' Hospital for Children in Philadelphia, The Ronald McDonald House, or a charity of your choice. Funeral services will be private.

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**ROSS**

Robert Morris Ross, on June 13, 2020. Husband of the late Annette (Leonard). Father of Natasha (Michael) Goldberg, Margo Rosenblatt and Lisa Addis. Stepfather of Joel (Jennifer) Cohen and Barry (Rachel) Kramer. Also survived by 5 grandchildren. Mr. Ross was an Investment Banker and College Professor at Drexel University. He was a Philanthropist and active in the Jewish Community. Additionally, he volunteered for many causes and won Volunteer of the Year two times from the Jewish Federation. Private Graveside Services are being held. Contributions in his memory may be made to Jewish Family and Children's Services.

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**RUDNICK**

William (Bill) Rudnick, 88, of North Wildwood, NJ passed away on June 17, 2020. Bill was a machinist at Philadelphia Gear Corp. for 40 years until his retirement in 1992. Bill had several jobs after his retirement, worked at Morey's pier, worked at several auto part stores, Wawa, etc. His hobbies in his earlier years were boating, casino's and he loved going to the race track, you would find him betting on the horses, always with this cigar & he loved his rose garden. He is survived by his wife of 68 years, Sandy, his daughters Marilyn (Chris) and Sheila (Rick), grandchildren Kevin (Liz) and Kelly and 4 great granddaughters, Alex, Bailey, Charlotte and Harper. Graveside services were private. Donations can be made to Saint Jude Children's Research Hospital. Condolences may be sent to [ingersollgreenwoodfh.com](http://ingersollgreenwoodfh.com).

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**SAFFREN**

Sylvia Saffren (nee Goldman) on May 31, 2020. Wife of the late Leon; mother of Rena S. (Rabbi Jon) Konheim and Harry W. Saffren; grandmother of Adina Konheim (David Shekhtman) and Hana Konheim; great-grandmother of Zoe and Nate. Graveside services are private. Contributions in her memory may be made to Old York Road Temple-Beth Am, 971 Old York Rd., Abington PA 19001.

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**SCHECTER**

Anita Evelyn Wene Schecter, 82, of Philadelphia, passed away suddenly on June 2, 2020. She was born to the late Herman and Pearl Wene, on April 9, 1938, in Philadelphia. Anita attended Girls High School and later Temple University where she studied biology and cartography. She married Edward Schecter on June 19, 1960, and they lived together in the Philadelphia area for their entire lives. Anita is survived by her husband of almost 60 years, Edward, her four children: Laura Rawdin (Grant), Jennifer (Joseph Goldberg), Suzanne (Eric Callahan), and K. Mason (Liana Clark) and her five grandchildren; Aaron, Rachel, Madeline, Julia and Zara. She is also survived by her sister, Frances Collin and her brother, Jay Wene. In addition to her family Anita had many interests including knitting sweaters and scarves for her children and grandchildren, weaving (she was a member of the Weaver's Guild for several years), reading and walking in the park, but definitely not cooking. She had a green thumb for plants that cooperated with her, and a warm heart. She was the glue that held together the many parts of her extended family and she will be sorely missed. Funeral services were private. In lieu of flowers, donations in her name may be made to The Jewish Federation and/or Planned Parenthood.

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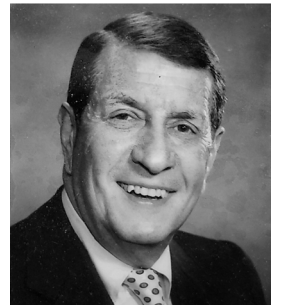


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**SCHIMMEL**

Marvin Schimmel, May 22, 2020 of Bala Cynwyd, PA. Our beloved Marvin, 93, passed away after a brief illness. Until his death, he was President of the family business Royal Electric Supply Company. A graduate of Penn State University and a veteran of the Merchant Marines, Marvin was an avid tennis player until time caught up with his knees. He also loved the Philly Pops, swimming, and Penn State Nittany Lions football. His friends from Penn State were his lifelong pals. A long-suffering Eagles fan (except for 2019), he loved watching tennis, and watching Phillies games. He was comfortable around power tools and electrical components, but the kitchen proved more of a challenge. His favorite color was yellow and his favorite food was anything chocolate! A consummate entertainer, he loved planning and hosting elaborate parties. He is survived by his long-time partner and beloved bashert of 55 years Roberta Baer Schimmel, her four children Harold (Shelley Goldfarb) Goldner, Meredith (Richard Heidorn) Eisner-Heidorn, Michael "Randy" (Wendy Sakol) Goldner and Meg Goldner Rabinowitz; his grandchildren Justin, Keith (Zoe Almqvist), Kira, Lucy, Sam, Ethan, Lily, Ben, Zach, and Simon, and great-grandson Cyrus Goldner. He is also survived by his nephews Robert, Lawrence (Marla), William (Kathy) and nieces Roseanne and Lynelle (Richard). He is also survived by his wife Barbara Schimmel. He was pre-deceased by his parents Rose and Joseph Schimmel and his siblings Irwin Schimmel, Paul Schimmel, and Grace Portner. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Philly Pops Orchestra [phillypops.org/support](http://phillypops.org/support).

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**SCHWARTZ**

Jerome N. Schwartz, on May 25, 2020. Father of Madeline Schwartz, Ellen Barbara and Tavia Schwartz. Brother of Florine Rothman. Grandfather of Jake and Jamie. Private Graveside Services are being held. Contributions in his memory may be made to the U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum, 100 Raoul Wallenberg Place, SW, Washington, DC 20204, [www.ushmm.org](http://www.ushmm.org).

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**SELIG**

Pam Selig, June 16, 2020 of Berwyn, PA; beloved sister of Dr. Robert (Candi) Selig and Marci Selig Smoger; loving aunt of Daniel (Janice) Selig, Jessica (Daniel) Mull, Lowell Smoger, and Julian (Mandy) Smoger; cherished great-aunt of Giana, Jordyn, Mia, and Jacob. Services are private. In lieu of flowers, contributions in her memory may be made to the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation [jdrf.org](http://jdrf.org).

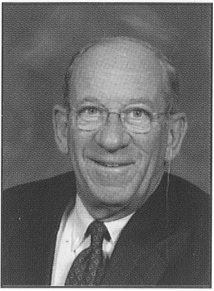
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RIMM

Sigmund "Sig" S. Rimm, who served as Margate City Commissioner for 32 years, died on Wednesday, May 20, 2020 after a short illness. Known to many as "Commissioner Sig Rimm", he devoted himself to public service in Margate from 1975 until his retirement in 2007. He was peacefully laid to rest on Sunday, May 24, 2020 in a beautiful graveside service along with many loved ones who were able to attend virtually through modern technology. Rimm was born on December 8, 1931 in Atlantic City to the late Honorable Judge Benjamin A. Rimm and Elizabeth (Bess) Rimm. He attended The Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania and was successful as an accountant and financial consultant for many years in the greater Atlantic City area. He was married to the late Barbara Rimm in 1954. In 1980 he married Carol Rimm and they were very happy together for forty years. As a South Jersey high school football official, Sig was at home on the field as he strived to be fair in every play he called. Being athletic since his childhood, he enjoyed the game and his role in it. Following in the high moral standards that he learned so well from his parents and family, Sig devoted his entire life to "simply doing what's right," for his family, friends, business associates, acquaintances, colleagues, those in need and especially for Atlantic City and his beloved Margate. As Commissioner Rimm, he prioritized the safety and well-being of the citizens of Margate. He was fully dedicated to making Margate the beautiful and peaceful town that it is today. As a testament to Sig Rimm's commitment and dedication to the town he loved, the Jerome Avenue Recreation Complex has been named in his honor. The Sigmund S. Rimm Recreational Complex is a gathering place for sports games and events and general fun for people of all ages. Providing people with opportunities to enjoy themselves in Margate was a great joy for Sig. Sig Rimm has left a timeless legacy of respect, dignity, honesty, integrity, and most of all love for his family and friends. He exuded a constant sense of protection and security to those around him. He was a man who stood up for what was right and actively followed his convictions. Sig is survived by his loving wife Carol and their four children: Carol Messing, Michael Rimm (Gabi Galler-Rimm), Eliot Graff (Lora Heiney) and Felicia "Lisa" Christensen (Neil); his younger brother Alfred "Bucky," Rimm (Sylvia "Simi" Rimm); his grandchildren: Ephraim Messing (Tali), Devorah Esses (Avi), Penina Claman (Zolly), Miriam Rackoff (Aaron), Adrian Rimm, Julian Rimm, Brian (Avery) Christensen, Stephen Christensen (Courtney Drake) and Rhys Graff and eleven great grandchildren. The South Jersey region, and Margate City, in particular, were profoundly enhanced by the sincere efforts of Sigmund S. Rimm. He was a true leader, most often putting others' needs before his own. He will be missed by the many people he reached out to and positively affected in his lifetime. Above all else, Sig was a family man. His memory will live on in the kind deeds and actions of his loved ones forever. The family plans to have an event in the near future in celebration and remembrance of the life of Sigmund S. Rimm. The family greatly appreciates any contributions made in Sig's memory to the following charitable organization: The Parkinson's Foundation, 200 SE 1st Street, Suite 800, Miami, FL 33131. Arrangements entrusted to ROTH-GOLDSTEINS' MEMORIAL CHAPEL, Atlantic City.

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## SMITH

Robert L. Smith, June 19, 2020 of Philadelphia, PA. Beloved husband of Susan S. (nee Schwartz); loving father of Stephen L. Smith, Michael H. (Betsey) Smith and David S. (Elizabeth) Smith; cherished grandfather of Kyle, Sloane, Brody, Sasha, Henry and Sydney. Services are private. In lieu of flowers, contributions in his memory may be made to the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation ([www.jdrf.org](http://www.jdrf.org))

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## SOLIN

Charles Gary Solin, on May 31, 2020, known to family and friends as Gary. Remembered for his limitless creativity, humor and love, he was born in Philadelphia and called New York City home for six decades. He is survived by his beloved wife, Victoria (nee Spragg), his loving daughters, Claudia Solin Pavey and Sara Solin Martinez, his cherished brother, Arthur Solin, and his dear cousin, Arthur Simpson. Services will be private, but a future ceremony will be planned to honor his life.

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SPIEGEL

Loretta Spiegel (nee Blank) passed away peacefully on May 30, 2020, in Elkins Park, PA. Loving mother of Bill Spiegel (Sherrrie), the late Eric Spiegel, and Gary Spiegel (Ann); adored grandmother of Jason Spiegel (Natalie), Rachel Fleischer (Matthew), Scott Spiegel, Stephanie Spiegel, Elizabeth Spiegel and Madeline Spiegel; cherished great grandmother of Lily and Ari Fleischer; dear sister of Jackie Baer (Ronald). She will be missed greatly by her family and friends. Service and interment are private. Contributions in her memory may be made to The Jewish Federation of Philadelphia, 2100 Arch St. Phila., PA 19103.

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## STEIN

Jennie N. Stein (Nee Nisenholtz) age 96. On June 2, 2020. Beloved wife of the late Isadore Edward Stein. Devoted mother of Marc Stein (Billie) and Mitchell Stein (Renee). Loving grandmother of Emily Lupin (Ben), Leslie Meunier (Marc), Steven Stein (Jaime), Heather Stein, and Scott Stein (Katelyn). Dear great grandmother of Ari, Max, Henry, Sydney, Hayden, Dean, Zoe, Demi, and Logan. Graveside services will be private. Contributions in her memory may be made to Seashore Gardens Living Center, 22 W. Jimmie Leeds Road, Galloway, NJ 08205.

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## STONE

Marcie L. Stone (nee Benoff). June 4, 2020. Beloved wife of Nathan Stone. Loving Mother of Kevin Stone (Nichole) and the late Jeffrey Stone. Dear sister of Fred Benoff (Malka). Devoted grandmother of Jacob, Max, Jordan. Funeral services are private. Contributions in her memory may be made to Jewish Federation, [www.jewishphilly.org](http://www.jewishphilly.org).

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## TOBIN

Marvin Tobin, June 10, 2020. Beloved husband of Helaine Tobin (nee Ringel), loving father of Neil (Marianne) Tobin and Laurel Tobin (deceased), stepfather of Randi (Howard) Bresalier, Robyn (Garret) Hauptman, Barry Barron (deceased), grandfather of Rachel and Jenna Bresalier, Allyson and Becca Hauptman, Avery and Jordan Barron. Previous husband to Rosalyn Tobin (deceased). Decorated war veteran and loving member of veteran community. Private graveside at Mount Jacob Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to Jewish War Veterans of Philadelphia. A celebration of life will be held (TBD).

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TOPF

Michael Topf (77), born in Newark, NJ, September 16, 1942, died at home in Narberth, PA on May 17, 2020 with his beloved wife of 43 years, Linda, by his side. A graduate of Columbia HS in Maplewood, NJ, Michael earned a BS and three master's degrees. Landmark Education and being ordained a minister fueled his desire to make a difference in the world. He was a skilled martial artist and disciple of Grand Master Pete Pajil. Michael's loyalty, character and living from the heart were shining examples to everyone. He also loved playing the piano. Friends will find comfort hearing Michael's exquisite music in their hearts forever. He worked as a research assistant, hospital administrator, mental health counselor and business consultant. He founded Topf Initiatives in 1983 and became a pioneer in preventive holistic health and safety. By facilitating workshops worldwide, he helped thousands of people live healthier and more safely. Michael and his wife Linda personified "mindful" loving and partnership in their marriage. She often said "Michael is the wind beneath my wings." Linda, diagnosed with MS in 1981, called Michael her muse, inspiration and support for many of her creative projects. She is an ordained minister, published author and Michael's inspiration as well. Friends say Michael was an "extraordinary human being" who lovingly spread joy through his natural sense of humor, engaging smile, "big, juicy warm heart" and light-hearted personality. Quote: "Michael lived what he espoused. Was he a perfect man? Could he be annoying? Sure, but that was wrapping paper. I always saw the gem inside the wrapper." He will be missed forever. Details for Michael's memorial are at [www.hancockfuneralhome.net](http://www.hancockfuneralhome.net)

## TORRENS

Freda Torrens (nee Fine) age 96 years, of Willow Grove, PA, Died on May 20, 2020. Daughter of the late Ida and Joseph Fine. Sister of the late Rae Goldfarb and Molly Masbitz. She was the wife of the late Dr. Nathan Torrens of 57 years. She was a homemaker, lover of the Arts, Decorating and a Gift Basket Designer. A member of Congregation Adath Jeshurun for over 30 years, Life Member of Hadassah and Technion; Member of Audrey Brodsky Salon. Mother of the late Keith Torrens, she is survived by nieces and nephews. Contributions in her memory may be made to Hadassah, Technion, Congregation Adath Jeshurun or the Pennsylvania College of Optometry.

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## WEINSTEIN



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Julian Weinstein, Funeral Director, on May 6, 2020. Beloved husband of Judy (nee Bonn). Loving father of Robert (Hope) Weinstein and Alan (the late Gail) Weinstein. Adored grandfather of Cole, Drew and Jennifer (Jeffrey). Also survived by 3 great-grandchildren. A past Corporate Secretary and Vice President of Goldsteins' Rosenberg's Raphael-Sacks, Julian was a graduate of Olney High School, Temple Community College and Eckles College of Mortuary Science, and a member of the Jewish Funeral Directors of America. He was a long-time member of Old York Road Temple-Beth Am and a life member of its Board of Directors. He was the organizer and founder of the Delaware Valley Softball League, serving as its Commissioner for the first seven years of its existence. A Mason, member of Suburban Lodge #777 F+AM, and 21 Jewel Square Club. Julian was an active leader and member of many organizations, including; Past President of Haym Salomon Lodge Brith Sholom and William Penn Lodge Bnai Brith, Carl Lopatin Lodge Brith Sholom, Upper Dublin Lodge Bnai Brith, Pennsylvania Lodge Brith Abraham, Bnai Chaim, United Jewish Organizations, Pannonia Beneficial Association, Prushin-Shershow Beneficial Association, and Director of Tannerie Run Resident Association. Contributions in his memory may be to Hadassah or a charity of the donor's choice.

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## WETKIN

Irving Wetkin, June 1, 2020, of Philadelphia, PA. Husband of Joanne. Father of Monica (Ira) Stern and Adriane (Daniel) Cattin. Brother of Ele Veitzkin and Diana Rothman. Also survived by six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Services and interment were held Tuesday June 2, at King David Memorial Park. Contributions in his memory may be made to the Abramson center for Jewish Life.

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## WOLFE

Donald B. Wolfe, age 89. Warminster, PA, formerly of Cherry Hill, NJ. A graduate of Tulane Univ., was an engineering manager for 38 years at RCA, Camden (later GE), and served for 2 years in the US Army in Chicago during the Korean War. He enjoyed interviewing prospective Tulane students, and was an avid golfer. Following retirement, he spent winters golfing in Ft Myers, Florida. He is survived by Barbara, his wife of 67 years, daughter Carolyn Savitzky (Martin) and son Joel (Traci) as well as 3 grandchildren: Robyn Savitzky, and Ted and Ellie Wolfe. Funeral and shiva are private.

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Dr. Geraldine Prose Young of Rydal, PA, known to family and friends as "Gerry," passed away peacefully on June 14th after a long struggle with dementia. She was predeceased by her husband of 68 years, Irving Young, and is survived by her three children, Carl Young, Diane Young Uniman and husband Howard Uniman, and Nancy Young and husband Jeffrey Melin; four grandchildren, Harry Uniman and wife Amanda Dillman Uniman, Max Uniman and wife Elizabeth Luckenbill Uniman, Claire Melin Cohen and husband Zack Cohen, and Julia Melin and husband Israel Kositsky; plus three great grandchildren, Joseph Samuel Uniman, Briar Rose Uniman, and Benjamin Henry Cohen. Gerry was born in the Bronx, NY on September 30, 1926. As an inveterate lover of opera and classical music, she was a member of the fourth graduating class of the High School of Music and Art in the City of New York (now known as the Fiorello H. LaGuardia High School of Music & Art and Performing Arts), and considered becoming a professional flutist before deciding on a career in medicine. After graduating from Brooklyn College in three years, and undaunted by the obstacles facing women in medicine at that time, Gerry received her MD degree from The SUNY Downstate College of Medicine in 1951. As one of a handful of females in her medical school class, Gerry was a pioneer for future generations of women entering the medical profession. Notably, such women included a daughter and granddaughter, both of whom readily acknowledge the trail she blazed in balancing a successful medical career with raising a loving family. Gerry worked for thirty-five years as a cytopathologist at the Albert Einstein Medical Center in North Philadelphia. She also managed a successful private practice diagnosing PAP smears from the family home in Elkins Park. Whereas other homes were filled with more traditional aromas, the smell of Xylene and other fixatives emanating from the third-floor staining laboratory was ever present in the Young household. Gerry made seminal contributions to clinical research. For example, she was an early proponent of fine needle aspiration biopsy, which is now a standard diagnostic tool. She also had a strong sense of social responsibility, helping to start a PAP screening clinic in Zimbabwe after retiring in 1989. As impressive as these accomplishments were, they were arguably rivaled by her poise, grace, beauty and wit. A great mimic, her sense of humor and infectious laugh were legendary. She and Irv were fixtures among their tight-knit group of friends who oscillated between Elkins Park, Isles of Capri, and Loveladies depending on the season. Finally, Gerry was a truly wonderful wife and mother. She was literally adored by her entire family, and it's no exaggeration to say her iconic status only grew over time. Although her disease ultimately robbed her and her family of her gifts, her memory lives on to both inspire and comfort all who knew her. Contributions in Gerry's memory should be made to The Dr. Geraldine Prose Young Fund at the Fiorello H. LaGuardia High School of Music & Art and Performing Arts or The Alzheimer's Foundation of America.

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