

Grace M. Viprino Hinrichs

ORLEANS — Grace M. (Clapp) Viprino Hinrichs, 80, of Orleans, passed away on Sunday, Aug. 16, 2009, after a short illness.

She is survived by children Linda Viprino of Orleans, Richard Viprino of Woburn, Kenneth Viprino of Brewster, Kathleen Mickle of Eastham, and Barbara Hoffman of Ramona, Calif.; a sister, Eleanor DaSilva of East Bridgewater; and many grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews and cousins.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Albert S. Clapp and Hazel Deane Clapp of East Bridgewater; a sister, Barbara Dubee of East Bridgewater; a brother, Albert S. Clapp Jr. of West Bridgewater; former husband Riccardo Viprino of Eastham, and husband Herbert H. Hinrichs, retired lieutenant colonel, of Orleans.

Born and raised in Brockton, she was a resident of Orleans for 55 years, and worked as a seasonal motel manager for many years in San Diego with her late husband. She enjoyed her church, family, sports and animals, and was a member of Brewster Baptist Church and the Orleans Senior Center at Rock Harbor.

A memorial service celebrating her life will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 29, at Brewster Baptist Church, Route 6A, Brewster. Burial will be private at Massachusetts National Cemetery in Bourne.

Please make a donation to the charity of your choice.

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