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### Lenox Karner III

Lenox "Sandy" Karner III, 65, formerly of Tewksbury, died March 28, 2001, at the Boston Medical Center following a lengthy illness. He was the husband of Jo (Kennedy) Karner.

He was born in Marlborough on May 17, 1935, the son of Abigail (Flagg) Karner of Fort Meyers, Fla., and the late Lenox Karner Jr. He was raised in Tewksbury and graduated from Tewksbury High School in 1953. He received a bachelor's degree from Bridgewater State College.

Mr. Karner was employed in consumer finance at Peoples Finance in Webster for many years. Most recently, he was employed at Beneficial Finance for 20 years, retiring in 1978.

He was a member of the Harvard Sportsman's Club, the Gun Owners Alliance League and the Rotary Club International. He was also a member of the Littleton Congregational Church.

He enjoyed pistol shooting and sports.

In addition to his wife and mother, he is survived by three sons, Charles Karner of Baltimore, Md., Bruce Karner and his wife, Ellen, of Severna Park, Md., and Alan Karner and his wife, Gail, of Franklin; a daughter, Sandra Karner of Silver Springs, Md.; a brother, Charles Karner of Tewksbury; two sisters, Barbara Karner, and Mary Beth DeRoche and her husband, George, all of Tewksbury; and five grandchildren.

A memorial service was held March 31 at the Badger Funeral Home in Littleton.

For those who wish, contributions in Mr. Karner's memory may be made to the Hematology Research Fund, c/o Lewis R. Weintraub, M.D., Boston University Medical Center, 88 E. Newton St., Boston, MA 02118.