

## OBITUARY

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Her husband, John R., died in 1968.

She is survived by three sons, William D. Hannigan of Hackettstown, John Raymond of Hopatcong and Michael K. Hannigan of Mountain Lake; a daughter, Joanne of Hackettstown; a brother, Gilbert "Sparky" of Fairmount, N.J.; four sisters, Mabel Douma and Alice Lake,

both of Hackettstown, Hazel Sutton in Maryland and Jane Hebbie of Lakeland, Fla.; and six grandchildren.

Services will be held at 10 a.m. Friday in Cochran Funeral Home, 905 High St. Hackettstown. Call 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday in the funeral home. Burial will be in Hackettstown Union Cemetery in Hackettstown.

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Memorials services were held

at the convenience of the family. Cremation was in charge of H.G. Smith Crematory in Stroudsburg, Pa. The DeVoe Funeral Service, Washington, was in charge of arrangements.

The family requests memorials to the charity of one's choice.

The Express-Times: November 19, 1997

The Star-Gazette: November 27, 1997

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