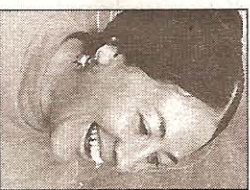


DEATHS

ZELDA GLAZER, 82

Tribute to be held for influential educator



GLAZER

The life and work of Zelda Glazer, a charismatic and influential former Miami-Dade County school administrator, will be celebrated 4 p.m. June 3 at the Lincoln Theatre, 541 Lincoln Rd. in Miami Beach.

Glazer, who inspired thousands of younger teachers with her high standards, love of liter-

ature and commitment to intellectual rigor within a creative environment, died Dec. 2 in an auto accident.

She was 82.

Until her retirement in 1993, she had served Miami-Dade County Public Schools for more than half a century as teacher, department head, assistant prin-

cipal and, finally, as district language arts supervisor. Two decades ago, with University of

Miami professor Eveleen Lorton, Glazer founded a summer writing institute for teachers, now a model for such initiatives. The institute, cosponsored by UM and the school district, now bears Glazer's name.

Glazer is survived by her husband, Leonard, who was injured in the wreck; daughter Amy Glazer, a theater director and college professor, and son Mitch Glazer, a Hollywood screenwriter and producer.

Friends are invited to attend the memorial celebration. Contributions in Glazer's honor may

be made to the University of Miami School of Education/Zelda Glazer Writing Institute, c/o Marsha Talianoff, 312 Merrick Building, PO Box 248065, Coral Gables, FL 33124, or the ACLU Foundation of Florida, 4500 Biscayne Blvd., Suite 340, Miami, FL 33127.

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