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Maria do Carmo Arruda

NEW BEDFORD— Maria do Carmo (Borges Alegre) Arruda, 77, of Gosnold Street died unexpectedly yesterday. She was the widow of Martin Arruda.

She died at St. Luke's Hospital.

She was born in St. Michael, Azores, and lived in New Bedford for 20 years. She was a communicant of Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church.

Survivors include a son, Ermano of New Bedford; two daughters, Leopoldina Hilario of New Bedford, and Guilhermina Rebelo of North Dartmouth; three brothers, Jacinto Borges Alegre, Mariano Borges Alegre and Francisco Borges Alegre, all of St. Michael; two sisters, Rosa Garcia of Visaleia, Calif., and Maria da Gloria Borges Alegre of St. Michael; eight grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Arrangements are by the Perry Funeral Home, 111 Dartmouth St.