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Joseph G. Sylvia

DARTMOUTH — Private funeral services were held today for Joseph G. Sylvia, 84, of Slocum Road, who died Sunday after a brief illness. He was the widower of Lucy F. (Sylvia) Sylvia.

He died at St. Luke's Hospital.

He was a lifelong Dartmouth resident and a communicant of St. Mary's Church, Padanaram. He was a self-employed farmer until retiring in 1964.

Mr. Sylvia was the son of the late Frank and Maria Gloria (Silvia) Sylvia.

Survivors include a daughter, Helen L. Lopes of North Dartmouth; five sisters, Emily Botelho, Mary Medeiros, Lucy Barros and Anna Silva, all of South Dartmouth, and Louise Lenny of Fairhaven; three grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

Arrangements are by the Aubertine Funeral Home, 129 Allen St., New Bedford.

Alfred L. Cournoyer

ACUSHNET — Alfred L. Cournoyer, 72, of 50 Brookside Mobile Park died at home today after a long illness. He was the husband of Yvonne (Cote) Cournoyer.

He was born and lived most of his life in New Bedford and resided in Acushnet five years. He was a communicant of Our Lady of Fatima Church. He was formerly employed by the Veterans Administration Hospital in Brockton.

Mr. Cournoyer served in the army during World War II and was formerly active in the National Guard in Bridgewater.

Survivors include his widow; a daughter, Yvonne Menor of New Bedford; three grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Arrangements are by the Chausse-Dumont Funeral Home, 1325 Acushnet Ave., New Bedford.

Catherine V. Heinz

BRIDGEWATER — Catherine V. (McKeon) Heinz, 85, of 1400 Vernon St. died yesterday after a brief illness. She was the widow of Thomas E. Heinz and the daughter of the late Patrick and Helen (McManus) McKeon.

She died at Island Terrace Nursing Home in Lakeville.

She was born in Boston and lived in Bridgewater since 1941 and was a communicant of St. Thomas Aquinas Church.

Mrs. Heinz attended Boston schools and was a member of the Bridgewater Golden Agers.

Survivors include two sons, Edward F. Shaughnessy of Bridgewater and William "Pat" Heinz of Middleboro; a daughter, Catherine Martin of Avon; 14 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Arrangements are by the Prophet Funeral Home, 98 Bedford St.

Lynn Catt

WAREHAM — Lynn Catt, 42, of Wareham died unexpectedly Sunday.

He died at Jordan Hospital in Plymouth.

He was born in Lafayette, Ind., and lived in the Wareham area 13 years. He was employed as a real estate salesperson for Sippican Realty of Marion.

Mr. Catt served with the Navy during the Vietnam War. He was a member of the Gateway Players of Wareham and the Foot Light Club of Boston and was a patron of the College Light Opera Company of Falmouth and the Upper Cape Organ Society of Wareham.

Survivors include his mother, Betty Forbes of Indiana; a daughter, Victoria Elayne Catt of Indiana; and two sisters, Sharon Collins and Judy Miller, both of Indiana.

Arrangements are by the Davis Funeral Home, 373 Court St., Plymouth.