

Helen Marques

EAST PROVIDENCE — Mrs. Helen (Sears) Marques, 54, of 12 Silver Spring Ave., a jewelry worker, died Friday at Miriam Hospital after a three-week illness. She was the wife of Francisco Marques.

Mrs. Marques worked for the Victory Pearl Co. of Providence for 34 years. She lived in Providence most of her life and moved to East Providence about seven years ago.

She was born in East Providence, a daughter of Mrs. Mary A. (Ferreira) Sears and the late Louis Sears.

Besides her husband and mother, Mrs. Marques leaves a son, Edmund F. Marques of East Providence; a brother, Russell Sears of Providence, and two sisters, Mrs. Evelyn Cabral of Providence and Mrs. Joyce Soares of East Providence.

Her funeral will be held Tuesday at 8 a.m. from the Rebello Funeral Home, 901 Broadway, with a Mass of Christian Burial at 9 in Our Lady of the Rosary Church, Traverse Street, Providence. Burial will be in Gate of Heaven Cemetery.

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