

LUCY BETTENCOURT

Lucy (Desmarais) Bettencourt, 64, of 100 Simmons St., Rehoboth, died Saturday at Charlton Memorial Hospital in Fall River, after a short illness. She was the wife of Eugene Bettencourt.

She was employed for many years as a bench worker at the Mansfield Chocolate Factory, and then worked at the Hasbro Company in Pawtucket, R.I. and at Swank, Inc. in Dighton.

She was a communicant of St. Peter's Church of Dighton.

Born in Bristol, R.I., she was the daughter of Rose Alma (Lemire) Desmarais of Bristol and the late George Desmarais.

In addition to her husband and mother, she leaves three sons, Eugene Bettencourt of Attleboro and David A. Bettencourt and Paul G. Bettencourt, both of Rehoboth; two daughters, Rosemary Guertin of Rehoboth and Theresa Weeks of Attleboro.

Also, four brothers, Albert Desmarais, Anthony Desmarais, Gilbert Desmarais, and Frederick Desmarais, all of Bristol; four sisters, Odille Brule and Rita LaRoche, both of Warren, R.I., and Rosanna Squires and Madeline Scola, both of Bristol; 28 grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and several nephews and nieces.

DOROTHY MARCKS

Dorothy (Collins) Marcks, 71, widow of John Marcks of Del Ray, Fla., died Sunday at her home following a long illness.

Born in Taunton, daughter of the late John and Caroline Collins, she worked at Reed and Barton and at Armor Bronze Co.

She is survived by two daughters, Barbara Ash of Long Beach, Cal. and Cynthia Vargas of Taunton; two sisters, Betty Tanner and Geraldine Hegeman, both of Del Ray; a brother, Warren Collins of Port Ritchie, Fla.; 10 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren.

WILLIAM F. McCLELLAN

William F. McClellan, 77, of 961 Somerset Ave., died Saturday at the Lahey Clinic in Burlington, after a long illness.

He was the husband of Helen A. (Araujo) McClellan.

A lifelong resident of Taunton, he was the son of Samuel and Margaret (Tighe) McClellan.

He was a retired chemical operator at ICI, and educated in Taunton schools.

He attended the Sacred Heart Church.

Besides his wife, he is survived by one son, William J. McClellan; and one daughter, Jane M. McClellan, both of Taunton; and several nieces and nephews.

DOROTHY A. SILVER

Dorothy A. Silver, 80, of 55 Cedar St. and wife of the late Francis J. Silver, died yesterday at Morton Hospital after a short illness.

Born in Taunton, daughter of the late John H. and Cora M. (Reilly) Kenyon, she was educated in city schools. She worked as an inspector with the Kilburn Glass Co. in Chartley and retired in 1967. She was a communicant of St. Mary's Church.

She is survived by a son, Francis J. Jr. of Taunton; four daughters, Mrs. Robert N. (Mary F.) Hanmigan and Mrs. Stanley (Shirley) Czepiel, both of Taunton; Mrs. Henry (Carolyn R.) Milko and Mfs. John W. (Joanne V.) Barrow, both of Berkley.

She also leaves two brothers, James of Taunton and Charles of Falmouth; five sisters, Mrs. Marcelina Garrin, Mrs. Bertha Leonard, Mrs. Jack (Mabel) Bernardino and Mrs. John (Mary) Shea, all of Taunton and Mrs. Cora Silverman of Lakeville; 17 grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

CHARLES REPOSA

Charles Reposa, 58, 37 Small St., Fall River, died Tuesday at the Charlton Memorial Hospital in Fall River.

He was the husband of Muriel M. (Morris) Reposa.

Born in Assonet, he was the son of Manuel and Ernestine Reposa.

He worked as a chemical foreman at ICI-America in Dighton for 35 years.

A veteran of World War II, he was a member of American Legion Post #166 in Fairhaven, and American Legion Posts #40 and #8.

He was a member of the Sixth Bristol Social Club of New Bedford and of the Holy Name Parish of Fall River.

Besides his wife he is survived by two daughters, Mrs. James (Deborah) Collins and Mrs. Scott (Robin) Martin, both of Fall River; four brothers, Manuel C. Rogers of Assonet, Joseph Reposa of Raynham, William J. Reposa of Bellingham, and Edward Reposa of Natick; three sisters, Mrs. Gilda Da Silva of Boston, Mrs. Roland (Sadie) Parent of Assonet, and Mrs. Glenn (Dorothy) Martin of Oveda, Fla.; and several nieces and nephews.

RENEE HALL 5/3/85 TG
BROCKTON — Renee Patricia (Cardoza) Hall, 33, died at Brockton Hospital Thursday night following a long illness.

She was born in Boston, the daughter of Frank P. and Mary E. (Brown) Cardoza.

She was a resident of Taunton for the past three months and a communicant of St. Joseph's Church.

Besides her father and mother of Taunton, she leaves one son, Kevin G. Cardoza of Cheyenne, Wyoming; two daughters, Chantelle Hall of Taunton and Yolanda Hall of New York City; one brother, Edward Brown of Boston; two sisters, Mrs. Ruth Hazard of Brockton and Mrs. Mary Tafoya of Boston; and several nieces and nephews.

JOHN CORREIA

John P. Correia, 83, of 12 Dexter Ave., died Sunday morning at Morton Hospital after a short illness.

He was the husband of the late Louise (Baptista) Correia.

Born in the Pico Azores, he was the son of the late John P. and Thresa J. (Silvester) Correia. He lived in Taunton since 1920.

He was employed for many years at the former Glenwood Range as a stove moulder, and later operated a machine at the Bacon Felt Co. He retired at age 65.

He was a communicant at Our Lady of Lourdes church and was a member of the Msgr. James Coyle Council, 82, Knights of Columbus.

He is survived by four sisters, Mary C. Coelho of New Bedford, Helen Miquel of Toronto, Flora Amaral and Maria Isabel Martins, both of Pico Azores; and several nieces and nephews.

MARY L. SYLVA

Mary L. (Leca) Sylva, 90, of 24 Jackson St., wife of the late Antone W. Sylva, died Tuesday night at the Oak Hill Nursing Home in Middleboro following a long illness.

Born on Madeira Island, daughter of Francisco F. and Carlotta (de Jesus) Leca, she was a resident of Taunton for more than 70 years.

She was a housewife most of her life and was a communicant of St. Anthony's Church.

Survivors include two nieces, Mrs. Ernest (Evelyn) Enos and Mrs. Anthony (Hazel) Silveira, both of Taunton; a nephew, Francis J. Leca of Foxboro, and several grand nieces and nephews. 5/8/85 TG