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Frank Mello

WEST WARWICK — Frank Mello, 78, of 2 Guertin St., operator of the former Mello Cafe until 1962, and later an inspector for the Arkwright Finishing Co., died yesterday at Kent County Memorial Hospital after a two-week illness. He was the husband of Frances (Furtado) Mello.

Born in Providence, a son of the late Frank and Anna (Ray) Mello, he lived in West Warwick most of his life.

Besides his wife he leaves a son, Sgt. Francis Mello, USMC, stationed in San Diego; two sisters, Mrs. Celia Nason of West Warwick and Mrs. Elsie Piasczyk of Chattanooga, Tenn.; four brothers, John Mello of Warwick, Anibel and Jill Mello, both of West Warwick, James Mello of Mansfield, Conn., and two grandsons.

The funeral will be held Thursday at 8 a.m. from the Raoul G. Henault & Son Funeral Home, 5 Eddy St., with a Mass of Christian Burial at 9 at St. Anthony's Church, Maple Avenue, Riverpoint. Burial will be in St. Mary's Cemetery.