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Thomas X. Mesquita

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. — Thomas X. Mesquita, 50, of 5365 Picket Drive, formerly of New Bedford, died unexpectedly May 12. He was the husband of Florence (Deshies) Mesquita.

He was born in Acushnet and lived in New Bedford most of his life. He lived in Colorado Springs the past several years.

Mr. Mesquita was the manager of sports equipment at the U.S. Air Force Academy in Colorado Springs.

Survivors include his widow; two sons, Michael of Arizona and Thomas of Colorado Springs; four daughters, Donna, Gayle, Cathy and Tammy, all of Colorado Springs; seven sisters, Mary Weigel of Rochester, Cecilla Gonsalves of North Dartmouth, Rose Seifert of Marion, Louise Tetreault and Laura Varao, both of New Bedford, Eleanor Mesquita of Yarmouth and Theresa Mesquita of East Dennis; four brothers, Charles and John, both of Dartmouth, Nestor of New Bedford and Theodore Mason of Tulsa, Okla.; and a granddaughter.

A memorial Mass will be said at 7 p.m. June 6 at St. Julie Church, North Dartmouth.