

Catherine C. Shea ^{2/24/83}

FALL RIVER — Catherine C. Shea, 75, of Madison Street died Thursday at the Rose Hawthorne Lathrop Home. She was the daughter of the late Timothy and Bridget (Manning) Shea.

She was born in Fall River, and lived in Connecticut and Swansea before returning to Fall River 33 years ago.

Miss Shea was a teacher for many years and retired in 1973 as principal of the Gardner School in Swansea. She had been a teacher in Swansea since 1935. Before that she had taught in Connecticut for several years.

She was a graduate of the former Bridgewater State Teachers College, and attended Yale University, Providence College and Boston University. She was a member of the Altar and Rosary Society of Holy Name Church, the Catholic Women's Club, the Fall River Woman's Club, the Delta Kappa Gamma Honor Society International, the American Association of County, Massachusetts and National Retired Teachers Associations, and the Bridgewater State College Alumni Association.

Survivors include a sister, Madeline Kilroy of Somerset and a brother, John T. Shea of Cheverly, Md.