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MARIA TAVARES

Maria DeLourdes (Bulhoes) Tavares, 74, of 17 Jerome St., Berkley, mother of nine and grandmother of 32, died Sunday afternoon at Morton Hospital following a lengthy illness. She was the wife of the late Jose Tavares.

Born in St. Michael, Azores, daughter of the late Jose and Maria (Graca) Bulhoes, she came to the United States 12 years ago. She was a communicant of Our Lady of Lourdes Church.

She is survived by three sons, Joseph Tavares, of Toronto, Canada; Nuno Tavares, of Fall River, and Manuel Tavares, of New Bedford.

She also leaves six daughters, Mrs. John (Albertina) Correiro, of New Bedford; Mrs. Raul (Maria Jose) Barboza and Mrs. Manuel (Theresa) Pacheco, both of Middleboro; Mrs. Irene Lorien and Mrs. Manuel (Fatima) Rodrigues, both of Attleboro, and Mrs. Manuel (Maria Rose) Cabral, of Berkley, with whom she resided.

She is also survived by two brothers and three sisters in St. Michael, and 32 grandchildren.