

**JOHN A. ALVES**

John A. Alves, 91, of 116 Barrows St., Norton, died Friday at Sturdy Memorial Hospital in Attleboro after a long illness.

He was the husband of the late Annie (Garrity) Alves and was a life-long resident of Norton.

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He was a retired textile worker, and worked at the Defiance Bleachery in Norton for 50 years. He was educated in Norton schools and was a communicant of St. Mary's Church in Norton. He was a former member of the church's Holy Name Society.

He was born in Providence, R.I., son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Alves.

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He is survived by three sons, Joseph Alves and Frank Frazer, both of Norton and John Alves of Tampa, Fla.; three daughters, Mrs. Mary Farinella of Mansfield, Mrs. Emma Ricketson of Syracuse, N.Y. and Mrs. Edna Steves of Taunton; two stepdaughters, Mrs. Margaret Donnelly of Fall River and Mrs. Anna Mae Hartshorn of Somerset; a brother, Joseph Alves of Attleboro; a sister, Mrs. Delina Enos of Providence; several grandchildren, great grandchildren and nieces and nephews.