

FRANCIS G. DEROSE

GRAYSON, Calif.

Francis G. DRose, 66, of 8813 Laird St., formerly of Althea Street, Taunton, Mass., died Nov. 27 at his home following a brief illness.

Born in Pico, Azores, he was the son of the late Antone and Marianna DeRose. He had lived most of his life in Taunton before moving to California four years ago. He had worked as a polisher at Ripley and Gowan in Attleboro and retired when the plant closed.

He was a World War II veteran, having served with the United States Army.

Surviving him are his wife, Arlene (Vieira) DeRose of Grayson; a son, Francis DeRose Jr. of Fall River, Mass.; two daughters, Arlene Guimaraes of Grayson and Ann Hickman of North Attleboro, Mass.; and four grandchildren.

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