

Bertha Holmes 7/20/61

NEW BEDFORD — Bertha (Francis) Holmes, 71, of 5 Austin Court died yesterday after a brief illness. She was the widow of Frank Holmes.

She died at St. Luke's Hospital.

She was a lifelong New Bedford resident and was employed by area fillet houses as a packer until retiring.

Survivors include a brother, Henry A. Francis, and her sister-in-law, Yvonne Francis, both of New Bedford.

Arrangements are by the Wilson Chapel, 479 County St.