

PS **Abel Mattos** 5/16/82

EAST PROVIDENCE — Abel Mattos, 57, of 288 Warren Ave., a custodian for the East Providence School Department, died yesterday at the Veterans Administration Regional Medical Center.

Born in New Bedford, a son of the late John and Gloria Mattos, he lived in East Providence 54 years.

A World War II Coast Guard veteran, he was a member of the Disabled American Veterans, Howarth-Lopes Chapter 23.

He leaves two sons, Richard Mattos of Acushnet, Mass., and Robert Mattos of Norfolk, Mass.; a daughter, Mrs. Eileen Thomas of New Bedford; two sisters, Mrs. Gloria Couto of Rumford, Miss Jenny Mattos of East Providence, and four grandchildren.

The funeral will be held Tuesday at 9 a.m. from the Rebello Funeral Home, 901 Broadway, with a Mass of Christian Burial at 10 at St. Francis Xavier Church, North Carpenter Street. Burial will be in Gate I of Heaven Cemetery.