

**MARIA MENZES**

Maria Edith (Camara) Menzes, 53, of 898 Church St., Raynham, died Monday at her home following a long illness. She was the wife of Manuel Menzes.

She worked as a nurse's aide at Longmeadow Nursing Home for five years until a year and a half ago, when she became ill.

Daughter of Manuel and Etelvina (Viera) Camara of Cambridge, she was born in St. Michael, Azores, and had resided in the United States for the past 12 years.

She was a communicant of St. Anthony's Church.

In addition to her husband and parents, she leaves three sons, Carlos Tavares of Taunton and Joseph Tavares and David Tavares, both of Raynham.

Also, five daughters, Mrs. Manuel (Mary F.) Camara and Sarah Tavares, both of Raynham, and Mrs. Joseph (Fernanda) Furtado, Mrs. David (Lucia) Oliveira, and Mrs. Joseph (Helen) Peixoto, all of Taunton; 12 grandchildren; and several nephews and nieces.

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