

RAPOZA — In Boston, Sept. 1, Alexandrina (Vardo), wife of John Rapoza of Golf Street, Fairhaven, aged 68 years. Funeral from the

Perry Funeral Home, 111 Dartmouth St., Saturday at 8. Funeral Mass at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church at 9. Relatives and friends are invited. Visiting hours 2-4 and 7-9.

Alexandrina Rapoza

FAIRHAVEN — Alexandrina (Vardo) Rapoza, 68, of Golf Street died yesterday after a long illness. She was the wife of John Rapoza and the daughter of the late Francisco and Maria A. (Luz) Vardo.

She died at New England Deaconess Hospital, Boston.

She was born in New Bedford and a lifelong area resident. She was a communicant of Mount Carmel Church. She was employed by Pierce Garment Co. as a stitcher until retiring.

Mrs. Rapoza was a member of the Sciticut Neck Senior Citizens and the International Ladies Garment Workers Union.

Survivors include two sons, Kenneth and John Bruce Rapoza, both of New Bedford; a daughter, Vivian Gomes of New Bedford; five brothers, Charles, Edward and George Vardo, all of Florida, John Vardo of South Dartmouth and Ernest Vardo of New Bedford; and three grandchildren.

Arrangements are by the Perry Funeral Home, 111 Dartmouth St., New Bedford.