

RAPOZA — In this city, October 1, Manuel Rapoza, husband of Margaret (O'Donnell) Rapoza, of 12 Ruth Street, aged 74 years. Funeral from the Perry Funeral Home, 111 Dartmouth Street, Tuesday at 9.

Funeral Mass at St. James Church at 10. Relatives and friends are invited. Visiting hours Monday only 2-4 and 7-9.

Manuel Rapoza

NEW BEDFORD — Manuel Rapoza, 74, of 12 Ruth St. died yesterday after a long illness. He was the husband of Margaret (O'Donnell) Rapoza.

He died at Sassaquin Nursing Home.

He was a lifelong New Bedford resident and a communicant of St. James Church. He worked as a weaver for Berkshire Hathaway until his retirement. He was a member of the Tripp Tower Senior Citizens.

Survivors include his widow; a son, Ralph; a brother, John; two sisters, Elsie Medeiros and Maria Silveira, all of New Bedford; five grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

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