

John M. Sylvia Sr., 90

John M. Sylvia Sr., 90, of Tucker Lane, North Dartmouth, died Saturday after a brief illness. He was the widower of Marianne (Silva) Sylvia.

He was born in Fayal, Azores, and lived in the New Bedford area for 63 years. He was a communicant of St. Mary Church, and was a farmer until his retirement.

Survivors include a son, John M. Jr. of North Dartmouth; three daughters, Mary Barros, Julia Cabral and Hilda Paquette, all of North Dartmouth; a sister, Mabel Marshall of New Bedford; six grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and a great-great-grandchild.

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

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