



Obituary

Born: Sunday, February 17, 1918

Died: Monday, August 13, 2018

FAIRHAVEN: Cesaltina R. (Dutra) Fontinha, 100, passed away on Monday, August 13, 2018, at Our Lady's Haven in Fairhaven after a period of declining health. She was the wife of the late Manuel Fontinha.

She was born in Feteira Grande, St Michael, Azores, to the late Joao da Rocha and Alexandrina (Cabral) Dutra. A communicant of Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception Church. She was formerly employed at Grotogs Sportswear as an inspector until her retirement in 1967.

Mrs Fontinha was a member of the Holy Rosary Sodality, Portuguese Prayer Group, Holy Ghost Society of her parish, also Sacred Heart of Jesus Society.

Survivors include her sons, Carlos M. R. Fontinha and his wife Marilyn of New Bedford, John Fontinha and his wife Jeanne of Fairhaven. Also survived by one granddaughter Kerrie Fontinha, one greatgranddaughter Chelsi, one great grandson D'Andre, and one great great granddaughter Amari, several nieces and nephews. She was the sister of the late Manuel Dutra, John Dutra, Carlos Dutra, Serafin Dutra, Jose Dutra, Rosa Teixeira and Maria Medeiros.

Visiting hours will be Thursday morning, August 16, 2018 from 9 to 10:30 AM at the Cabral Baylies Square-Lamoureux Funeral Home, 512 No. Front Street, New Bedford, followed by a Mass of Christian Burial at 11 AM in Our Lady of the Immaculate Church, 136 Earle Street, New Bedford. Interment St John's Cemetery.

Online condolences to the family can be made on our website, www.cabralbaylies.com.

The parking area and handicapped-accessible is available at rear entrance of the funeral home.

Service Summary

Visitation

9:00 AM to 10:30 PM, Thu Aug 16, 2018

Cabral Baylies Square Funeral Home

512 North Front Street
New Bedford, MA 02746

Funeral Mass

11:00 AM Thu Aug 16, 2018

Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception Church

136 Earle Street
New Bedford, MA 02746