



## Virginia Vitorino

July 16, 1918 - July 20, 2014

Denair resident, Virginia Amelia Vitorino, passed away Sunday, July 20, 2014. She was born July 9, 1918 to Francisco Cardoso and Virginia Rocha in Santa Barbara, on Terceira in the Azores.

She came to the United States when she was 24 and was naturalized as a U.S. citizen on May 22, 1956.

Virginia was a hard worker and had many jobs throughout her life, including a cannery worker for Tillie Lewis for 18 years, but she is best known for the warm, loving home she kept open to all her family.

Virginia held a strong faith and avid member of Sacred Heart Church. She also participated in the UPPEC Council No. 41, in Modesto, Our Lady of Fatima, in Turlock, and the Brotherhood of St. Anthony, in Tracy.

Virginia is preceded in death by her parents, and her siblings, Francisco Silveira da Rocha, Jose Silveira Cardoso, Mara Emelia Rocha, Alexandriana da Lourdes Rocha, and John Silveira Cardoso. She is survived by her sister-in-law, Palmira Cardoso, niece, Filomena Cardoso, nephew, Frank Cardoso, and beloved friend and caregiver, Judith A. Ormonde.

A visitation will be held at Thursday, July 24, from 4:00 to 7:00 p.m., with a

recitation of the rosary beginning at 7:00 p.m. at Turlock Funeral Home, 425 N. Soderquist Rd., in Turlock. The funeral mass will follow on Friday, July 25, at 11:00 a.m. at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, 1200 Lyons Rd., in Turlock, with interment in Turlock Memorial Park.

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“ *Virginia Vitorino*

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