

Edward C. Tavares, 66, of Ives Rd., Warwick, a Providence Firefighter for 32 years before retiring in 1979, died 8/7/1989 at Kent County Memorial Hospital, Warwick. He was the husband of Lois C. (Hinterland) Tavares.

Born in Providence, a son of the late Manuel and Adelaide (Munro) Tavares, he moved to Warwick in 1973.

Mr. Tavares was a Navy veteran of World War II. He served aboard the USS Boston. He was a member of the IAFF, Local 799, and a past president of the Retired Police and Firefighters Association.

Besides his wife, he leaves three daughters, Sandra Taft of North Kingstown, Deborah Jaris of Cransston and Paula Tavares of Warwick: a sister Violet Sheehan of Middletown, CT, and seven grandchildren.

HIs funeral was held in the Rebello Funeral Home, East Providence. Burial followed in the Pocasset Cemetery, Johnston.