



Mr. Manuel Tomas

August 15, 1926 - December 19, 2023

Manuel Tomas

LOWELL—Manuel Tomas, the beloved husband of Georgina (Conceicao) Tomas, passed away on Tuesday, December 19, 2023 at Lowell General's Saints Campus. He was 97 years old.

Manuel was born in Graciosa, Azores, Portugal on August 15, 1926, a son of the late Manuel and Julia Picanco. He was educated in Graciosa and served in the Portuguese Army. He married Georgina Conceicao in 1947 and together celebrated 76 years of marriage. They came to the United States and have lived in Lowell for 57 years. He was a parishioner of St. Anthony's Church. Prior to his retirement, Manuel was employed at Bradford Industries as a machine operator. Previously, for many years, he was a dryer for the Lawrence Tannery Company in Lawrence MA.

Manuel enjoyed fishing, playing cards, gardening, tending to his grape vines, and making Vinho. He liked watching gameshows and westerns on TV, especially Bonanza.

He held membership in the Holy Ghost Society, the Lowell Seniors, The Blue's Club and was an active volunteer with the Holy Ghost Feasts. Manuel also enjoyed the holidays, spending time with family, especially his grandchildren.

Manuel is survived by his wife Gerorgina Tomas of Lowell; his son, Manuel Tomas Jr. and his wife Maria of Lowell; his daughter Maria P. Silva of Lowell and Dennis, MA; two grandchildren, David Tomas of Lowell and Gina Ryan of Groton; two great grandchildren, Isabella Ryan and Anthony Ryan, both of Groton, MA; four sisters, Jusfina Silva of Canada, Maria Sao-Jose of Canada, Angelina Silva of Lowell, Eugenia Silva of Peabody, MA; several nieces and nephews.

Manuel was the father of the late Antonio Picanco, and brother of the late Antonio Picanco.

Family and friends may call at THE FAY McCABE FUNERAL HOME, 105 MOORE STREET IN LOWELL on FRIDAY MORNING, December 22, 2023, from 9 AM until 10:30 AM. MANUEL'S FUNERAL MASS will follow on FRIDAY MORNING at 11 AM at ST.

ANTHONY'S CHURCH, 893 Central Street, Lowell. Burial will take place in St. Mary's Cemetery, Tewksbury.

ARRANGEMENTS BY THE
FAY McCABE FUNERAL DIRECTORS
978-459-9222 www.faymccabe.com

Cemetery Details

St. Mary Cemetery

90 River Road
North Tewksbury, MA 01876
(978) 851-2248
<http://www.stmarycemetery.com/>

Previous Events

Calling Hours

DEC 22. 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

Fay McCabe Funeral Home
105 Moore Street
Lowell, MA 01852
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Funeral Mass

DEC 22. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Anthony's Church
893 Central Street
Lowell, MA 01852

Burial

DEC 22. 12:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ This is my favorite picture of you Tio with my mom a few years back when we went to see you.. May you rest in peace and live in our hearts with eternal love ❤️



Connie Riga - December 20, 2023 at 09:10 PM

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“ My Condolences to all the Families
RIP 🙏🏻🙏🏻🙏🏻



Fatima Bettencourt - December 20, 2023 at 08:41 PM

MP

“ Maria Pereira lit a candle in memory of Mr. Manuel Tomas



Maria Pereira - December 20, 2023 at 07:10 PM

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“ Sean & Erin Rourke lit a candle in memory of Mr. Manuel Tomas



Sean & Erin Rourke - December 20, 2023 at 06:02 PM