

Ela Poroï passed away at 98

death



She was the dean of Teva i Uta and also the mother of the famous musician Michel Poroï.

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Ela, Vahineura Poroï was born on July 29, 1922, daughter of the former district chief of Mataiea Teraitua Poroï and of Joséphine Atea, passed away on December 04, 2020. She is the youngest of a family of 11 children . With Théodore, her husband, she had 4 children: Michel

Poroi, famous fenua guitarist, Eric, Cora and Naomi. A talented seamstress, she notably dressed the agents of the Pacific Experimentation Center. Passion that she maintained and practiced until more than 80 years. Despite her advanced age, she commanded the admiration of all. Always in a happy mood, she used to take a walk every day on Vairaharaha Beach in Mataiea.

At 98, she did not need glasses to read and still had many memories of her youth that she liked to tell. With her, it is a living memory of the Country that has died out.

Teva i Uta commune mourns its dean

At 98 years old, Ela Poroi was the dean **of Teva i Uta commune** . His departure causes a deep stir for his family but also for the entire population of Mataiea. Mayor Tearii Te Moana Alpha, deeply saddened by the news, paid tribute to this great lady of the town:

Mama Ela, thank you for your joy of living, for your tenderness, your generosity. We keep the memories of you of a strong woman, fervent in the faith which animated you and whom you did not hesitate to testify around you. May your rest be sweet. "Ia maitai to 'oe tere". Parahi.



In addition to this, you need to know more about it.