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Deputy PM's mother-in-law dies of heart attack

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KUALA LUMPUR: Fatimah Kedah, the mother of Datin Seri Rosmah Mansor, died of a heart attack yesterday. She was 82.

The deputy prime minister's wife said her mother, who was staying with her, became unconscious after a fall at the official residence in Putrajaya.

Fatimah had earlier performed the *subuh* prayers and fell after she went to the bathroom.

She was rushed to the Putrajaya Hospital, but died at 1.40pm.

Fatimah is survived by her husband Mansor Karitas, Rosmah, who is their only child, and four grandchildren.

Rosmah, who was on an official visit in Seremban with Datuk Seri Najib Razak, rushed back to Putrajaya after receiving a call from the hospital.

Najib said his mother-in-law's death was a personal loss to the family and they would miss her dearly as she had always given them emotional and psychological support.

Fatimah's body was taken to Najib's house in Taman Dutta here before the burial at the Jalan Ampang Muslim Ceme-



Deputy Prime Minister Datuk Seri Najib Razak scattering flower petals on his mother-in-law's grave at the Jalan Ampang Muslim Cemetery yesterday. On the left is his wife Datin Seri Rosmah Mansor. — Bernama picture

tery at 6pm.

Among those who paid their last respects were Raja of Perlis Tuanku Syed Sirajuddin Syed Putra Jamalullail and his wife, Tourism Minister Datuk Seri Tengku Adnan Tengku Mansor, Federal Territories Minister Datuk Seri Zulhas-

nan Rafique, Domestic Trade and Consumer Affairs Minister Datuk Shafie Apdal, Selangor Menteri Besar Datuk Seri Dr Mohd Khir Toyo, Negeri Sembilan Menteri Besar Datuk Seri Mohamad Hasan and Malacca Chief Minister Datuk Seri Mohd Ali Rustam,