

Dr. Mildred Wagner Succumbs At 59

Mildred S. Wagner, M.D., 59, who practiced general family medicine in Westernport from 1956 until her retirement several years ago, was dead on arrival Wednesday at Potomac Valley Hospital, Keyser, W.Va. She resided at 104 Kalbaugh Street, Westernport.

Born in Hamilton, Pa., she was a daughter of Mrs. Esther (Hamilton) Sheesley, Cumberland, and the late Rev. Joseph P. Sheesley.

After graduating in 1944 from Freeburg, Pa., High School, Dr. Wagner took pre-medical studies at Bucknell University in Lewisburg, Pa. She attended Hahnemann Hospital Medical School in Philadelphia for two years and received her medical degree in family practice from the University of Virginia School of Medicine, Charlottesville, in 1955.

After returning to Philadelphia to complete her internship at Presbyterian Hospital, Dr. Wagner practiced general family medicine in Fishersville, Va., for six months before accepting an offer to practice in Westernport.

She was a member of Trinity United Methodist Church, Piedmont, and was a life member of the Westernport Parent-Teacher Association.

Surviving besides her mother are her husband, George (Bill) Wagner; four sons, Albert Wagner and George Wagner, both of Blacksburg, Va.; John Wagner, Charlottesville; James Wagner, at home; one brother, Dwight Sheesley, Glen Burnie; three sisters, Mrs. Ella Mae Holmes, Los Angeles, Calif.; Mrs. Janet Crowe, Cumberland; Mrs. Belva Michaels, Harrisonburg, Va. Another brother, Ira Joe Sheesley, died Aug. 9, 1984.

Friends will be received at the Boal Funeral Home, Westernport, Thursday from 7 to 9 p.m. and Friday 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

Services will be conducted Saturday at 1 p.m. at Trinity United Methodist Church, Piedmont, by the Rev. Curtis Saville. Interment will follow in Rocky Gap Veterans Cemetery.