

Wilmer C. Knepper

Chambersburg, 95

Wilmer Charles Knepper, 95, Chambersburg, died early Sunday, March 27, 2016, at home.

He was born January 13, 1921, near Waterfall, the son of the late William and Grace Barnett Knepper. In 1948 he married Agnes Keating, in Cumberland, Md.

He is a member of St. Paul United Methodist Church and Kiwanis Evening Club in Chambersburg. He was a former member of American Chemical Society of which he was a past president, American Instrument Society, past president of Cresaptown, Md., Civic Improvement Ass., and former member of Cresaptown Methodist Church, where he had held various offices. He was a Red Cross blood donor, having donated 17 gallons in his lifetime.

He graduated from Juniata College with a chemical engineering degree, and worked for Celanese Co. in Cumberland, Md., and Pet Inc. in Chambersburg.

He is survived by his two children: Dennis Knepper, Newville, and Colleen Hayman, Chambersburg; three grandchildren: Emily Besecker, Sarah Weeks and James Wallace.

In addition to his wife, he was preceded in death by a daughter, Elizabeth Besecker; and two sons: Timothy and Daniel Knepper.

He was the last of his immediate family.

Funeral services will be held Thursday March 31, at 11 a.m., at Kelso-Cornelius

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Funeral Home, Chambersburg, with Rev. Rick Noll officiating. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service. Interment will follow in Center Cemetery, Hustontown.

Memorial contributions may be sent to St. Paul United Methodist Church Building Fund, 750 Norland Ave., Chambersburg, PA 17201.