

Mr. Leon Hegner

H. Leon Hegner, 68, of Frederick, died Thursday, Feb. 7, at Frederick Memorial Hospital.

Born in Wellsburg, W.Va., Jan. 21, 1940, he was the son of the late Hermann L. Hegner and Angela Emig Hegner.

He was a graduate of Wheeling Jesuit College, Wheeling, W.Va., Class of 1961 with a bachelor's degree in English/dramatic writing arts. He was commissioned in 1963 and served in the USAF, stationed in the U.S. and Europe as a liaison between Army and Air Force communication units; and was honorably discharged at the rank of captain. After which he made a career in publishing, sales and investment management. He was a loving and devoted husband and will be missed by all that knew him.

His is survived by his wife, Barbara C. Hegner.

Also survived by his sisters, Jacqueline Dunlavey of Washington, D.C., Margot O'Herron of Laurel, and Susanne Cominotti of Steubenville, Ohio.

In addition, are his former wife, Eileen Iseley Hegner of Mount Airy; and their children, Derek Leon Hegner of Laurel, Jennifer Hegner of Baltimore, Emily Hegner of San Francisco, and Heather Hegner-Voss of Suffolk, Va., also surviving are several nieces and nephews.

Visitation will be held from 6 to 9 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 12, at Keeney and Basford Funeral Home, 106 E. Church St., Frederick. A service will follow at 11 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 13, from the funeral home. Interment to follow at a later date.

Online condolences may be offered to the Hegner family at www.keeneybasford.com.