

William D. Stovall, Jr.

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Dr. W. D. Stovall, Jr., Killed in Auto Crash Sunday Afternoon

Dr. William D. Stovall, Jr., 48, former Monticello physician, was killed Sunday afternoon when his car veered off the Illinois tollway and struck an abutment near Cherry Valley.

Also killed in the accident was a passenger, Margaret Marie Brandon, 31, Borbonnias, Il., a nurse at Manteno State hospital, where Dr. Stovall was a staff physician at Bower hospital, the medical section of the Manteno hospital.

William Davison Stovall was born Feb. 6, 1916, in Madison, the son of William Davison and Etta Marie Buchholtz Stovall. His mother died in 1955. His father, Dr. William Stovall, Sr., Madison, is a retired clinical pathologist at University Hospitals, who also has been associated with the U. S. Department of Public Health and the state laboratory of hygiene.

The former Monticello physician graduated from the University of Wisconsin medical school and served his internship at the U. S. Naval hospital at Oakland, Calif. He was on active Naval duty during part of 1942 and 1943.

Dr. Stovall conducted a private practice in Brodhead for six years and opened an office in Monticello in March, 1957. Since leaving here he has been at the Manteno, Ill, hospital.

He was married Jan. 4, 1956, to Patricia Thorpe of Monroe. She was in Florida at the time of the doctor's death, visiting her son, Gary Stovall, Miami. Another son, James R. Stovall, with the armed forces in Korea, also survives.

Funeral Services Today

Funeral services will be held at 1:30 this (Thursday) afternoon in the Stuessy funeral home, Monroe. The Rev. E. C. McCollow of St. Victor's Catholic church, will officiate, and burial will be in Greenwood cemetery, Monroe. There was no visitation and the casket remained closed.