



## Erna Bertha Ida Gundel

May 29, 1926 - July 5, 2007

Erna Bertha Ida Gundel, died Sunday August 5, 2007 at Jersey Shore University Medical Center, Neptune. Erna was born May 29, 1926 to Heinrich and Emma Hornbostel in Salzhausen, Germany. In 1950 she married Eberhard Gundel and they moved to America in 1952. Five sons were born to this marriage. Erna was a homemaker who enjoyed caring for her family, cooking and baking, working in the garden, knitting and crocheting. In 1958 she was baptized as one of Jehovah's Witnesses and remained faithful to the end. She was loved by many and will be greatly missed.

She was predeceased by her parents, her husband Eberhard, a brother Walter Hornbostel and a sister Minchin. Surviving are five sons, Manfred and his wife Alicia of Neptune, Frank and his wife Carol of Brick, Ralph and his wife Gina of Tinton Falls, Michael and his wife Astrid of Highlands and Steven of Florida. Ten Grandchildren, three Great Grandchildren, two Step Grandchildren and six Step Great Grandchildren, A brother Friedrich W. Hornbostel and his wife Erika of Salzhausen, Germany, two sisters in law, Carlota Gundel of Alamo, Texas and Ruth Wittenberg of Tinton Falls. She is also survived by a host of relatives and friends.

# Events

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**AUG** **Visitation** 06:00PM - 09:00PM

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Bongarzone Funeral Home

2400 Shafto Road, Tinton Falls, NJ, US

# Comments

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“ My deepest sympathy to Jeanna and her family. You are all in my thoughts and prayers.

**Anne Kohlbecker** - August 13, 2007 at 01:54 PM

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“ Dearest Alicia,  
Please accept our deepest condolences for your loss. Most especially we offer our condolences to your husband, Manfred.  
Deepest regards,  
Iman & family

**Iman, Maryam and Tariq Abd Al-Quddus** - August 13, 2007 at 09:45 AM

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“ Our condolences go out to the entire family and everybody stay strong.

**Zakee and Denise Hill** - August 11, 2007 at 03:34 PM

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“ To Jeanna and family, we send our sincere condolences during your time of grief. You are in our prayers that you will find peace during this passionate journey. May love surround you and protect you during this time.

**Marion Caldwell (Candie)** - August 10, 2007 at 03:29 PM

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“ Our warmest regards and condolences to Jeanna and all of you who are affected by this loss, may Jehovah give you the courage and strength that you need during this trialsome time.

**Kenneth & Deborah Simpsonking** - August 10, 2007 at 10:57 AM

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“ Uncle Manfred, Aunt Alicia, Jeanna, and Nicole I am so sorry for your loss. Tenderly may time heal your sorrow, gently may friends ease your pain, softly may peace replace heartache, and may warmest memories remain. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.

**Jessica Lienhard and Family** - August 09, 2007 at 09:02 PM

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“ We pray you all may be comforted in your time of sorrow.

**Lina Claudio & Pablo Claudio** - August 09, 2007 at 08:08 PM

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“ Sending out my condolences to the whole gundel family.

**Lorraine Levy** - August 09, 2007 at 07:04 PM

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“ Send my sincere condolences to your entire family. She will always be loved and missed.

Sincerely,

Aaisha Glover and The Glover Family

**Aaisha Glover** - August 09, 2007 at 10:50 AM

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“ Frank, we were so sorry to hear of your Mom's passing. There is nothing that we can do to annul your loss, but know for certain, that we will be here to console you should you need us.

**Don & Judy Gricius** - August 08, 2007 at 02:03 PM