



## Ingrid M Carlson

March 5, 1936 - January 24, 2022

Ingrid Carlson passed away peacefully at Jersey Shore Medical center with her son Jeffrey by her side. Ingrid was born in 1936 in Ramvik, Sweden, and was very proud of her Swedish heritage; and happily shared her Swedish traditions with family and friends. At the age of 18, Ingrid came to this country with her aunt and uncle and honed her love for baking at their famous Swedish bakery in East Orange, New Jersey.

She met the love of her life Kurt, at a Swedish social event in Elizabeth NJ and they have been married for 63 years.

Ingrid was a member of VASA and never missed a Scandinavian festival. In the 1970's, after much hard work, Ingrid was extremely proud to become a U.S. citizen.

Ingrid was strong in her faith. She was a founding member of Cross of Glory Lutheran Church where she continued to be an active member. She forged many close relationships with her church family. Ingrid helped with the food pantry, baptismal banners, church breakfasts, and many other acts of service for the church.

She loved a good pastry and a strong cup of coffee with friends and family. She could often be found with knitting needles in her hands and welcomed countless babies with her meticulously crafted sweaters.

Ingrid is predeceased by her parents, Axel and Ragnhild, her brothers Karl Axel and Nils, and her beloved son Keith. Ingrid is survived by her devoted husband Kurt, son Jeffrey and his wife Christina, daughter Lisa and her

greatest joys, her grandchildren, Anders, Ingrid and her partner Tony, Gunnar and his wife Mercedes , Harris, John, Ella and great granddaughter Colette. A celebration of Ingrid's life will be held in the spring. In lieu of flowers please consider a donation to Cross of Glory Lutheran Church, 95 Cambridge Drive, Aberdeen Township, NJ 07747

# Cemetery Details

**All other services are private**

# Tribute Wall

BH

“ *Bongarzone Funeral Home lit a candle in memory of Ingrid M Carlson*



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**Bongarzone Funeral Home** - January 27, 2022 at 01:40 PM

MO

“ *To this day Duncan Hines cheesecake brownies are only known as Mrs. Carlson's brownies.. The highlight of the Christmas season was Christmas eve at the Carlsons where lots of laughter and stories rang through out the house and of course her brownies... The Olivos love and will miss Mrs C...*

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**Michele Buckley olivo** - January 26, 2022 at 12:30 PM

JO

“ *Ingrid was one of the co-founders of Dalahast Lodge 742. She was vital, active and a hardworking member of our lodge. She was loved and will be sorely missed by all of the members. We ask God to Bless Kurt and the rest of her family during this time of grief and sorrow. Farewell our Swedish sister. It will not be the same without you at our Lodge meetings and events. In Truth and Unity, Jack Olson, Chairman of Dalahast 742.*



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**Jack Olson** - January 26, 2022 at 11:24 AM

DA

“ Lisa and the extended Carlson family - I'm so sorry for your loss. She was a wonderful woman. Always knitting needles in her hands, and she could carry on a conversation at the same time without missing a stitch. That always amazed me. One of my fondest memories was up at the Pocono house. Your parents came up for the weekend and my mother-in-law and your mom sitting around the kitchen table talking about their fond memories of raising kids together in Matawan. She will be missed by many.

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**Donna Angley** - January 25, 2022 at 07:34 PM

SG

“ Ingrid Carlson was a part of my life since almost before memory. As fellow homeowners in the newly built suburb of Strathmore with my parents, I grew up across the street. Always kind, curious and giving, she was the ever alert eyes and ears of our neighborhood. She knew who was up to what and noted everything from her kitchen window. That kitchen produced wonderful cookies and a dazzling variety of Swedish treats. An accomplished cook and gardener, I was awed by her vegetable garden and pumpkin patch as a child. Reliable, trustworthy and always available to anyone in need, hers was a giving soul. Her caring heart and observant eyes were invaluable to me in enabling me to keep my father in his house during his later years. She touched the hearts of many and will be missed. Sending my deepest condolences to Kurt and all her family.

*Susan Goodman*

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**Susan Goodman** - January 25, 2022 at 06:36 PM

HS

“ I always admired Ingrid. I met her when I was 21 and spent every Christmas Eve with her except last year due to covid. She was a baker and always ready to have coffee and cake. We had so many great times at Manasquan beach. She could knit better than anyone I ever knew and Susie and Mark wire the beautiful sweaters she would knit for them. She was a worker and did so much for her Lutheran Church. There is so much for her family to be proud of she lived life the best way possible. Love, faith and family were above all important to Ingrid. ❤️🙏

Helen Sproul - January 25, 2022 at 05:46 PM

NR

“ Rest In Peace Ingrid you will be missed by your family and friends  
Sending prayers to Jeff and Lisa's families



Nancy Lindstrom Reynolds - January 25, 2022 at 05:35 PM

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“ 3 files added to the album Memories Album



Bongarzone Funeral Home - January 25, 2022 at 04:00 PM