



## Jenna Mae Gunselman

April 23, 2021

Jenna Mae Gunselman, 29 years old, passed away unexpectedly on Friday, April 23, 2021, from injuries sustained in a motor vehicle accident. Her loss was completely unexpected, and the family is deeply saddened.

Jenna was born in Ephrata, PA on May 16, 1991. She attended OMPH Catholic School, Ephrata High School and the Philadelphia University for fashion design, her passion.

She is survived by her parents, David and Suzanne Gunselman, Ephrata; her sister, Lauren Gunselman Topper, Lancaster; her nephew, Jacob Topper and her niece, Sadie Topper, Lancaster; and her grandmother, Anna Rose Schannauer, Ephrata. Jenna is the niece of John and (Kim) Gunselman, Virginia; Teresa Caruthers, Ephrata; Joseph and (Rebecca) Gunselman, Washington; James and (Kate) Gunselman, Ephrata; Joan and (Mark) Wicks, Bethel. Jenna is a cousin to Erika Gunselman, Simone Frasier, Joseph Gunselman, Samuel Gunselman, Karl Gunselman, Clayton Wicks and Megan Wicks. She was preceded in death by her maternal grandfather, William Schannauer, and paternal grandparents, Vera and John Gunselman.

Jenna was most recently employed at Eddie Bauer as an assistant manager and excelled at coordinating beautiful outfits for her customers and displays. Jenna had an eye for making anything or anyone look beautiful – whether it

was a mannequin, a customer, or a friend for whom she was doing makeup or hairstyling. She was innovative; creativity came naturally to her. She was the family's "go to" gal when we needed inspiration. In addition to her artistic talents, Jenna loved crafting. She designed gorgeous wreaths, baskets, and flower arrangements, and loved interior decorating. Her artistic and fashion design was truly her gift and one of her most wonderful talents. She appreciated the artistic elements of God's green earth in her plant collection; she particularly favored arranging and raising varieties of succulents. She had an immense passion for caring for animals, especially her cat, Tiger.

Jenna also took great pride in, and loved, being an aunt to her nephew, Jacob, and her niece and goddaughter, Sadie. They were, by far, her favorite people to spend time with, and they brought her great joy. Not only did they make her smile, they always cheered when they knew Aunt Jenna was coming to visit. Her smile and presence lit up the room.

Anyone who knew Jenna knew she was a kind, loving, caring, and hard-working gal. Jenna always strived to be supportive and a source of positivity. She had a great sense of humor and loved to make people laugh! Jenna will be remembered as being smart, resourceful, funny, creative, witty, supportive, caring, and beautiful inside and out. Jenna's family and friends will miss her more than words can say. She blessed everyone's lives in many ways and she'll always be present in the hearts of many. Her family and friends will sorely miss her.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend Jenna's Mass of Christian Burial at Our Mother of Perpetual Help, 320 Church Avenue, Ephrata, PA on Saturday, May 22, 2012 at 10:00 A.M. for visitation, and Mass at 11:00 A.M. with The Rev. John Francis Murray C.S.S.R. Celebrant. Interment will follow at Swamp Lutheran Church Cemetery.

A Celebration of Life Service will be held at The Groff's Family Funeral Home & Cremation Services, Inc., 528 W. Orange St. (corner of W. Orange & Pine Streets), Lancaster, PA on Saturday, May 22, 2012 at 3:00 P.M. Everyone is invited to The Groff Event Center, 234 W. Orange St., Lancaster, PA following the life celebration service. Due to Covid 19 restrictions, masks and social distancing will be required for all services.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be sent to the "Humane League of Lancaster", 2175 Lincoln Highway East, Lancaster, PA 17602; "Mental Health America of Lancaster County", 245 Butler Avenue, Suite 204, Lancaster, PA 17601; "Hospice & Community Care Ruach Fund", P.O. Box 4125, Lancaster, PA 17604-4125; or "Silent Samaritans", 1803 Oregon Pike, Lancaster, PA 17601. All donations should be noted "In memory of Jenna Mae Gunselman".

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 22. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Our Mother of Perpetual Help  
320 Church Avenue  
Ephrata , PA

## Funeral Mass

MAY 22. 11:00 AM (ET)

Our Mother of Perpetual Help  
320 Church Avenue  
Ephrata , PA

## Celebration of Life

MAY 22. 3:00 PM (ET)

The Groffs Family Funeral and Cremation Services Inc  
528 W Orange St.  
Lancaster, PA 17603  
(717) 394-5300  
admin@thegroffs.com  
<https://thegroffs.com/>

## Reception

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MAY **22**. 5:00 PM (ET)

Groff Event Center  
234 West Orange Street  
Lancaster, PA 17602  
(717) 575-1191  
<https://groffeventcenter.com/>

# Tribute Wall



“ *The Groffs Family Funeral and Cremation Services Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Jenna Mae Gunselman*



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**The Groffs Family Funeral and Cremation Services Inc** - May 19, 2021 at 11:30 AM



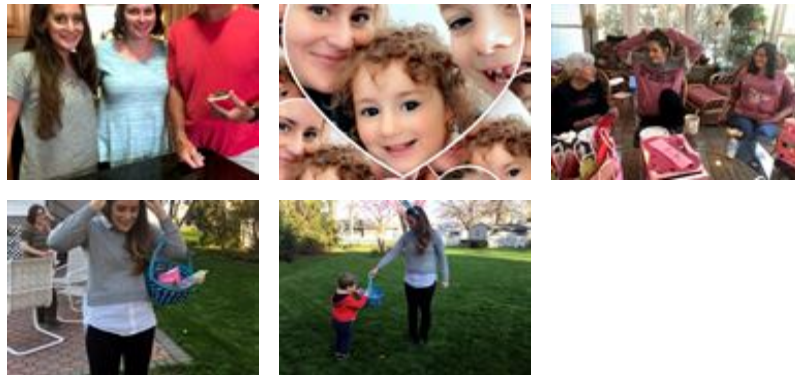
“ *Jenna Mae Gunselman*

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October 22, 2023 at 11:34 PM



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**The Groffs Family Funeral and Cremation Services Inc** - May 19, 2021 at 11:22 AM



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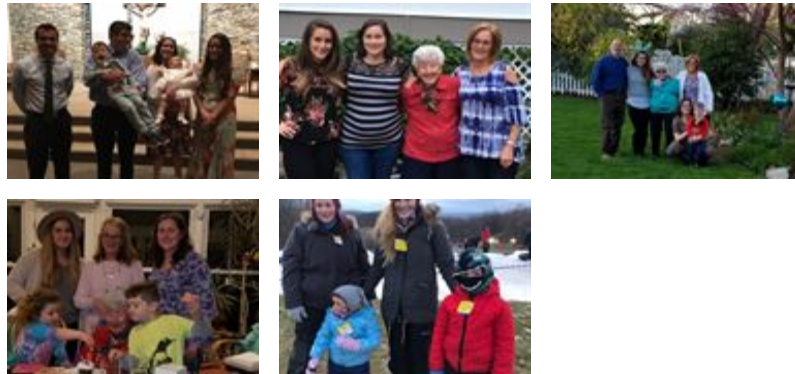


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**The Groffs Family Funeral and Cremation Services Inc - May 18, 2021 at 04:54 PM**



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**The Groffs Family Funeral and Cremation Services Inc - May 18, 2021 at 02:48 PM**



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**The Groffs Family Funeral and Cremation Services Inc - May 18, 2021 at 02:32 PM**



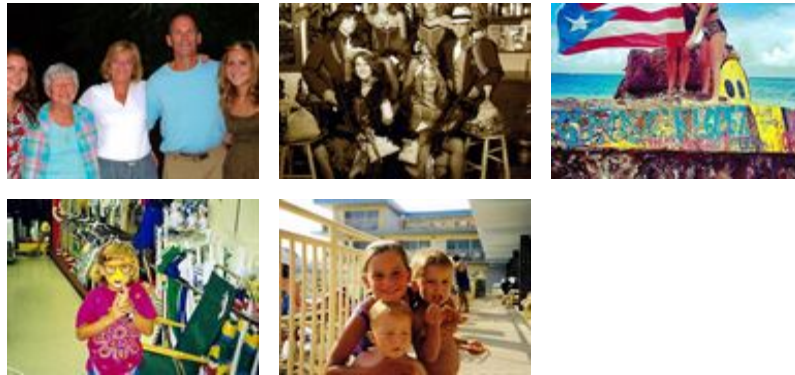
“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Jenna Mae Gunselman.



May 18, 2021 at 09:55 AM



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**The Groffs Family Funeral and Cremation Services Inc** - May 14, 2021 at 04:07 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Jenna Mae Gunselman.



May 11, 2021 at 02:02 PM

HS

“ Dear Sue, Dave, Lauren, and family - We offer our prayers and deepest sympathies, knowing that can never be enough to comfort you after losing beautiful Jenna so suddenly. Our hearts break for you. Hold on tight to each other. Love, Hope & Michael Schmids

Hope Schmids - May 10, 2021 at 09:40 AM

DG

“ Sue, Dave, and Family: We were so sorry to hear of the loss of your daughter. Our thoughts of comfort and healing are with you. Doug & Wendy Good

Douglas Good - May 07, 2021 at 09:24 AM



“ 36 files added to the album Life Tributes



The Groffs Family Funeral and Cremation Services Inc - May 04, 2021 at 03:23 PM

SS

“ Our hearts are saddened to learn of the loss of Jenna. Our deepest sympathy to the Gunselman family at this time! Sending healing prayers and comforting hugs to you all.  
Wishing you peace and comfort during this difficult time.  
Sherri and Greg Schlotterer

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**Sherri Schlotterer** - May 03, 2021 at 05:01 PM

CD

“ Sending prayers to Jenna's family. Jenna was such a beautiful person inside and out, she will be forever in my heart. God speed Jenna!

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**Cindy Doukas** - May 03, 2021 at 04:35 PM

LV

“ Sue, Dave, Lauren and family, it is with broken hearts that we send you sympathy and love for the loss of Jenna. The words you wrote are so true, and her name will always bring a smile to my face. I loved her sense of style and her sense of humor and just Jenna! God bless you Gunselman family and your dear Jenna ❤️

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**Lisa and Matt vonNieda** - May 02, 2021 at 09:41 PM

CW

“ Gunselman Family, We are deeply saddened to hear of the tragic loss of Jenna. Thoughts and prayers for strength and comfort at this most difficult time.  
Mark & Cheryl Wickersham

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**Cheryl Wickersham** - May 02, 2021 at 07:58 PM

BE

“ *Dave, Sue, Lauren and family we are deeply sorry about your loss of Jenna. She really was a sweet, lovely lady! Our prayers are with you and trust in the Lord.*  
*Rob, Brenda, Jared, Lindsay and Jordan*  
**BECKER**



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**Becker** - May 02, 2021 at 04:25 PM

JR

“ *Dave and Suzanne, I am without words. Prayers and love sent to you and your entire family over the loss of your beautiful daughter*  
*With love... Jean Reuter*

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**Jean Reuter** - May 02, 2021 at 09:56 AM