## Gina Lanceter "Power of One" Award



## Gina Lanceter Award:

Established by her family and the New Jersey Commission on Holocaust Education in her honor. Gina is a survivor of the Holocaust who has discussed her experiences with children and adults for over 20 years and always emphasizes the importance of being an "upstander" and how one person can make a difference.

## Criteria:

- Open to individuals in Essex, Morris, Union, Sussex, Somerset and Passaic Counties.
- Educates others about the importance of being an "upstander," (one who cares about others and doesn't let the bully prevail) and how one person can make a difference in the lives of others and the world.
- Demonstrates a sense of moral responsibility and compassion and respect for others.
- Inspires others by the courage and integrity exhibited in his/her daily actions and in difficult situations affecting the human rights and lives of others.
- Coveys the lessons of the Holocaust, genocides, and other acts of prejudice and hate and works to ensure that future generations learn the lessons and understand how they can be implemented to make the world a better place where all can live in peace and harmony.
- An individual may be nominated by peers, supervisor, parents and/or students utilizing the nomination form which will then be reviewed by the New Jersey Commission on Holocaust Education and the Lanceter family.

The winner will also receive a certificate of recognition from the New Jersey Commission on Holocaust Education and an opportunity to purchase a book(s) about the subject.

## Venue – Presented at the end of school year at the Commission meeting.

Nominations for these awards presented by the New Jersey Commission on Holocaust Education may be accepted from private citizens, community and religious groups, Holocaust Centers, government officials, etc. All nominations will be reviewed by the Commission or a subcommittee established by the Commission with final selection made by the Commission. Nomination Form Please return to: New Jersey Department of Education New Jersey Commission on Holocaust Education P.O. Box 500 Trenton, NJ 08625 <u>holocaust@doe.nj.gov</u>

Nominee Information:

School/Museum/Center Name:

Address:

Principal/Director:

Cell Phone #:

E-Mail Address:

Nominated by:

Position:

Phone #:

Work Phone #:

E-Mail Address:

To Be Completed by Nominator

Please respond to the School's/Museum's/Center's qualifications regarding the criteria stated including budget.

(Additional pages or supplemental material may be attached)

(Make Copies if Needed for Additional Nominees)