

“Bei uns ist immer was los!”

**der 5. Februar—Last Fatal Shots at Berlin Wall
(der 5. Februar 1989)**

Berlin Wall Victims



HONORING THE VICTIMS



Visitors place roses in honor of victims at the Berlin Wall Memorial at the historic site on Bernauer Strasse.

BERLIN WALL MEMORIAL AT BERNAUER STRASSE



When the East German Army closed the border along Bernauer Strasse in 1961, desperate people leaped from the windows of apartment buildings whose West-facing facades had suddenly become part of the world's most heavily guarded border.

Today, Bernauer Strasse is the site of Berlin's main memorial for the victims of Germany's division and the longest preserved piece of the west-facing Wall. It is also the only place where the desolate buffer zone known as the “death strip” that lay between East and East is preserved.
