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Gran vanishes on Mexico hol

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A SCOTS gran has mysteriously vanished in Mexico — just 12 hours after arriving on a dream family holiday.

Julia Howard, 77, disappeared after going to get a sun hat from her room at a plush resort in Cancun.

The widow had jetted in the night before with son Henry Harvey, his wife Glynnis, 55, and daughter Julia Brock, 50, for a two-week break.

Last night Henry, 56, speaking from Mexico, said: "We are absolutely frantic with worry.

"My mum told us she was going to get her hat and just vanished.

"We had only been at the resort for one night and had gone down for breakfast the next morning.

"My mum said she wanted to go to her room to get her hat and then she wanted to go for a walk. A couple of hours later there was no sign of her. We went to the room to check and she had not been back to the room.

"Her hat was still there and she hasn't been seen since.

"We have been out looking for my mum and searching everywhere."

Gran-of-eight Julia — who can't walk long distances went missing on Tuesday morning from the secluded Moon Palace complex.

The widow — whose husband Ted died 10 years ago was on her fifth visit to the 3,000-bedroom resort and knew its layout well.

Henry added: "The British Consul and Embassy are involved and we have also contacted Interpol and the police back home.

"At first we were told the police couldn't do anything for 24 hours but we insisted something be done."

Last night Julia's grand-daughter Gill Greaves, 33, from Kirknewton, near Edinburgh, said: "It's a nightmare. My parents are frantic.

"I am at a loss as to how I can help my family over there when I am back here.

"I coarched on the internet for all the relevant details



Fears... widow Julia went missing from secure complex just 12 hours after jetting into Central America with her family for two-week holiday

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she could just vanish.

"They just want to find her and know that she's safe and well." $\,$

Thousands of British tourists flock to Cancun every year to lap up the sun and sandy beaches.

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It has remained popular — even through the recent swine flu outbreak originated in Mexico.

Last night a Foreign Office spokesman confirmed they had received a report that Julia, of Edinburgh, was missing.



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He added: "We are aware of the situation and have been in contact with the family to offer all consular assistance."