



## Reba Powers

August 28, 1921 - February 26, 2012

Mrs. Powers was born in Hohenwald, TN to the late Bert and Sisley Floyd Grinder. She worked as a telephone operator for Bell South for over 30 years. Survivors include her sister, Mamie Landers of Nashville; nephews, Donald R. Loveless (Evelyn) of New Johnsville and Mike Grinder (Mary) of Hohenwald; nieces, Faye Ray (Junior) of Hohenwald, Kimberly Ray (Kevin Hinson) of Burns, Kelly Ray of Nashville, Patricia Morton (Bill) of Nashville, Gail Donaldson (Jack) of Monroe, MI; sister-in-law, Mildred Hartzog of Mt. Pleasant; God great grandchildren, Korbin and Krislyn Hinson of Burns. She was preceded in death by her husband, Kenneth George Powers; brother, Carl Grinder; sister, Audrey Loveless.

# Tribute Wall



“ *It's hard to believe we are approaching 3 years. I miss you terribly ReRe. I'm sorry that I could not make things the way you desired with heirs but Donald Ray did not see things as you desired. I'm sorry!*

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**Kim Ray** - January 29, 2015 at 07:27 PM



“ *Happy Birthday Reba! Still miss you. Hard to believe it's been this long.*



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**Kim Ray** - August 28, 2014 at 06:24 PM



“ *Happy Birthday yesterday Reba. I know you are not suffering now! All my love Kim*

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**Kim Ray** - August 29, 2013 at 09:09 PM



“ *Reba your birthday is coming up. Its been almost 6months since you left us. Been a year since you got sick. I hoped it would get easier over time. I miss you terribly. Krislyn talks about you daily. I remember our last discussion the night before you fell you were trying to say goodbye when you said that the kids and I mean the world to you. You were meant more to us than you will ever know. Krislyn says you are not gone. I said I know you are in heaven. If she has a guardian angel I cannot think of anyone better. May you never suffer again. Please watch out for us.*

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**Kim Ray Aug** - August 17, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KM

“ *Reba: Words cannot begin to say how I miss you! I love you and Kenneth so much! I am glad your not in pain anymore! But is hurts terribly! Krislyn and Korbin miss you terribly Krislyn wrote you a letter that I found Saturday under her pillow read I had an aunt Reba but she pasta wy (past a way). Things are tough! ReRe I love you so much but you won't lsten (listen)!  
1234567891011121314151617181920 (and drew picture of heart. )  
Krislyn*

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**Kimberly Ray Mar** - March 07, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ *Lovely picture of my aunt and my mothers sister in law. God bless for she was loved.*

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**Steven Beard** - March 05, 2012 at 12:00 AM

GM

“ *It was my pleasure to meet my cousin Reba, in 1990, when I lived in Nashville. My parents were visiting, and Reba and my mom are second cousins. I arranged for us to meet up in her home. She was very kind and thrilled to entertain family. I can remember my grandfather (Adde Turnbow) used to talk a lot about Henry and Bert Grinder. They were first cousins that knew each other well. I hope that we will be able to restore our connection with our Grinder kin.*

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**Gordon Darr Mar** - March 04, 2012 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ *Pat I'm sorry but know Reba had a good life. I'm fighting a kidney stone or would make my presence. Ray*

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**Ray Birdsong Feb** - February 27, 2012 at 12:00 AM

AF

“ *My heart is absolutely breaking with the loss of Reba. She has been a "Tennessee Mom & Grandmother" to me & my children, (Ryan and Lauren), a friend that I have cherished for so many years and one of the most godly Christian ladies that I have had the opportunity to know. My life has truly been blessed by having Reba be a part of it. Reba, you will never know how much I miss and love you. Give Kenneth a big hug from me, Ryan & Lauren. I'll think of you every day & know that you are watching over my family from above.*

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**Ann Burcham Feb** - February 27, 2012 at 12:00 AM