

My last letter to my beautiful family

Mrs. R. L. Staggs
Ella Blanche Staggs
"With all my love"

Aug 22-77

Dear Ones:

Today I will write my letter, the last, to be read by each of my beloved families.

This is to tell you how much I have enjoyed living in this mysterious old universe, where man was created and given a free will and free brain so he could solve his own problems. Everything here was given to make life so worth while living. My prayers are for thanks, not for more.

I was fortunate in meeting my sweetheart, a man (and he was a man) who became my husband and the father of my five wonderful sons. He said they will never let you down and they never have. He worked hard for his family and was always there when needed, interested in their future lives and was a proud father.

All through early life, when in time of sickness and want he would always say, Blanche it won't be like this always. He never became discouraged and he had all my love.

Taught me the ways of life. When traveling it was so beautiful seeing Nature's beautiful works of changing seasons, painting sun rises and sun sets and waking all creations and we watched them from the Pacific to the Atlantic.

I will never forget (in my dreams now) what a beautiful life I have lived and enjoyed. There were sorrows too but always more heaven than hell.

I am proud to say this is my family and our generations will follow helping to solve some of this world's problems. Our sons married good wives and have given me my lovely grandchildren, and now they have married and given me my great grandchildren.

I am sorry these were met with a mixed-up old world but as Richard always told me, each new generation has its own battles and they do. I am sure their children, with the help training of these good parents, will find themselves on the front lines.

I love and am very proud of each one connected with our beautiful family. My wish is that each one of you will have as happy a life as I have had.

So as always, I love you. A very happy and proud

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Great Grand Mother
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