

Single, Idaho.
Nov 24th
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My
Dear Mather Beam

My deepest love
and sympathy to you + yours
in these sad hours. I wish
I could say something to lighten
your hearts, but in these times
words are such frail things.
I am so glad I saw Daddy
Beam such a short while ago.
and sat at his right at his birthday
dinner, which was perfect and he
seemed so pleased about it all
and looked so nice & and
felt so good. I don't know who
will be missed more than he
will ^{be} from the Ranch + Single
I have known him just twenty
years and he was always such
good company. we always loved
to have him come to our home.
I hope these few lines will bring
you a little comfort.

Lovingly Mabel.

Dear Grandmother,

We are thinking of you a lot. We are very sorry about Grandpa dying. We hope you are feeling alright.

Denise

Dear Grandma,

I have been thinking of you. I will always have very pleasant memories of Grandfather. I wish we all could have been together once more before he left us. I wish we could be with you now.

Lots of love

Hazel Dawn

Dear Grandma

I will always remember grandpa on the ranch. He was always kind to me. And I think a lot of him. I'm sorry that he had to die

Your loving grand-
daughter
Ramona

Dear Grandma,

We are so sorry grandpa died. We loved him. We love you too. We wish we could see you.

Lots of love,
Lea
Dole
Jackie

Dear folks Eric Rick just called
up. Had recorded his telegram
said to tell you in appropriate
with you. Love
Mama

Dear Grandma

It doesn't seem that grandpa could be gone. The day he left I got permission to leave school to see him off. He looked so well and he was so happy. Truly hope you won't feel too bad. We had so much fun together. I am looking forward to seeing you and Aunt Ida

So Long, Love

Dearest Grandma,

Norma Jean

I am so sorry about Grandpa. It seems impossible. The summers up here on the ranch have been so much fun and now it'll never be the same. But believe we will be seeing him again. I wish the funeral could have been here where Grandpa had so many friends. I too will be looking forward to you and Aunt Ida coming back.

Love,
Mavis Ida

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Dear Mother,

Norma, Mabel, Marnie and I are here together at Mabel's place. We are thinking of you all the time, and wish we could be with you, now, but you do seem so close. It is wonderful that Dad had such a grand opportunity to visit a little with all of us, & he was in such good spirits when we saw him in San Francisco. I hope I can see you very soon.

Much, much love,
Ruth.

Dear Mother Team,

I wish that I could come in and be with you for a time each day. I have thought so much of you in the past hours and realize how you must feel. I know how Mother felt and how I, too, would feel. If only I could adequately express my feelings! There is so much I feel but just cannot put into words. I am glad Dad was with you and that you had celebrated your wedding anni-

versary together. Dad's operation came as a shock. It is good to know that he realized a great number of his ambitions in the past two years - planting trees, a new stove, his room painted, the pumps in, and the glad hours, the past month or so in California. ^{the radio talk with Dulak} Memory of Dad will always be bright. The children have missed him very much & love the bow & arrows he sent the boys. They all three looked forward to his return & will never forget him. We are all together here at Mable's thinking of you and feeling for you.

Much love from the
Children & Norma.

Dear Mother Pearl

We are so far away, and yet you seem so near tonight. We all wish we were with you. I am glad you were here so long last summer, and that we all had such good times together. I am glad now that the boys are with you. I know they will be a comfort to you at this time. I will never forget how you came and stayed with me and were such a comfort in our great sorrow. I am with you in spirit and wish I could do a little to help. May you receive strength.

Love Marnie.