



# Rebecca Transou

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**R**ebecca Transou, 69, of Decatur, passed away Thursday, August 28, 2014 in St. John's Hospital in Springfield, IL.

Rebecca was born August 27, 1945 in Brownsville, TN, the daughter of B.T. and Jennie B. (Clark) Taylor. Rebecca loved playing bingo in Stonington, IL, and playing cards with her friends. She married Albert Lee Transou, Jr. on September 10, 1962 in Haywood County, TN. Albert passed away on December 12, 2002. She spent 25 years with her significant other, Robert Earl Gray. He passed away April 22, 2001.

Rebecca leaves behind her daughters, Linda Transou (special friend Trent Chapple) of Decatur; Brenda Transou (special friend Ivery Chambliss) of Decatur; Shirley O'Neal of Decatur; brother, Willie John Clark of Toledo, OH; sister, Katherine Gray of Decatur; five grandchildren, Tierra Transou, Tynisha Transou, Cherell Transou, Iesha O'Neal, and Shyni Transou all of Decatur; four great-grandchildren, Tristeona Green, Laela Deviner, Patasia DeBerry, and Demani Slater; special daughter, Velma Jumper; special niece, Judy Bryson; and special friends, Michael Jackson and Lola Love.

She is preceded in death by her husband, Albert lee Transou, Jr.; significant other, Robert Earl Gray; parents, B.T. and Jennie B. (Clark) Taylor; brothers, L.V. Taylor; Robert Taylor; Earl T. Taylor; and sisters, Regina Bryson and Glenn Edna Kinney. Services to celebrate Rebecca's life will be 11 a.m. Saturday, September 6, 2014 at Greater Mount Olive Baptist Church, 1720 W. Hunt Street, Decatur. Visitation will be one hour prior to service at the church. Burial with a "Flight Home" ceremony will be in Greenwood Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorials in memory of Rebecca Transou may be directed to the family.

The family of Rebecca Transou has entrusted the care of their loved one to Moran & Goebel Funeral Home and Cremation Services, 2801 N. Monroe Street, Decatur, IL. Send condolences to the family at [www.moranandgoebel.com](http://www.moranandgoebel.com).



## Tribute Wall

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NB

**Necie (Johnson) Byars** posted:

Shirley, Brenda and the rest of the family my deepest sympathy to you all. My prayers are with you today and the day's coming. God bless

September 6 at 3:13 PM

TJ

**Tenia Jones** posted:

" Shirley, sorry for the loss of your mother. The Jones's are praying for your whole family. Love always Tenia, (momma) Shirley, Diane, Fred, Bill, Leon, Julie and Vickie

September 5 at 7:02 AM

JM

**Joan Merrill** posted:

Shirley, I am very sorry about the loss of your mother. My heart goes out to you and your girls. I just wanted you to know I was thinking of you and your family. My prayers are with you. Joan Merrill

September 5 at 3:20 AM

TK

**Tina Kirkwood** posted:

I would like to send my condolences to the Transou family. I just wanted to say that as I look back on the memories of this family I can still see her friendly smile in my presence and the good times I share with them all. God Bless! From a close friend Tina Kirkwood

September 1 at 7:58 AM

SS

**Stoner's** posted:

Lit a candle in memory of Rebecca Transou

August 31 at 11:37 AM

KR

**Kaye Reed** posted:

God is able to bring comfort to those who mourn and who call upon him. Burl Stoner and family extend our sympathy to the Transou family. Our prayers are with the family now and for days to come. Burl Stoner & family

August 31 at 10:27 AM



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**Marilyn Joseph** posted:

My sincere condolences go out to the Rebecca's family. It is always so sad when we lose a loved one it death and sometimes we just cannot find the right words to express how sorry we are. I have always found comfort in the God's promise found at Rev. 21:4 which states, "and he will wipe out every tear from their eyes, AND DEATH WILL BE NO MORE, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be anymore. The former things have passed away. Isn't it comforting to know that Jehovah God (who cannot lie) will wipe out death forever! May Rebecca be among those brought back to life.

August 29 at 12:07 PM



## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring Rebecca by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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