

Memorial Service

MR. MBAWIN SALIFU NOAH

— 1950 - 2024 —

MR. MOSES AMAALI NOAH

— 1955 - 2025 —



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Biography of the Late SALIFU MBAWIN NOAH





The late Mbawin Salifu Noah, affectionately known as "Awini" in his youth and later as "Berimah Nkwan," was born in 1950 in the serene village of Akusibuarin, located in the then Kusasi District. He was the son of Azubiir Akudug Noah and Atamid Noah

The firstborn of five children on his mother's side and the sixth of his father's children, young Mbawin bore the early burden of responsibility when his mother passed away during his teenage years. He and his siblings were raised by their stepmother, fondly called Apam Ma, who was also the mother of the late Moses Amaali Noah.

With a strong sense of duty and love for his family, Mbawin stepped into the role of caretaker, guiding and supporting his siblings through life's journey. In the late 1970s, driven by a desire to provide more for his family, he migrated to the Ashanti Region to farm.

There, his unmatched diligence and work ethic shone brightly. Though he cultivated various crops such as maize, yam, and cassava, it was tomato farming that earned him widespread recognition. His top-quality produce earned him the nickname "Berimah Nkwan," a name that resonated with respect and admiration among fellow farmers and market women alike.

Mbawin's success in farming not only brought him financial stability but also enabled him to assist other family members in relocating to the south to pursue similar opportunities. Ever forward-looking, he diversified into cocoa farming in the late 1990s, establishing two plantations, which he fondly referred to as his "pension."

In 2018, he returned to the north to settle in Belimpiisi, where part of his family joined him. A polygamist by tradition, Mbawin married five times during his lifetime and is survived by two wives, nine children, and seven grandchildren.

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Though born a pagan and having spent much of his life as a Muslim, in a moment of divine grace and reflection, he and his entire family gave their lives to Christ in May 2024, just weeks before he was called to glory on June 23, 2024, after a brief illness.

Mbawin Salifu Noah was a loving and devoted brother, husband, father, and grandfather. He was an easy-going yet principled man, humble but open-minded. His legacy is one of strength, sacrifice, and unwavering love for family. His towering presence, radiant smile, and joyous spirit will be deeply missed by all who knew and loved him.

Biography of the Late MOSES AMAALI NOAH





The late Noah Moses Amaali was born on 15th July, 1955 at Aniisi to the late Noah Azubiir Akudug and late Mary AKisib Akparib of blessed memory, all from Niinsiak in the then Kusasi district. Both parents were peasant farmers.

The late Moses was one of the fifteen (15) children of his father made up of Nine (9) males and six (6) females. He was the second of his mother four children.

Late Moses at his young age assisted his parents who were farmers in their farming and rearing of animals. He was known to be hardworking, discipline and above all very respectful. Late Moses and the rest of the family became Christian through the Presbyterian church in Garu. They family use to attend church services at Garu. Due to the distance of going to Garu for church services,

they were advice to join the Assemblies of God Church at Kukparigu that was nearer.

Committed as he was, late Moses devoted the major part of his life to the work of the Church and became a deacon serving with integrity from the 1980s until his sadden demise in March 2025. Late Moses met his wife through one of his elder brothers who was a friend to the wife family. He got married to his wife in 1973. Later that year he left with his wife to the southern part of Ghana to seek for greener pastures where he was engaged in Cocoa farming.

After six (6) years of stay in the south, late Moses' father requested for him to return home and assist him in farming activities. Late Moses younger brother, Thomas was sent to the south to bring him home. Obedient as he was, he responded to the call of his father and return home with his brother. Due to his commitment to the things of God, he was often times sent by some of the Pastors he worked with to visitand pray for sick persons which he did to the best of his ability.

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His dedication and hard work have won several souls to the kingdom of God.

Late Moses was a principle man who will always stand for the truth and will not compromise with his integrity.

He is survived by a wife, Mrs Hawa Musah and seven (7) children.

Tribute By FAMILY



Jesus said, I am the resurrection and the life. Anyone who believes in me will live, even after dying. Everyone who lives in me and believes in me will never die. John 11:25-26

It is with a heavy heart that the family bid farewell to our beloved brother Noah Salifu Mbawin and Noah Moses Amaali who were pillars of our family.

It was during this our grief that we began to appreciate how much our brothers have touched and challenged the life of many families. We thank God for the lives of our brothers which brought us so much joy, hippieness, and unity to all family members and beyond.

You have been leaders not only to the Noah family alone but the entire Amaali-Kudug family and societies you belonged. Because of your commitment to the success of the family, a decision could not have been carried out without you been consulted. Both of you have played leading roles in the church,

community, and other associations that have brought about transformation.

It is not surprising that the two of you initiated the family welfare programme in 2023. You did not only roll out the programme but you went further and made your contributions. You gave us hope and the purpose had created in us love and confidence. How do we say goodbye to the pillars of our family? Your leadership qualities have greatly impacted and inspired many of the younger ones in the family.

You were a unifying factor in the family and you exhibited affection, kindness, sympathy and was a friendly to all. You were great counsellors and offered timely advice to all family members who consulted you on critical issues.

You both struggled with sickness in which we saw it as part of life and was expecting your speedy recovery. Unfortunately, wicked death has taken you away and has succeeded in creating a tremendous vacuum in the Noah Family.

Tribute By FAMILY



We have now been hit with the reality of your passing and can only agree with a kusaal proverbs that say "Ti tita'ar nvonya"

A big tree has fallen but we are consoled by the scriptures in Hebrews 13:14-16 and the song writer that says this "world is not our home; we are just passing by...."

We give thanks to the almighty God for such a precious gift he gave to the Noah's Family. At his own time, he has called them home to rest. We are satisfied that they all gave their lives to Christ.

Wina'am Na Moriya Paae

Tribute By WIVES



Nobody knows the time when trouble may come to them. A fish does not know when somebody will catch it in a net. A bird does not know when somebody will catch it in a trap. In the same way, terrible trouble suddenly happens to people when they do not expect it (Ecclesiastes 9.12)

We are heartbroken, distraught, and dispirited. Our beloved husbands, it's still hard for us to accept that you are no longer here. Every day we wake up and see the cold empty space where you used to lie and the pain comes crashing down on us all over again.

They say time heals all wounds but with your passing we have come to realise that this is not entirely true. There are some wounds that time won't heal. Time will instead teach us how to live with the pain. Your departure is such a wound on our hearts.

We will learn over time to live with this pain. we will learn to put on smiles and say "we are okay".

when we are asked how we are doing, but we know we will never truly be okay again. we will live a 'new normal' as they say. A new normal with the ever present pain of their absence from our lives.

Our husbands were one of the kindest, most giving people we've ever known. They found it hard to say 'no' to any request. They would easily give away their possessions without a second thought. They taught us the importance of giving, no matter your own situation or circumstances as there are always people worse off than you. They taught us to give "not because we have enough but because we care enough"

You taught us the worth of discipline, the reward of hard work, and the place of God in the affairs of men. You were peacemakers who never came across a quarrel or misunderstanding and wouldn't want to settle. You always towed the line of peace.

Tribute By WIVES



Over the years we spent as husbands and wives were not always smooth and rosy but they were the best years of our lives and we are happy and honoured to have married to you. You weren't just our husbands and life partners, but also our soulmate and our best friends. We will forever miss you.

As the Lord has seen it fit to take you at this moment in time, we cannot question why. We can only hold on to the hope that you are in a better place, where all your pains have come to an end. May the good Lord show you mercy and forgiveness on your short falls till we meet again.

Our beloved husband, fare thee well. Paam su'um

CHILDREN OF MOSES AMAALI NOAH

You have fought a good fight. You have finished your course you have kept the faith. Henceforth, there is laid up for you a crown of righteousness. Which the Lord the righteous judge shall give you that day. 2 Timothy 4:7.

Mbaaba, as we affectionately called you, we celebrate you today not because we are happy that you left us but because you have won the battle of life and now seated at the right-hand side of your maker.

Knowing what God has done for you, you did your best to train and take care of us, taught us to follow Christ. You also taught us how to pray and will always insist that we be in church for every activity. You trained us to be honest, humble, respectful and above all, God fearing. You provided for us even in your most hard times. You did not only prove to us that you are a responsible father but you also proved to us that you were a caring and a faithful husband to our mother.

You were always ready to accommodate anyone who came your house and that made you a father for all.

Mbaaba, you started the year though not well, little did we know that your sadden illness would lead to your earthly exit. Even at the point of your last breath, you held on to Christ the finisher of your faith. We remember how you insisted we pay your tithes even on your sick bed. You did not allow the pain to waver your faith. You were our source of power and you will always pray for us any time we visited you.

A vacuum has been created, a great tree has fallen, our earthly losses cannot be quantified but our consolation is that you died in Christ and you have left us with Christ.

We are confident that someday we will see you in glory. Therefore, we your sons and daughters bid farewell knowing fully that your soul lives with Christ Jesus. Rest in perfect peace.

Mbaaba Paam Sum

CHILDREN OF SALIFU MBAWIN NOAH

"I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith." — 2 Timothy 4:7

With heavy hearts but grateful spirits, we pay tribute to the life of a man who exemplified selflessness, integrity, and love — the late Mbawini Salifu Noah. His life was a testament to commitment to the common good, tireless service to others, and unwavering belief in arduous work.

Berimah Nkan, as he was affectionately called, was not just a father, grandfather, or relative — he was the very pillar of our family. A man whose doors were always open, whose arms never failed to welcome those in need of comfort or guidance. To his grandchildren, he was a source of joy and protection — the one to run to when tears flowed or when laughter needed to be shared. To his children, he was a fountain of wisdom — an advisor whose words shaped lives. To his siblings he was the landlord- the touch bearer of the generational race.

To all of us, he was the rock on which we leaned, the strong presence that steadied us through life's uncertainties

A man of deep conviction and principle, Mbawini was also known for his humility, generosity, and tolerance. As a devoted Muslim for most of his life, he nevertheless allowed most of his children to practice Christianity freely — a rare example of spiritual maturity and acceptance. Little did we know that this freedom he gave so willingly would become the path that eventually led him to Christ. In his final days, he surrendered fully to the love of Jesus Christ. The transformation was clear — the once easily angered man became a beacon of gentleness, love, and compassion.

Your life was marked by hard work and foresight. Your belief in diligence was more than words — it was a lesson you lived out and passed on to your children. You taught us never to seek shortcuts, but to trust in honest labour and patience.

CHILDREN OF SALIFU MBAWIN NOAH

Even in the face of challenges, you remained principled. You stood for what was right, even when it was hard. Just like every human being, you sometimes struggled with moments of anger, but your heart, nonetheless, was always rooted in fairness and care for others. Your journey into faith brought a beautiful transformation — peace softened your edges, and the love of God illuminated your already generous soul.

Your passing has left an emptiness words cannot fill. You told us many years back that you were venturing into cocoa farming so that when you are no longer strong, the cocoa will serve as your pension. Today your two cocoa plantations, which you invested years of sweat and effort are flourishing and we harvested some recently. You were still strong enough to cater for your farms so why did you leave us unexpectedly? The government has increased the price of cocoa, Berimah Nkan, please wake up and enjoy the results of what you built so passionately.

Yet, we celebrate a life that touched many — a life lived not for self, but for others. We will carry on his legacy with pride, determined to honor your memory through our own lives of hard work, faith, and love.

Rest well, our husband, our brother, our father, our grandfather, our guide. Your labour was not in vain, your love not forgotten, your faith not unrewarded.

"Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from now on." "Yes," says the Spirit, "they will rest from their labour, for their deeds will follow them." — Revelation 14:13

Tribule By SONS IN-LAW



"Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his saints." - Psalm 116:15 (KJV)

Truly, a mighty tree has fallen, and a great vacuum has been left behind. It is with a heavy heart and deep sense of loss that we write this tribute in honor of our beloved father in-law. Though words may fail to capture the fullness of his impact on our lives, we feel blessed to have known such a remarkable man.

Baba, as we used to call him was truly a Godfearing man whose faith and devotion to the Lord shone in all he did and there is no doubt in our hearts that, he is with the Lord. He lived by example, upholding values of integrity, humility, and love. His life was a testimony of God's grace, and he inspired all who came into contact with him.

To us, his in-laws, he was more than a relative - he was a father, a mentor, and a source of strength. He constantly checked on our well-being, showing

genuine concern for our needs, our progress, and our happiness. His words of encouragement lifted our spirits in times of doubt, and his quiet wisdom guided us in times of uncertainty.

Even in his quiet moments, Baba radiated a peace that could only come from a life grounded in faith. He inspired us with his dedication to family and his unwavering trust in God. His memory will continue to live in our hearts and in the lessons, he taught us through his actions.

We are grateful to God for the privilege of knowing him, learning from him, and being loved by him. While we mourn his loss deeply, we celebrate the beautiful legacy he leaves behind - one of faith, service, and love We thank God for the gift of Baba's life, and we pray for the peaceful repose of his soul. Though he is gone from our sight, he will never be gone from our hearts.

Rest well, Baba, till we meet again in the presence of our Lord.

Tribute By DAUGHTERS IN-LAW



"But we do not want you to be uninformed about those who are asleep, that you not be sorrowing, as do also the others who have no hope. But those who sleep in Christ are raised, and we shall also be raised, and be with Him." (1 Thessalonians 4:13-14)

Baba we will miss you dearly. Though you were our fathers-in-law, you were more than a fathers to us. From the moment each of us joined the family, you both welcomed us with open arms and showed us unconditional love.

You gave us special treatment like your own daughters and you were always excited whenever we were around you with your grandchildren. You were very generous, kind-hearted, honest, passionate and very disciplined.

When both of you felt ill, we prayed and hoped for your recovery. Little did we know that your visit to Bolga and Tamale for medical check ups were your final journeys to your maker.

None of us expected your early exit.

Baba why so soon, when your grand-sons and grand-daughters are still enjoying your companies? Who will prepare tea for them in the afternoon? Who will give them eggs when they visit you? Who will pray for us when we visit you? So much void has been created in our hearts following your sadden departure.

Indeed, the family is empty without you. A great tree has fallen. The foundation of the family is not the same again.

Although, we are saddened by your passing away, we are grateful to have known you. You were kind, gentle and simply one of the best people we have ever known. We are thankful to God that you lived a full life and were able to touch the hearts of so many people. Though you are not physically with us, your legacies make you as presents as you have ever been.

Baba, we wish you a safe journey into your new home in the bosom of the Lord where there is no sickness, pain and sorrow. Rest in Perfect Peace Paami Su'um

Tribule By GRANDCHILDREN



"For I am persuaded that neither death nor life, nor angels, nor rulers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor any creature, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord." (Romans 8:38-39).

Oh! Death, why are thou wicked in this manner? At the time we thought we could rejoice with our aged, that was the time you quickly surface and put tears in our eyes.

At the time we could listen to the counsel of our old and their wisdom, you completely denied us that access. At the time we could get entertainment from our grandpas, you said we don't deserve to be entertain. The sudden death of our dear grandfather has brought us to the understanding of what Paul said in phil.1;21 that "for me to live is for Christ and to die is gain.

Oh grandpa, the emptiness of the space you have left in our lives is so deep and will be difficult to fill. You left without saying goodbye.

It is with a heavy heart that we stand here today to bid farewell to you grandpas. Even though we're in pain and sorrow, we still celebrate a live well lived. Fond memories of you will always remain in our hearts and minds.

You believed in us and loved by many because you always stood by true love unconditionally. You cultivated in us the spirit of love and togetherness. We will never forget how you cared for us anytime we visited both of you. In all these, we will live and become the people you've always wanted us to be.

Grandpa, you lived a fulfilled life here on earth and now you've gone ahead of us, called into the glory of our Lord till we meet again.

May the good Lord give you eternal rest in His Bosom. Rest in Perfect Peace.

Wina'am Na Moriya Paae

CHRIST BELIEVERS WORSHIP CENTRE

Daniel Mbawin Salifu Noah

But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you. Matthew 6:33

Baba Salifu gave his life to Christ and became a member of the church in May 2024. His conversion brought joy and happiness to the church and the Noah Family as well. Little did we know that our father wouldn't stay long with us. The sad news of his departure shook. Our late father took a good decision and return to Christ before his home call. It is the believe of the Church that our father is resting with the Lord.

Our father has climaxed his works on earth here as indicated by Apostle Paul on 2 Timothy 4:7-8 "I have fought a good fight, I have finished the raised, I have kept the faith. Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the lord, the righteous judge, shall give me at that day: and on to me only, but unto all them also that love his appearing".

Musah Moses Amaali Noah

Therefore, my brothers and sisters, make every effort to confirm your calling and election. For if you do these things, you will never stumble, and you will receive a rich welcome into the eternal kingdom of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. 2 Peter 1:10-11

The late Deacon Noah Moses Amaali got converted in the 1970s and was Baptised and fill with the Holy Spirit. He was a full member of the Kukparigu A/G church, during the time of Rev. Retired Daniel Abariga of Blessed memory. Due to his commitment to the service of God, the church voted for him to serve as a deacon.

He has served as a deacon under the ministries of the late Rev. Retired Daniel Abariga, Rev. Retired Moses Tampuri, Rev. Retired Joseph Molsah, Rev. John Agbambilla and finally the current Pastor Rev. Jacob Alale Aduri until his home called on the 21st March 2025.

Oh death! What have you done to us as a church.

Tribute By CHRIST BELIEVERS WORSHIP CENTRE

Oh God! Why do you take our lovely father as we always called him very soon from us? Our father has served God with humility, love, faithfulness, obedience and kindness. He was faithful in tithing and will always contribute toward the church projects.

He was one of the pillars in the church. He was a man of truth and will always stand for the truth even if it will cost him. He was exemplary leader, counselor and advisor and his hands were open to help anyone who needed help.

The church has missed a great man, leader, counselor, advisor and faithful treasure to mention but few. The church can only console ourselves with the word of God in the Book of Revelation 22:12. Behold I am coming soon. My reward is with me, I will give to everyone according to what he has done. May your soul rest in perfect peace until we meet in the Kingdom of our Lord and saviour Jesus Christ. Amen

Vusumi Sunga Ka Gu'uri Ti

THE LATE SALIFU AND MOSES

NOAH Appreciation

Though this journey of grieving is undoubtedly challenging, having you by our side has made it more bearable. Your unwavering support has been a beacon of light in our darkest hours, and for that, we are eternally grateful