

IN LOVING MEMORY



AGED:
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MADAM MARY
ADWOA NYARKOA
— a.k.a Mama Adwo —



Order Of Service

OFFICIATING MINISTERS

1. Rev. W. E. K. Adams
2. Cat. Franklin Akonnor - Ahwireng
3. Other Ministers Present

PART - I

1. Call to Worship
2. Opening Hymn - 770
3. Prayer & Creed
4. Hymn - 468
5. Words of Welcome
6. Songs by various groups
7. Biography
8. Tribute
9. Ministry of Kindness
10. Hymn - 240
11. Scripture Reading
12. Sermon
13. Offertory/Dedication of Offertory
14. announcement/Recognitions
15. Presentation of Wreath
16. Final Words of Commendation
17. Vote of thanks
18. Closing Prayer / Benediction
19. Closing Hymn - 468

PART II - AT THE GRAVE SIDE

1. Invocation
2. Hymn - 329
3. Commitals
4. Prayer and Benediction
5. Closing Hymn - 518



BIOGRAPHY

There is time for everything, and a season for every activity under the heaven. A time to be born and a time to die, a time to plant and a time to harvest, Ecclesiastes 3:1-8.

Birth

Madam Nyarkoa Mary was born on the 11th of March, 1966 to the late Mr. Kwame Baah of Tapa Abotoase and Madam Bobi Comfort popularly known as Madam Fordjour of Apesokubi in the Oti Region of Ghana. She was the first born among three siblings and the first to taste death

Education

Madam Nyarkoa Mary began her primary education at the Apesokubi E.P Primary School where she dropped out at stage 6 due to financial constraints. She later moved to stay with her aunty at Tapa Abotoase where she started to engage in petty trading because her mother was also a trader. She then moved to stay with her mother at Apesokubi to continue with her trading activities.

Marriage

She got married to the late Mr. Ayitey Prosper and the marriage was blessed with five 5 children, four males and a female. She left behind two grandchildren, a male and a female. Maadwo, as we affectionately called her, was down to earth. She related well with her children as if they were her peers. She was loved by all wherever she went. To the family, she was a backbone, advisor, counselor, friend and teacher.

Social Life

She was a social mixer and related very well with all manner of people. She was calm and made sure she did not step on anyone's toes in life. She was a bundle of aspiration to all around her. Her kind soul, wise counsel and her home was open to everyone. Her hospitality made us special.



Departure

At the latter part of the month of March 2024, she battled with shortness of breath and she was rushed to the Worawora Government Hospital and her health was later restored upon treatment.

Again, on the 24th of April, 2024 she battled the same health problem which was later resolved but according to the doctors she needed further treatment and was therefore referred to the Ho Teaching Hospital.

Due to the deterioration of her health, on the 4th of June 2024, she visited the Trafalgar hospital to restore her health, however, the good Lord called her home on the fateful day of Saturday 8th June 2024 while receiving treatment.

Maadwo will forever remain in our hearts, thoughts and memory.

Nyame nfa wo kra nsie yie.

Amen.





Tribute By CHILDREN

*For whether we live, we live unto the Lord, and whether we die,
we die unto the Lord, whether we live therefore or die,
we are the Lords. (Romans 14: 8)*

Special mothers like you are hard to find. The greatest God given gift we had. You were the epitome of love, so caring that most of our colleagues wished you were their mother. Cherishing the moments of our dear mother, whose unwavering support and nurturing spirit has shaped us into the people we are today, we find it difficult to understand the fact that you are gone when reading this tribute. It was a saddest day in our lives when the unexpected death laid its icy hands on our beloved mother. Everybody will forget that fateful Saturday, 8th June, 2024 but for we your children will never forget.

Precious mum, we certainly do not understand why death has taken someone like you from us when we needed you the most. We have learnt a lot of moral lessons from you, you always taught us to be respectful and humble wherever we find ourselves. What a precious soul you were.

Our father died some 6 years ago but you took the responsibility and catered for us, you sacrificed for us to get the best in life even though you did not have enough. You made life easy for us and the people around you. Maadwo, as we affectionately called you, what do we do to the promises we made to you? whom should we channel our grievances to?

Precious mum like no other, even though we cry for your life because this is the time to stay and enjoy life for the seeds you sown some years back have matured, the good Lord loves you more than we do.

Maadwo , we knew everybody will definitely die one day but this death was unexpected and has caused an irreparable damage to



our hearts, we feel like part of us has been ripped off living an empty hole difficult to fill.

Your endless love, we shall never forget. Though you may be gone, your spirit continues to shine brightly within us and you would forever be cherished and deeply missed.

Sleep on ma. Goodnight best mum.

Nyame nfa wo kra nsie yie, *Amen.*

Children



Amani



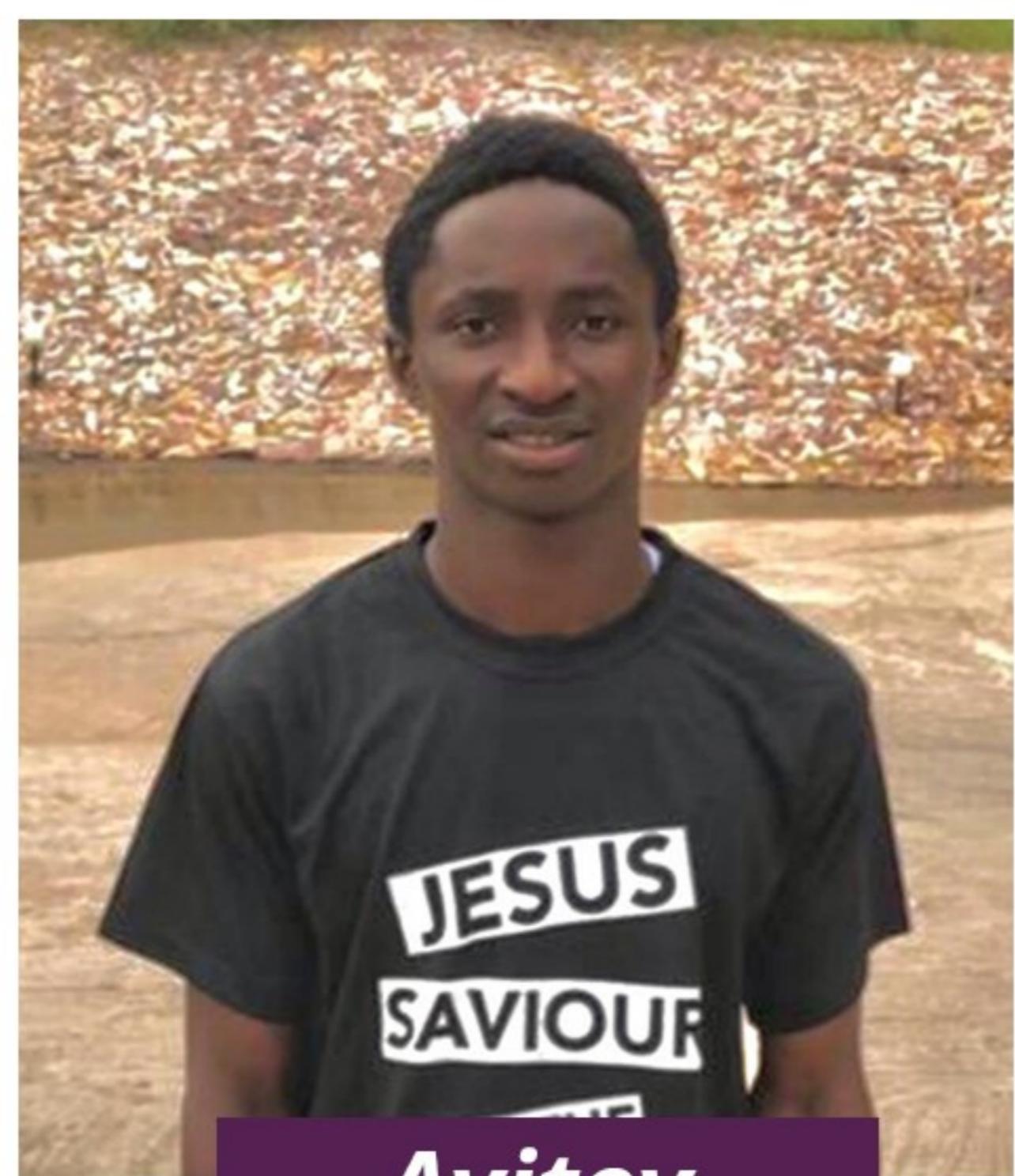
Dartey



Lydia



Felix



Ayitey



Tribute By GRANDCHILDREN

For this God is our God forever and ever. He will be our guide even unto death. (Psalm 48:14)

Not a day goes by that we do not cry our eyes out because we miss you so much, we feel so lonely, we want to talk to you one more time. You didn't tell us you were leaving us.

As a grandmother, you provided everything we needed in the presence of our parents which makes you unique to us. You received us warmly whenever we come for Christmas holidays and showed us endless love.

Maadwo, you have always told us to learn hard so that you will slaughter a fowl for us this coming Christmas, who will slaughter the fowls for us ? Hmmmmmm we don't think there are answers to these questions because the Almighty lord knows best.

In the garden of our memories, we shan't forget you, our hearts bleed profusely, it's so sad to face reality. It's very hard to say goodbye.

Precious grand mum, in the quite of the night, Caleb and Maame Yaa say a silent goodnight. Though you are no longer with us, the moon and the stars bear witness to the love we continue to send. We love you but the Almighty lord loves you most.

Sleep peacefully our dear Maadwo.

Nyame nfa wo kra nsie yie,

Amen.

MAD. MARY ADWOA NYARKOA

1966-2024



Grand Children



CALEB



TRACY

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1966-2024



TREASURED MEMORIES



APPRECIATION

The family of the late Madam Mary Adwoa Nyarkoa wish to express their heartfelt gratitude for your prayers, kind thoughts, support and condolences received during our recent bereavement.

We deeply appreciate your thoughtfulness, and we thank you most sincerely.

For those of you who have travelled from far and wide, we wish you safe journey as you go back to your various destinations.

God bless you all.

