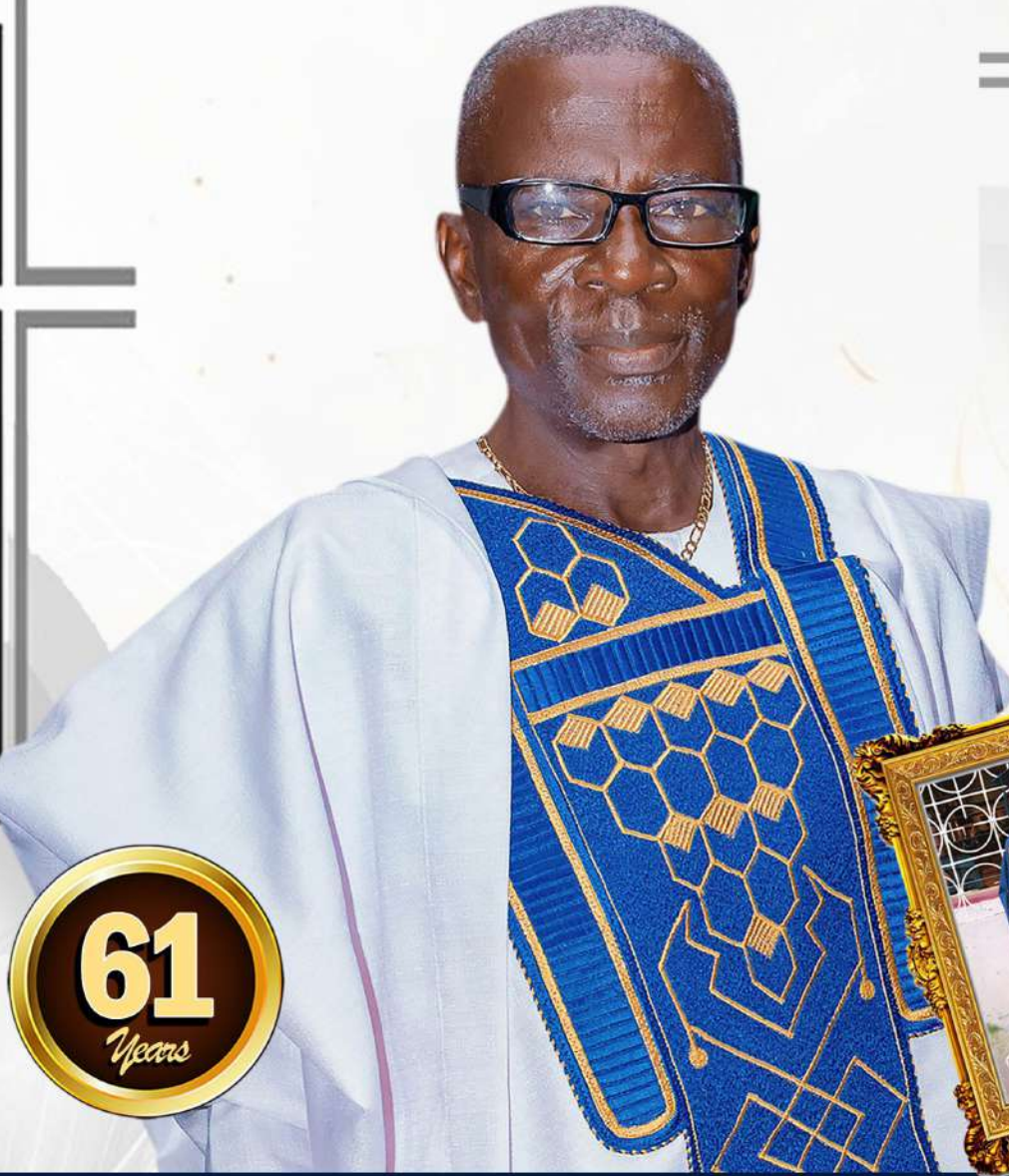


**Burial &
THANKSGIVING SERVICE**
In Honor of the Late



61
Years



Elder **ABRAHAM
KWEKU ASARE**

SATURDAY: 2ND JUNE, 2024

@ KLO-AGOGO NEW TOWN - BUKRUM 2ND ROAD

REST IN PERFECT PEACE

Burial & **MEMORIAL** *Service*

In Honor of the Late

Elder **ABRAHAM
KWEKU ASARE**

OFFICIATING MINISTERS

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| Evg. Albert Narh Sackey | - | Nkurakan Area Superintendent |
| Ps. Mark Asabir-Ampah | - | Klo-Agogo District Pastor |
| Ps. Peter Kofi Annor | - | Opsika District Pastor |
| Ps. Simon K. Teye | - | Nsutapong District Pastor |
| Ps. Jones Daniel Martey | - | Ahinkwa District Pastor |

Order of Service

Part 1 - Burial Service

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|-----------------------------------|---|----------------------------|
| 1. Prelude Choruses | - | Praises Team |
| 2. Opening Prayer | - | Pastorate/Eldership |
| 3. TATH No. 112 | - | Agyenkwa Yesu do me |
| 4. Laying in State/File Past | - | |
| 5. Scripture Reading | - | 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18 |
| • English | - | Eld. Samuel Narteh |
| • Twi | - | Dn. Michael Teye |
| • Dangme | - | Eld. C. K. Osanyingmor |
| 6. ATH No. 297 | - | Akwantu bi wo ho a ye betu |
| 7. Offering | - | |
| 8. Biography | - | Family Representative |
| 9. Tribute | - | |
| • Children | - | |
| • Grand Children | - | |
| • Widow | - | |
| • The Church | - | Eld. Evans Piewahe |
| 10. ATH No. 298 | - | Ampa me kra ye komm hwe wo |
| 11. Introduction of Dignitaries | - | |
| 12. Song Ministration | - | |
| 13. Sermon | - | Pastorate |
| 14. Observation of Minute Silence | - | |
| 15. Prayer for the family | - | Pastorate |
| 16. Charity Donation | - | Eldership |
| 17. Announcement | - | Secretary/Family |
| 18. Closing Prayer | - | Pastorate/Eldership |
| 19. Closing Hymn No. 314 | - | Hwe wo Nyame som so yiye |
| 20. Benediction | - | Pastorate |

Part 2 - At The Grave Side

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|-----------------------|---|------------------------|
| 1. Opening Prayer | - | Pastorate/Eldership |
| 2. ATH No. 306 | - | Mede nipa dua yi to ho |
| 3. Lowering of Coffin | - | |
| 4. Committals | - | Pastorate |
| 5. Laying of Wreath | - | |
| 6. Vote of Thanks | - | Family Representatives |
| 7. Closing Prayer | - | Pastorate/Eldership |
| 8. Benediction | - | Pastorate |



"Then I heard a voice from heaven say, write; Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from now on "Yes" says the Spirit, they will rest from her labour for their deeds will follow them"
(Revelation 14:13)



● **EARLY LIFE**

The late Elder Abraham Kweku Asare (Rtd.) affectionately call "Awetse Kweku" Was born on 26th June, 1963 at Bukrum Tsrebuana in the Yilo Krobo Municipality In the Eastern Region to Elder Moses Asare and Eunice Mamle Siakor both of blessed memory. He was the first born of the Sixth siblings, three (3) dead and three (3) alive

● **EDUCATION**

Elder Abraham Kweku Asare began his first education at Bukrum Tsrebuana R/C primary School and continued at Gyeketi in Akwamu Asougryeman District and later completed at Bukrum L/A Middle School in the year 1981.

Biography

***of the Late* ELD. ABRAHAM KWEKU ASARE**

During young Abraham school days, he lived with Pastor E. N Siakor now Apostle (Rtd) from 1976 to 1978 at suhum when pastor E. N Siakor was the then District Pastor of The Apostolic Church - Ghana.

● **SOCIAL LIFE/ADULT LIFE**

That was a social mixer and related very well with all manner of people. He was someone who was calm and make sure he did not step on anyone's feet in life. He were a bundle of aspiration to all around him. Your kind soul, wise counsel and your home was open to everyone. His hospitality made as special.

During his youthful age since his parent were farmers he also followed their footsteps.

The farming took him to winchy in Brong Ahafo Region.

Awetse Kweku was a man of determination, self discipline, diligence and focus. At Bukrum community he was part of scout people militia, C.D.R secretary, assistant coach for Bukrum football town team, NDC Secretary and NDC Chairman, Bukrum - Salosi Community Secretary. He also worked with the National Health Insurance Scheme during its inception.

● **MARRIAGE AND FAMILY LIFE**

He got married to Madam Rebecca Niine from a Esoum Yilo in 1987, and the marriage was blessed with Six (6) Children three (3) males and three (3) females.

He left behind 12 grandchildren.

Awetse Kweku as we affectionately call him was down-to-Earth. Related with children as if they were his peers, the youth as his friends and adults as his parents and siblings. He was loved by all wherever he went. To the family he was a backbone, advisor, counselor, friend and teacher.

● **LIFE AS A CHRISTIAN**

The Late ELDER ABRAHAM KWEKU ASARE was baptized into The Apostolic Church - Ghana on 10th March, 1991 by Pastor Oppong Mensah in the Wenchi District of Techiman Area. He was ordained as an elder of the Apostolic Church - Ghana on the 3rd April, 2010 by Apostle E. K. Adjatey at Somanya. As a diligent and dedicated officer of the church.

He served in various capacities as;

1. Local witness leader for 15 years
2. Church local secretary for 15 years

Presiding elder at the following locals;

1. Bukrum Maumi - 4 years
2. Kyekyeku - 2 and half years
3. Trawa - 2 years

He was later brought back to Bukrum Maumi Local as a supporting Elder till he retired on 16th July, 2023 last year.

● **HOME CALL**

Our Beloved elder, father and everything fell sick over a period of time, and visited several hospitals and health facilities to restore his health, however the good Lord called him home on Thursday, 4th April 2024 at the Koforidua Regional Hospital.

Awetse Kweku will forever remain in our hearts, thoughts, and memory.

May his gentle soul rest in peace.

Amen.

Tribute By Children



***"I have fought a good fight,
I have finished the race,
I have kept the faith"
(II Timothy 4:7)***



It is a saddest day in our lives when unexpected death laid its icy hands on our beloved father, everybody will forget the very Thursday you left us, but for we your children will never forget.

Daa!, as we call him, was a very good man, he loved God and always wanted us to be God fearing so he raised us in the fear of God with sound teachings about the ways of God.

Our father was an excellence disciplinarian who ensured we stay on the right path.

He was our advisor, counselor and friend. In fact the greatest pillar in our life has fallen, we will miss dearly your smile, good manners and discipline.

Who do we share our Joy and sad moments with?, and who do we turn to for counsel in moment of pain?

Daa! your sudden departure has left us in despair, we will never let go of your teachings about Christ. It is indeed sad and painful to lose such a treasure.

Daa!, we have began to feel your absence already but we take consolation from the book of ***Romans 14:8, "whether we live, we live for the Lord, whether we die we die in the Lord"***

We your children will never forget you as a father, your memories will forever remain evergreen in our hearts.

We are proud of you are beloved father. We love you dearly but God love you most. We wish you peaceful rest till we meet again.

May your soul rest in peace.

Good father!

Tse kpakpa!

Yaa huo kpoo!

Amen.

Picture of Children

Tetteh Peter Korley



Asare Victoria Adjomaa



Michael Asare



Patience Asare Korlikie



Israel Asare



Charity Asare



Tribute By Grand Children

***"A good name is better than precious ornament;
and the day of death than the day of
one's birth" (proverbs 7:1)***



"Nene" as we call him is no more. Words cannot express the pain we felt inside by our loss. Hearing of your death was like a dream to us, So we were not able to accept the fact that you were gone because it was our wish that you get well soon, not knowing that it was going to be the last time we will see you.

Oh Nene! we miss your great sense of humor, wise and Godly counsel and the remarkable time we shared together in your house. We will forever treasure your God fearing nature, patience and tolerance for all persons and emulate your prayer life.

Nene Why have you left us so soon? Where are you Nene Kpakpa? We cannot find you in your house. Nene, we keep coming to your room with the intention of extending greetings to you and to pray for us and encourage us but the room is empty.

Who will give us meat or fish during dining time! and who would console us and put smile on our faces when we are beaten by our parents and playmates? Hmmm! You left us without saying goodbye.

We were blessed to have a special grandfather like you.

Grandpa, May the Good Lord whom you loved and served keep you safe and grant you a blissful rest till we meet again.

Grandpa he love you dearly.

Have a peaceful journey into eternity.

Grandpa, Yahweh kɛ Mo ya huɔ kpoo.

Amen.

Picture of Grand Children



Daniel



Philomina



Joel



Hannah



Daniel



Dyland



Sarah



Felix



Mathew



Gabriel



Bismark



Majesty

Treasured Memories



Good Old Days



Tribute By Widow

***"And God will wipe the tears from the eyes.
There shall be no sorrow nor crying.
There shall be no pain for the former things
have passed away" (Revelation 21:4)***



It is with pain and deep sorrow that I pay tribute in memory of my beloved husband whose death was a shocking. I find it extremely difficult to understand and accept that my lover and a friend is no more.

Daa! as I affectionately call you, your death is drawing tears down my eyes and who wipe them for me? Your death into eternity was untimely and painful. Daa!, At who scare you are living us?

Daa! when I think of you, the following qualities come in mind? humanity, Kindness, honesty, humility, supportive accommodative, God fearing, loving and caring husband. My husband discharged his duties as a good husband with most commitment, dedication and excellence.

Daa, we had so much in common, sharing so many things together and we're happy; and at peace with each other. Awowl! Surely death has robbed me off a precious jewel and the vacuum which has been created would hardly be filled.

You were more than a father, friend and a comforter. Now that you are no more, who am I going to walk with to the church and farm? Daa, you know apart from you I don't have any friend, Daa, where are you? Daa Jije o Ngε? I Hε Ngε Jae!

Oh death! Why do you take my dear one in whom lies nothing, today you have left bitter taste in my mouth, who will take this bitterness away, as a river of tears trickle down my cheeks?

When it's time to go to church or farm I don't see you, your death indeed shall forever remain a cloudy day and mystery to me and the children.

What can i say, "God gives and takes it when it pleases him, who am i to challenge Him?

Daa! I really love you but God loved you most. I pray the angels guid you safely home till we meet again.

Daa! mo ya hwo nge hemi jomi mi.
mawu ke mo ne to he kpakpa.

Sweetheart, as I mourn you, I take consolation in the fact that you are resting in the bosom of the Lord.

May the Lord give you the deserved rest.

Daa, okɛ nyɛmi saminya

Yaa huɔ kpoo.

Amen.



Widow
Mrs. Rebecca Asare Niine

Tribute By Church

TO THE LATE ELDER ABRAHAM ASARE



THE APOSTOLIC CHURCH - GHANA
KLO - AGOGO DISTRICT

**"Then I heard a voice from heaven saying, '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'.
(Revelations 14:13)"**

The Psalmist says: *'I am a sojourner here, stranger on the earth, my home is far from this world, my home is not of this earth.*

Aliens and stranger indeed we are on this earth and it is only in heaven that we shall enjoy perpetual rest as envisaged by the psalmist.

With deed sorrow and heavy hearts, yet with hope of resurrection; where the dead in Christ and the living shall be caught up in the air, we stand here to grieve the loss of our dearly beloved father, Elder Abraham Asare.

On Thursday, 4th April, 2024, the church received with shock, the sudden demise of our beloved elder. This news stunned the entire membership of the church. Indeed, a golden treasure is lost.

● BAPTISM AND ORDINATION

Elder Asare received Christ and was baptised into the Church on 10th March, 1991 by Pastor Oppong Mensah at Wenchi in the Techiman administrative area. After some years of hard work and dedication to God's work, he was Ordained as an Elder of the Church on 3rd April, 2010 By Apostle E. K Adjatey at Somanya.

● PRESIDING STATIONS

Elder Abraham Asare presided over the following local assemblies:

- Brukum Maumi - 4 years
- Kyekyeku - 2.5 years
- Trawa - 2 years

● POSITIONS HELD

Elder Abraham Asare held the following positions in the church:

● Local Secretary

Brukum Maumi - 15 Years

● Local Witness Leader

Brukum Maumi - 15 years

● SERVED UNDER THE FOLLOWING PASTORS:

Pastor Lawer Simon
Pastor Justice Arthur Abraham
Pastor Emmanuel Teye Kodjo
Pastor Peter Owuradu Kwakye
Pastor Simon Y. Anane
Pastor Mark Asabir-Ampah

WORKED WITH THE FOLLOWING PRESIDING ELDERS

Elder Ephraim Kwao - 11 years

Elder Enock Teye - 3 years

Elder Harold K. Kumah - 4 years

Elder Abraham Asare battled with illness for some years. This condition prompted the district presbytery to retire him from active service on 14th July, 2023 in order for him to have ample time to take good care of himself. Until his untimely death, he was a staunch member of the Apostolic Church-Ghana, Klo-Agogo District.

The Apostolic Church-Ghana has lost a true servant of God, a man of dignity, and integrity. He was a man with a good heart for humanity.

We take consolation in the fact that, when Jesus appears in His glory, we will see him face to face.

Good and a faithful servant,

May the good Lord grant you rest in His eternal home.

Fare thee well, Till we meet again! Kpomo!!

Forever in our heart!!

TAC-GH Twi Hymns

Hymn 112

1. Agyenkwa Yesu do me
Ɔdo me kosi wu mu;
Meto ne do ho dwom se
Ne do no ye anwonwa do

2. Agyenkwa Yesu do me,
Ne do no ye me nwonwa
Deɔneyeni a 'tese me
M'anya ne do mu nkwagye.

3. Agyenkwa Yesu do me
Enti na wa frɛ me yi;
Agyenkwa Yesu do me,
Wama me kra anigye.

4. Se nea me te biara
Agyenkwa Yesu do me;
Se nea me te biara
Ɔkae se me ye ne de.

Hymn 297

1. Akwantu bi wo ho a ye betu
Enye wiase ha akwantu no bi
Soro ho akwantu na yeretwen
Anigye ben na saa da no beye

2. Se sum hye kabii ma apranaa bobom
Ma Kristo mu awufo sore kan
Na se yene won bom kohyia Kristo a
Anigye ben na saa da no beye

3. Anigye na yede betu kwan no
Ahurusi na yedi behyia Kristo
Gyedifo nyinaa bebom anantew
Anigye ben na saa da no beye

4. Yebehu yen ho anim ne anim
Bere a yebehyia wo ahengua no anim
Na se ahotewfo nyinaa bom tena
Anigye ben na saa da no beye

5. Yewo dwom foforo bi a yebeto
Soro abofo mpo renntumi nnte ase
Yen nkonimdi ho dwom na yebeto
Anigye ben na saa da na beye

Hymn 314

1. Hwε wo Nyame som so yiye
Bɔ mmɔden na wie w'adwuma
Na wobɛnya nkonim abɔtiri
Da a Yesu Kristo bɛba

(Chorus)

**Yesu reba, ɔreba ntɛm
Abɛfa wɔn a w'adi nkonim
Enti mo nni adanse nkyerε
Na Yesu Kristo reba ntɛm**

2. Fa wo nkwa nyinaa bɔ afɔre
Na bɔ Kristo nsempa no dawuru
Tɛm sɛ nkwaɣye bi wɔ Kristo mu
Enti nneɔneyɛfo mommra

3. Asase woso kɛse reba
Soro ne asase bɛtwam ako
Nnipa de wɔn nne bɛtom asu
Efisɛ da no bɛyɛ hu

4. Yɛretwɛn Agyenkwa Kristo
Nea yɛbɛhome wɔ ne mu no
Yiw Awurade Yesu Kristo bra
Gyedifo nyinaa hwε wo kwan

Hymn 298

1. Ampa me kra yɛ komm hwε wo
Onyankopɔn ma menya nkwa
Wo nsam na me kra nkwaɣye wɔ
Kae me sɛnea w'adoeɛ te.

(Chorus)

**Yehowa wo ne me botan,
M'abankɛse ne me guankɔbea,
Fa me sie wo nsa yam korabea hɔ.**

2. Wiase hann mpo adan me sum
M'ayera me kra nkwaɣye kwan;
Tɛ wo dɔ nsa no sɔ me mu,
Na ma mente w'adoeɛ nka.

3. Se mereyɛ m'awatiri a,
Kae me ma me nhu me mfomso;
Na sɛ me gyedi so hwan a
Awurade boa me mmerɛwɛ.

4. Sɛ wo ba w'ahenni mu a,
Kae me Awurade m'agyenkwa;
Wo nkutoo ne m'anidaso,
Ma mente wo frɛ kronkron no.

Hymn 306

1. Mede nipa dua yi to hɔ
Na me dom fi honam mu
Kopue ahengua anim a
Mehu Kristo anuonyam

2. Me honam yi yɛ dɔte
Mebu no nwura dodow
Sɛ me de to hɔ da bi a
Mehu Kristo anuonyam

3. Me gye ma Agyenkwa Yesu di
Sɛ ne bɔhye no nyɛ kwa
Enti sɛ me wu prɔw mpo a
Mehu Gyefo n'anuonyam

4. Me nim sɛ medan dɔte
Nsamoa nso ne me bɛtena
Nanso sɛ mete Ne nne a
Mesɔre m'ahyɛ n'anuonyam

Appreciation

The Family of the Late Eld. Abraham Kweku Asare would like to thank you for your support before, during and after his funeral.

Your support at this difficult times was very much appreciated and of great comfort to all the family. God richly bless you.