

Reading Of Biography

Biography of the late Cyrillus Vandyke Mensah

Cyrillus Vandyke Mensah was born on, in Takoradi to Gaberial A. Mensah (deceased) and Mame Kraba Eshun. He was baptised into the Star of the Sea Catholic Church in Takoradi. He is the third born with a twin sister, out of six Children. His Father the late Gabriel Mensah worked with the Takoradi Air Force Garrison as a Chief driver and his mother traded in firewood in Takoradi Amanful near the Cape Coast station.

Kakra Vandyke and all his siblings were born in Takoradi, and he attended Wiaoso Road Experimental School from 1969 -1975 at Esikafoambatem number one Takoradi. He continued his education at the Tanokrom Middle "C" School (TAMSCO C) from 1975 and completed in 1980.

After his schooling he preferred to become a Fridge Mechanic, so he started his apprenticeship with his senior brother who is a Fridge Mechanic. He later travelled to seek greener pastures at Gabon where he stayed for about 10 years before returning home. After he settled down, he married his wife and had 2 children with her.

In 2015, he unexpectedly fell sick and settled down at Anomabo for treatment. despite his sickness he did not give up on the work of God and dedicated his time to the church.

He came to Takoradi in November to fully heal and was showing signs of full recovery till death laid its icy hands on him barely a month after on 18th Dec 2024. Brother Damrifa Dua, Dua ne Amanibunu.

