

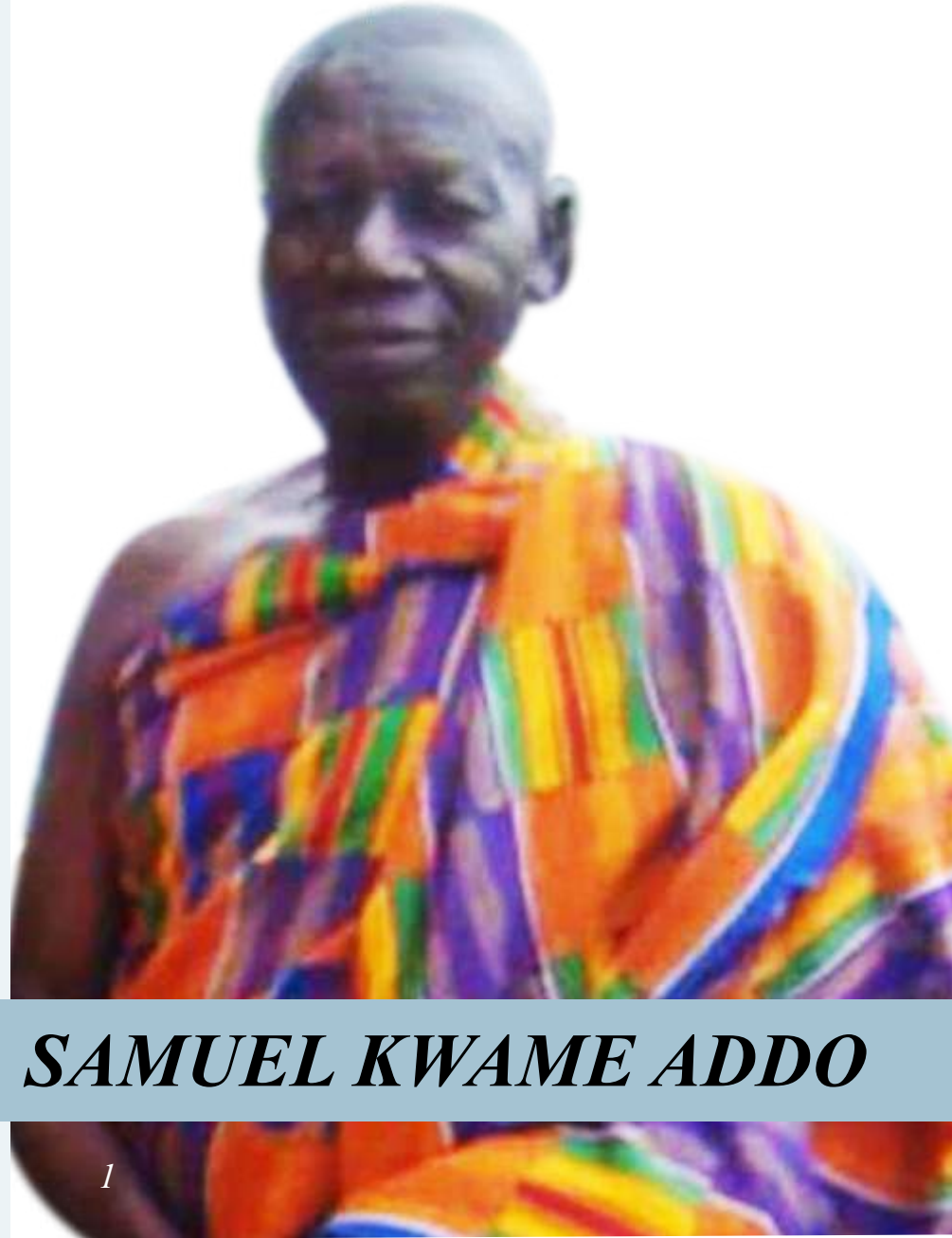
CELEBRATION OF A LIFE
WELL LIVED

Burial Service
of the Late



MR. SAMUEL KWAME ADDO
1936-2021

In Loving Memory Of The Late
Mr. Samuel Kwame Addo



The Late

MR. SAMUEL KWAME ADDO

BURIAL AND MEMORIAL SERVICE
FOR THE LATE

MR. SAMUEL KWAME ADDO

AGED: 85 YEARS

ON SATURDAY, 17TH APRIL, 2021
AT TRANSITIONS PLACE
NO. C1/17 ASORE JUNCTION,
ATOMIC-KWABENYA MAIN ROAD, HAATSO
BURIAL: PRIVATE - GETHSEMANE
MEMORIAL GARDEN (SHIASHIE)

Order of Service

PROGRAMME LINE-UP

PART I-PRE-BURIAL SERVICE

Introduction & Announcement
Musical Interlude
Filing Past
Song & Prayer
Funeral Talk
Song & Prayer
Final Announcement

PART II – BURIAL

CEMETERY- BURIAL

Arrival and gathering at the burial site.
Final Burial Service
Prayer
Lowering of casket into grave

Biography

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Mr. Samuel Kwame Addo

Of The Late Mr. Samuel Kwame Addo



Mr. Samuel Kwame Addo was born in Akyem Asafo, 85 years ago to Mr. Stephen Yaw Addo and Maame Ama Dapaah. Until his departure, Mr. S.K. Addo was married to Madam Victoria Addo for fifty-one years.

He started school at Akyem Asafo Presbyterian school of Ghana. When his father passed on, he was taken to his mother at Akyem Maase, where he attended the Maase Methodist School and then to Nsawam. He successfully wrote and passed the Common Entrance Examination and gained admission to Mfantshipim School, Cape Coast. Infact, he was a bright young boy, who never downplayed education.

After completing his Secondary education, he gained admission to

the Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology, Kumasi and thereafter, he went to the University of Ghana to study Business Administration, Accounting Option.

He later on worked as an Accountant at the Cocoa Marketing Board for some years. Thereafter he started his personal business - Safari Trading Company, Adabraka right opposite GNTC Motors - Adjabeng.

At the peak of his business success, he ran businesses ranging from sale of vehicles, imports and exports of goods, farming (particularly oil palm plantation) and the creative art industry of music (Safari Sounds). He sometimes made his bandstand play to support some social functions. He ran the multi business in order to find a perfect fit for his income stream – stretching himself beyond his

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comfort zone.

At the end, it all paid-off well for him and he made a consistent stream of income as a young man, operating under the business name, Safari Trading company.

He was calm and gentle, articulate and smart, the paragon of an ideal gentleman. To his wider family, he remained a pillar of support extending his kindness to all. He was a family man, sacrificing personal comfort most times, for the good and development of the family. He was an example of commitment, conscientiousness and hard work. He was a very organized person, who exuded and demanded excellence in equal measure from his children. If he asked you to undertake a task, he expected you to do so, to the best of your ability and his expectation.

He had a positive influence on the lives of so many people by his selfless and countless acts of kindness, always giving and never expecting any favours back.

Mr. S. K. Addo has served his due. He was a husband, father, brother as well and a friend to many, until his departure. Even though we are saddened by his departure, we take our solace in God and in His word of assurance in such times.





We met and got married when I was 18. I have lots of memories but I will like to keep it Simple, Short and Sweet. My husband, affectionately called me “SISI”. His friends called him “S.K.”, or “Mr. Addo”; family members and relatives called him “Kwame Addo” and one particular friend Mr. Adjei (a.k.a Shappirro) called him “Battalion” because we had a lot of children.

My husband was a people person and also a lover of pets (dogs like Scooby, Baby Champ and Bob, cats, rabbits, monkeys, parrots not forgetting the sheep and goats (the boys were responsible to send them for grazing).

He loved his family and as a father he was a generous provider, teaching his children to emulate that fine example-by leaving allowances for their younger siblings when it was time to go to Secondary school.

We were blessed to raise a total of 9 children (5 boys and 4 girls); all of

whom you loved in a special and unique way. They have all turned out to be responsible hardworking people, diligent and capable men and women having imbibed in them the good qualities, of hardwork and diligence. Respect was instilled in each of the children at their very early age - anyone who graduated to go to Secondary School (High School) got the honour of being addressed as, “Brother” or “Sister “ and above all we raised the children and taught them to love one another. You practically demonstrated how a single strand of broom breaks very easily but a whole stack doesn't, emphasizing the power of unity among siblings . I still remember how you will call out from the oldest “Ofori, Kojo,

Tribute

By Widow

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Harold, Caro, Yvonne, Paula, Baby, Kwame and George. You will then start your drill sessions: "ATTENTION", AT EASE" to either get a message across or settle a sibling rivalry. Education was always your top priority and you always looked forward to seeing those report cards and the children had no choice than to better bring home good grades or had to hide their report for performing below your expectation.

We had our share of problems like every family, but we made up and resolved issues.

We had good days like going out to the Open space movies, sometimes to Oxford and Plaza, visiting the museum, going to the Accra Zoo and Bumper Cars at Kwame Nkrumah Circle. We visited the Photo Studio to take family photographs. We went on family trips to our hometown, Maase and other places of interest – wonderful and nostalgic memories, of course.

The most memorable experience was when you symbolized your dedication by water baptism in 2015 and so we became one in a special spiritual way. Before the living God Jehovah, I know it won't be very long my dear and beloved husband will be back with us again during the Resurrection (Acts 24:15). You will be missed dearly by me, your children and your grandchildren.

Rest In Peace, Dada S.K.

Medofo da yie.



When the mirror is broken you no longer see your image. From that fateful day, 25th February, 2021, that you departed, it has not been the same again for us.

Whilst young, we did not fully comprehend your demand for excellence, but as we grew up, we understood that you were preparing us for the future to excel in life and to give our very best to everything we did. You ensured that, we had the best of education – knowing that, it would open unlimited opportunities for us to progress in life. In school, we were required to be the best or among the best in order to meet your expectation. At home, we had to work hard and be responsible at an early age.

We will always remember that special smile, caring heart, that warm embrace you always gave us. You were there for mom and us, through thick and thin, no matter what. Your great sense of humour and courage kept us through. We will always remember you Poppy, because there can never be another to replace you.

Your display of energy was infectious and your influence. Immense, touching everybody.

When we close our eyes your image is all we see. The summary of our togetherness from the cradle to the

time of your exit lingers on our minds. We will always be grateful to you for being our Dad.

None of us, Jones, Samuel, Harold, Caro, Yvonne, Charlotte, Paula, David and George can put down the right description of all that you did for us. You never judged us by gender, you treated us all equally, you made sure you provided all we needed. You taught us the value of hard work, good judgement, courage, honesty and integrity.

A big tree has fallen – notwithstanding, we will stand strong and forge ahead, knowing that is what you expect from us.

Dad, we celebrate your life today, because you were an achiever. Against all odds, you thrived on in life and we are proud of you.

We are grateful to you, for all that you did for us. Though you are gone, the thoughts of your good deeds linger on

We are eternally grateful.

Death is just a short period of rest. It will all be but a dream when you finally wake up to see all of us again in Paradise (Luke 23:43).

Fare thee well, S K Addo
Fare thee well, Poppy

Gallery

In Loving Memory Of The Late
Mr. Samuel Kwame Addo

Some Days of The Late Mr. Samuel Kwame Addo



Gallery

Children of The Late Mr. Samuel Kwame Addo

In Loving Memory Of The Late
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Jones Ofori Addo & Family

1. Ian Ofori-Addo &
2. Aisling Ofori-Addo



Samuel Kwadwo Asare-Addo & Family

- Sandra Konadu Asare-Addo
1. Samuel Panin Asare-Addo &
 - Jeremiah Kakra Asare-Addo



Caroline Craig & Family

- Michael Anthony Craig
1. Miara Jasmine Craig
 2. Michelle Jadalynn Craig
 3. Maxwell Jerome Craig
 4. Miles Leon Craig



Harold Asare Bediako & Family

- Alice Asare Bediako
1. Harold Asare Bediako
 2. Lovina Asare Bediako
 3. Blessing Asare Bediako
 4. Elijah Asare Bediako
 5. Elisha Asare Bediako
 6. Karis Asare Bediako
 7. Kesty Asare Bediako



Gallery

Children of The Late

Mr. Samuel Kwame Addo, with rear families

Yvonne Kamara & Family

Samuel Kamara

Grandchildren:

1. Samson Kamara



Charlotte Sarbah & Family

1. Kofi Sarbah
2. Karren Sarbah
3. Kaziah Sarbah



Daughter: Paula Agyei & Family

Daniel Agyei

1. Benjamin Akins Agyei
2. Obed Kwame Agyei



David Asare-Addo & Family

Daughter-in-law:

Emerald Asare-Addo

Grandchildren:

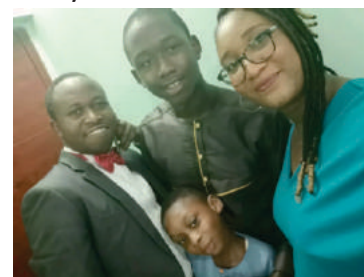
1. Abrielle Asare-Addo
2. Alvin Asare-Addo



Son: George Asare-Addo & Family

Comfort Asare-Addo

1. Jeremy Asare-Addo



Irrespective of our geographic locations, our father in-law never ceased to be part of our daily lives. We enjoyed moments of association with him. He accepted us, as part of his biological children and related to us, as such.

His jokes always made us laugh and his warm reception always made us feel at home. We looked forward to interact, with him longer, but we didn't know he will be gone too soon.

We thank Jehovah for the positive and rich

impact he had on our lives. Your departure has left pain in our hearts. We really have fond memories of you, that will never be forgotten.

Your departure, notwithstanding, we are assured by the words in Rev. 21:4, that a time will come when death will be no more.

You touched our lives with love and have left an indelible footprint of great memories, engraved in our hearts forever.

We thus look forward to seeing you during the resurrection as the Bible promises.

Tribute

By GrandChildren

In Loving Memory Of The Late
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Our Grandpa was a humble man. He never liked to be the centre of attention, but rather project others. In life and now in death, he wouldn't want us to focus on him. He wouldn't want us to focus on the sadness of his death, but instead in happiness, remember him, for all the wonderful times we shared with him. He wants us to appreciate each other and walk in humility. He taught us to work hard, be fruitful and honest in whatever we did.

Although we will miss him, his smile, his pranks, his love, we take consolation in the

good feelings of our memories and also we have the hope in the scriptures which Grandpa also believed, in John 11:24, 25 which states in part “I know he will rise on the day of resurrection, on the last day”. Jesus said: iam the resurrection and the life. The one who exercised faith in me, even though he dies, will come to life.”

Grandpa, we will miss you.

Tribute

By Family

*In Loving Memory Of The Late
Mr. Samuel Kwame Addo*

S. K. Addo, was a husband, father, brother, uncle and a friend to many before leaving our midst.

You contributed immensely towards the development of the members of our family. To your children, you were an available father. You were a disciplinarian, never failing to discipline when required and would remark, “spare the rod and spoil the child”.

The above notwithstanding, you gave your children the freedom to make their choices, trusting God that their upbringing would direct them, in the right path.

To your wife, you were a backbone and moral support. You were the loving husband, friend and father to her.

To the wider family, you were that good and caring person, who was interested in our welfare and always saw to it that we lived in harmony.

The entire family has lost a great pillar and son. Your departure has left a great vacuum.

In all these, we say that, God knows best.

Nante Yie, S. K. Addo.

Tribute

From The CHURCH

*In Loving Memory Of The Late
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Bro. Addo, as affectionately called by all, the old and the young alike. Bro. Addo a friend to all, the old, the young, and even the little ones. Despite his age, his zealousness for God's word and keenness in reading more about Him is amazing, asking all kinds of questions when studying the Bible and always probing more and more for answers.

He loved to share what he had learned occasionally with others too. He had a kind

personality and knack for cracking funny jokes in all circumstances.

Bro Addo, the congregation as a whole, the body of elders, all the youth, and all babies will miss you so much but we are all looking forward to the time when Jehovah will call and all the dead will answer and return back to their loved ones.

See You Soon Our Dear Brother.

SONG 151

He Will Call (Job 14:13-15)

1. Life, like a mist, appears for just a day,
Then disappears tomorrow.
All that we are can quickly fade away,
Replaced with tears and sorrow.
If a man should die, can he live again?
Hear the promise God has made:

(CHORUS)

He will call; the dead will answer.
They will live at his command.
For he will have a longing
For the work of his own hand.
So have faith, and do not wonder,
For our God can make us stand.
And we will live forever,
As the work of his own hand.

2. Friends of our God, though they may pass away,
Will never be forsaken.
All those asleep who in God's memory stay,
From death he will awaken.
Then we'll come to see all that life can be:
Paradise eternally.

(CHORUS)

He will call; the dead will answer.
They will live at his command.
For he will have a longing
For the work of his own hand.
So have faith, and do not wonder,
For our God can make us stand.
And we will live forever,
As the work of his own hand.

SONG 139

See Yourself When All Is New

(Revelation 21:1-5)

1. Just see yourself, just see me too;
Just see us all in a world that is new.
Think how you'll feel, how it will be,
To live in peace, to be truly free.
No evil one will then prevail;
Rule by our God cannot ever fail.
The time will have come for a new earthly
start,
The song of our praises
Will pour out from our heart:

(CHORUS)

“We thank you, our God, for all you have
done.

All things are new by the rule of your Son.
The fullness of our heart overflows in our song;
All glory and honor and praise to you belong.”

2. Now see yourself, and see me too;
And look ahead to a world that is new.
No sight of we see, no sound we hear
Will cause alarm or give rise to fear.
All has come true, just as he said;
Now over mankind, his tent is spread.
He now will awaken those sleeping in death;
Their voices will join ours with
Every grateful breath:

CHORUS)

“We thank you, our God, for all you have done.
All things are new by the rule of your Son.
The fullness of our heart overflows in our song;
All glory and honor and praise to you belong.”

OBITUARY

Osabarima Adu Asare Bosompem II, Akyem Maase Hene; Abusuapanyin Opoku Agyemang Ampatia; Nana Barima Dakwaning II, Akyem Asafo Hene; Head of Ekoona Abusua, Nana Asantewa Korang II; Mrs. Azumah; Esther Twum Danso; Docia Twum Danso; Mrs. Henrietta Twum Danso; Mrs. Gifty Osafo; Rev. Kenneth Obeng; Mrs. Diana Twum; Nana Opoku Agyemang; Nana Barima Kwame Boateng; Madam Margaret Addo Boateng; Kwesi Djan; Announce the sudden death of:

MR. SAMUEL KWAME ADDO

1936-2021

Which sad event occurred on Thursday, 25th February, 2021
At the Korle Bu Teaching Hospital, Accra



ARRANGEMENTS ARE AS FOLLOWS

FILING PAST/BURIAL SERVICE: SATURDAY, 17TH APRIL, 2021 10:30AM - 12:00 NOON
AT TRANSITIONS PLACE, NO. C1/17, ASORE JUNCTION, ATOMIC - KWABENYA
MAIN ROAD, HAATSO

INTERMENT: PRIVATE - GETHSEMANE MEMORIAL GARDEN (SHIASHIE)

Widow: Mrs. Victoria Addo

Children: Jones Ofori-Addo (ECG, Accra), Samuel Asare Addo (Canada), Harold Asare Bediako (Akyem Maase), Caroline Craig (USA), Yvonne Kamara (Australia), Charlotte Sarbah (Accra), Paula Agyei (UK), David Asare Addo (Accra), George Asare Addo (Takoradi).

Grand Children: Ian Ofori-Addo, Aisling Ofori-Addo, Samuel Panin Asare-Addo, Jeremiah Kakra Asare-Addo, Harold Asare Bediako (Jnr), Lovina Asare Bediako, Blessing Asare Bediako, Elijah Asare Bediako, Elisha Asare Bediako, Karis Asare Bediako, Kesty Asare Bediako, Miara Jasmine Craig, Michelle Jadalynn Craig, Maxwell Jerome Craig, Miles Leon Craig, Samson Kamara, Sabastian Kwesi Sarbah, Kofi Sarbah, Karren Sarbah, Kaziah Sarbah, Benjamin Akins Agyei, Obed Kwame Agyei, Abrielle Asare-Addo, Alvin Asare-Addo, Jeremy Asare-Addo

In-Laws: Sandra Konadu Asare Addo, Alice Asare Bediako, Michael Craig, Samuel Kamara, Daniel Agyei,

Emerald Asare Addo, Comfort Asare Addo.

Siblings/Cousins: Margaret Addo Boateng, Kwesi Djan, Kwame Boateng, Esther Twum Danso, Mrs. Henrietta Twum Danso, Gifty Osafo, Docia Twum Danso, Beatrice Twum, Gladys Nkrumah, Mrs. Diana Twum, Rev. Kenneth Obeng.

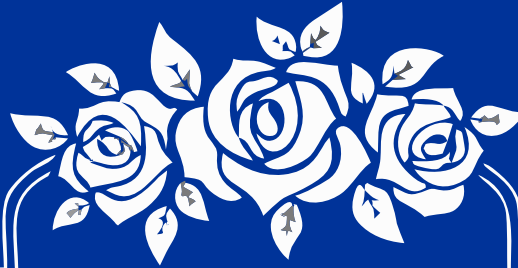
Uncles & Aunties: Samuel Boakye Yiadom, Margaret Yirenkyi, Madam Charlotte.

Chief Mourners: Nana Barima Dakwaning II, Akyem Asafo Hene; Osabarima Adu Asare Bosompem II, Akyem Maase Hene; Nana Asantewaa Korang II, Abusuapanyin Opoku Agyemang Ampatia; Head of Ekoona Abusua, Akyem Asafo and Maase; Madam Margaret Addo Boateng and Family, Mrs. Azumah; Mr. Boakye Yiadom and Siblings, Wife and Children of Mr. S. K. Addo; Nana Opoku Agyemang; Nana Barima Kwame Boateng, Twum Danso Family (Akyem Asafo).

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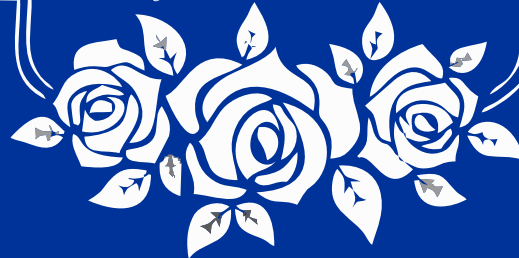
ALL COVID-19 PROTOCOLS WILL BE STRICTLY OBSERVED

ALL FRIENDS AND SYMPATHIZERS ARE CORDIALLY INVITED



Appreciation

*The entire family and children
of the late*
Mr. Samuel Kwame Addo
*wish to express their
heartfelt gratitude to all
sympathizers for their supports
during the burial
of our beloved.*



God Bless You.