



## James Agbonkomkom

November 28, 1954 - November 25, 2015

The sun rose on November 28, 1954, when a baby boy named James Agbonkonkon was born into the families of Chief Agbonkonkon Ogbewe and Mrs. Edomwandagbon Agbonkonkon of Ike-nisi village, Uhumhode LGA of Edo State of Nigeria.

As the first child of the family, he was prepared to be educated and he started his academic journey with an elementary education at St. Lucy Catholic School, Okhuokhuo from 1959 - 1964. He proceeded to Iguodala Memorial School, Benin City between 1964 and 1966 for Modern School, where he excelled and gained appointment briefly with Ministry of Education as Primary School Teacher. In his hunger for more education, he gain admission in 1971 into the prestigious Immaculate Conception College ICC, Benin City, where he finished in 1975 and also sat for his WAEC at the Institute of Continued Education ICE also in Benin City in 1975.

The first port of call after his secondary education was with the Federal Forestry Department where he worked between 1977 and 1985 as a Field Officer in charge of data collection. Due to his penchant for details he was seconded to another Federal Parastatal, the National Museum and Antiquities, Benin City from 1985 to December of 1988.

By January of 1989, James left the shore of Nigeria and came to the United

States of America. He made Chicago, Illinois his town of choice and worked for several Intelligence and Security outfits all over the Chicagoland area. As a true of Benin Kingdom, he joined Akugbe Oretin Club of Chicago, the moment he stepped his foot in Chicago.

James was a dedicated family man and leaves to cherish his loving memories, 4 sons, 13 brothers and sisters among whom are Etinosa Anselm Agbonkonkon, Ehigiator Silvester Agbonkonkon, Osasere Courage Agbonkonkon and Osayamen Harrison Agbonkonkon. He will surely be missed by all who knew him while he sojourned on this earth, but especially by his immediate family and the members of Akugbe Oretin Club of Chicago.

# Cemetery Details

## Mount Glenwood Memory Gardens

18301 South Glenwood-Thornton Road  
Glenwood, IL

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC **23**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

McCullough Funeral & Cremation Services  
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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



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