



Lawrence Asima

April 12, 2018

Lawrence Kofi Delali Asima Wordzro was born on April 7, 1943 at Koforidua in the Eastern Region of Ghana. His father was Mr. Godwin Zanu Wordzro of Anloga of the Volta Region of Ghana. His mother was Madam Mercy Akosuagbo Asima of Peki-Dzake in the Volta Region.

Lawrence was baptized and confirmed at the Evangelical Presbyterian Church at Peki-Dzake.

Lawrence had five siblings, Ida Nyarku, Ben-John Asima, Grace Wordzro, Seth Wordzro and Julius Wordzro of Kumasi, Ghana.

Lawrence attended Peki-Dzake Primary and Middle School. He proceeded to Ghana Secondary Technical School in Tarkoradi in the western region. After his secondary school, Lawrence was employed with the prestigious Ghana Medical School - Koforidua (Korle-Bo) Teaching Hospital in Accra as a Laboratory Technician for many years.

In Ghana, before proceeding to the United States in 1973, Lawrence married Madam Otilia Awalime. Two daughters were born to this union, Mrs. Diana Asima-Kom and Mrs. Anita Asima-Dati.

After Mr. Asima's arrival in the United States, he attended Northwestern

Business College for several terms. Lawrence was very industrious over the course of his life in the United States. He was employed with many companies such as Bell-N-Thon, Clark Gas Stations, Enger Service, Gold Coast Taxi, Yellow Cab, Phoenix Messenger and Checker Taxi. In 2010, Mr. Asima was diagnosed with Alzheimer's disease. His failing health forced him to retire.

Mr. Asima married Mary Ellen Robinson on June 10, 1977, to this union four children were born, Edzani, Sika, Iwona and an only son, Esemam.

In 1984, Lawrence his wife Mary begin studying the Bible with Jehovah's Witnesses. In 1994, Mary made her dedication to Jehovah. Over the course of many years, Lawrence frequently attended congregation meetings with his wife. He enjoyed the friendship of many witnesses. As his health began to become more frail, Jehovah's Witnesses would greatly aid Mr. Asima at the meetings. His widow Mary, is immensely grateful for the aid over the years.

Mr. Lawrence Asima will be loving remembered by many but especially his wife, Mary; his children, Mrs. Diana Asima-Kom of Ghana, Mrs. Anita Asima-Dati of Ghana, Mrs. Edzani Boyd (Carl), Sika Cook (Charles), Ms. Iwona Asima and Mr. Esemam Asima (Alesha); one brother, Julius Wordzro; one aunt, Janet of Ghana; and a host of grandchildren, nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends too numerous to mention.

Previous Events

Service

APR **21**. 3:00 PM (CT)

Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses (Hts)
23100 Wentworth
Steger, IL

Tribute Wall



“ *Lawrence Asima*

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