

# Celebration of Life for



**MR. STEPHEN  
ASARE AGYABENG**

Sunrise  
September 14, 1955

Sunset  
May 29, 2016

Saturday, July 9, 2016 - 7:00 p.m.


**CARNIE P. BRAGG FUNERAL HOME**

256 Rosa Parks Blvd.

Paterson, New Jersey

*Rev. E. Asamoah Gyan, Officiating*

# Reflections of Life

A portrait of Stephen Asare "Bosire" Agyabeng, a man with a mustache, wearing a dark suit, white shirt, and a patterned tie. He is smiling slightly and looking towards the camera.

**Stephen Asare "Bosire" Agyabeng** was born on September 14, 1955 in Odumasi, Sunyani, Ghana Kwaku Fokou and Yaa Takiyiwaa (Yaa Kraah), and resided in Germany a few years before immigrating to the United States.

He attended the Roman Catholic Elementary, Middle School, and graduated from Dormaa High School.

He traveled to Germany after graduating from Sixth Form for a few years. He traveled back to Ghana, and stayed a few years before immigrating to America.

He was employed as a Cab Driver in New York City for many years.

He leaves to cherish precious memories his daughter, Dilys Asare Agyabeng of Ghana, and her mother, Agartha Yeboah; sister: Yaa Adanse; brothers: Kwadwo Boahene, Ofosu Manu (Dadwene); his friends, Dorothy Asantewa, Joseph "Bosomah" Antwi, Kwasi Oppong, Maxwell Antepim, Johnson Korang, Georgina Agyemang, Andrews Awuah, Kwame Boateng, Gubrehene, Gubrehemaa, Abusuapanin Opanim, Kwasi Krah, Nana Kwasi Apraku II, Nana Abenaa Agyeiwaa, Nana Kwadwo Boahen, Nana Kwame Amponsah IV, Boadiwaa, Yaw Adanse, Nana Adwoa, Yaw Bonah, Comfort Ayisiwaa, Sister Hannah, Afranie Boateng, Mr. Agyemang, Kwaku Peseu, Kwame Pomponssuo, and a host of other relatives, friends and neighbors.

# **Order of Service**

Prelude

Processional

Selection

Scripture Reading  
Old Testament  
New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Acknowledgements & Remarks

Reflections of Life

Selection

Words of Comfort  
Rev. E. Asamoah Gyan  
*The Church of Pentecost Paterson District*

Recessional

## **Interment**

St. Peter's Greek Catholic Cemetery  
Garfield, New Jersey

# I'm Free

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free  
I'm following the path God laid for me  
I took his hand when I heard Him call  
I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day.

To laugh, to love, to work or play.  
Tasks left undone must stay that way,  
I found that peace at the close of day.

If my parting has left a void,  
Then fill it up with remembered joy.  
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,  
Oh, yes these things I too will miss.  
Be not burdened with times of sorrow,  
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.

My life's been full, I savored much.  
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.  
Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,  
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.  
Lift up your heart and share with me,  
God wanted me now, He set me free!

-author unknown

## **Acknowledgement**

The family of the late Stephen Asare Agyabeng wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to their family during this time of bereavement. May God Bless and Keep You!

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