



Rose L. Nelson

July 1, 1953 - May 4, 2015

It is with heavy hearts that we announce the home going of our wife, mother, grandmother, sister and niece. Rose Leticia Nelson, age 62, of New Castle, Delaware went home to be with the Lord on May 4th 2015. She was surrounded by her family. Rose was fervent in the things of the Lord. She loved the Lord Jesus Christ with all her heart and was very involved in spreading the good news of Jesus Christ through the way she lived her life. Rose was full of life and carried herself elegantly with a great sense of humor, poise and grace. She worked hard to see that the needs of both immediate and extended families are met. She went above and beyond; doing anything she could to put smiles on the faces of those around her. She not only impacted the lives of her family and relatives but also showed great care and love for her patients she catered to in her life as a nurse.

Rose is survived by her husband of 32 years, Samuel Nelson; son, Jude Nelson and two daughters, Mrs. Joy Femi and her husband David; and Mrs. Faith Tibuah and her husband Fred. She is also survived by her granddaughter Temidayo, her mother, Gladys Yeboah, two brothers, Kofi and Charles, and two sisters, Felicia and Joyce.

Viewing will be held Friday, May 29th at 5pm at the Apostolic Church International, 2042 Sunset Lake Rd., Newark DE 19702, followed by a service of songs in celebration of a life well spent at 8pm.

A second viewing will be held on Saturday May 30th, 2015 from 8-10am at the Apostolic Church International, 2042 Sunset Lake Rd., Newark DE 19702,

followed by internment at the Hickory Grove Cemetery, St. Georges,
Delaware.

Cemetery Details

Hickory Grove Cemetery

Port Penn Road
Middletown, DE

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 29. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Apostolic Church International
2042 Sunset Lake Rd
Newark, DE 19702

Service

MAY 29. 8:00 PM (ET)

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2042 Sunset Lake Rd
Newark, DE 19702

Visitation

MAY 30. 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Gifty lit a candle in memory of Rose L. Nelson* ”



Gifty - May 28, 2015 at 02:49 PM

MC

“ TRIBUTE TO THE LATE ROSE NELSON

BY THE IN-LAWS OF THE NELSON AND CRABBE FAMILIES

There is an ancient Chinese proverb which says that “if you don’t have a smile, don’t open a shop.” SMILE! SMILE! SMILE! That is all that we have known of our dear sister-in-law. She always greeted you with a smile, and she called all of her husband’s brothers “uncle.” It was always “uncle please” this, “uncle please” that; she made sure she had the right connection with everybody.

She was someone who wouldn’t like to see you come to her home and leave without eating something.

Sister Rose, we are grateful to you for having brought our brother this far. You’ve done so much for him and the family, and we are very grateful.

We wish you could have stayed a little longer to enjoy your children and grand-children, but death doesn’t know or care about what man’s wishes are. It comes when it has to.

You are going the way of all flesh and we shall all take that road one day, one way or the other. We are going to miss you, but one thing we are sure of is that you will not miss your way to the Lord’s eternal rest. You served the Lord and always wished to meet Him one day. You have your chance now and the Angels will be waiting to receive you.

Sister Rose, yaa w? ojogba??

Sister Rose, Natew Yie

Sister Rose, Rest in Perfect Peace

Michael Crabbe - May 26, 2015 at 04:56 PM

TA

“ *Mr Sam Nelson ,our condolences goes out to you & your family,We are very saddened to hear about your loss.We hope the Lord will bless you at this difficult time to help ease your pain. We will continue to pray for you.
From Stephen & Theresa Afum. Philadelphia PA.*



Theresa Afum - May 25, 2015 at 09:28 PM

JE

“ *Dear Rose,
It is with much nostalgia that I recall your sweet smile and gentle demeanor, your pleasant ways and motherly personality. You have always been a great inspiration to your younger siblings in Joyful Way. We shall deeply miss you, sweet sister. May you rest from your labors with the Lord whom you served so faithfully. We are very proud of you. Da yie, Sister Rose.
Your brother Croffet*

John Gordon Egyir-Croffet - May 21, 2015 at 02:40 PM

A(

“ Me nua bea Rose,
You called me " me nua berema"(my brother) and that meant a lot to me since my big sister is also called Rose. I just visited the Rose Garden in Portland, Oregon. I also visited a friend and was so attracted to the beautiful roses in front of his house that I could not help but ask for one which I was given. I was prepared to break it off with my hand in spite of the thorns but it was but for me . It was beautiful and smelt sweet. I now have it in a cup in my room here in Portland. I wish I can carry it with me to Ghana.
Rose you really lived your name- beautiful and smelled good- physically and spiritually. I believe God has taken you away to add to the beauty and smell in heaven. Sammy, the Lord needs Rose in heaven, too. Be assured that she is in a better place.
Rose, I will miss you. I saw you as my dear sister. I will not forget our singing together during our middle belt mission trip in Ghana in 1980 when you, Hymore and I sang songs like " Oname ye odomfo, wa ba be dom yen" meaning "God is gracious and has brought his grace on us"; your sweet alto part did the trick. It keeps on ringing in my mind even now.
Oh I cannot stop writing. It hurts to lose such a dear and wonderful person. I really wanted to see you alive, while I visited the US only for you to be called home before my trip, to tell you how much I love and cherish our relationship. But the Lord knows best. Rest in peace.
From
'Wo nua berema', Cosmos.

ALBERT SETH OCRAN (COSMOS) - May 21, 2015 at 10:00 AM

AL

“ Our dear gentle and soft-spoken sister, Among many memories, it was from you I acquired the taste for "green soup". A truly healthy delicacy. You were most loving and caring. Taking the time and pains to show love at great costs and at every opportunity. You remain in our hearts even as we are slowly coming to terms with our great great loss. Rest in perfect peace, my dearest sister, until we meet again. Alice

Alice Sena Lamptey - May 15, 2015 at 07:14 AM

TL

“ Rose was a sweet sister who loved the Lord so much and it showed in her relationship with people. We have lost a 'gem'. She now rests from her labors.

Rose, wo ojogbann.

TVO

T.V.O. Lamptey - May 15, 2015 at 04:28 AM

JU

Rose our relationship goes back to boarding school days at Mmofraturu girls and you remained the same old Rose- sweet and lovely. You will be remembered always for your style of dressing - boots 👢 and hats. Julie

Julie - May 19, 2015 at 04:29 PM

GN

“ Dear Sam and family ,
It is with heavy heart that I send this expression of sisterly love to Rose's family. Concern for patients and her co-workers was always a top-priority for Rose. Prayers&Sympaty,
Griff&Shirley Norman

Griffin&Shirley Norman - May 11, 2015 at 08:00 AM

WF

“ *Witherspoon Family lit a candle in memory of Rose L. Nelson*



Witherspoon Family - May 08, 2015 at 09:48 AM

WF

My family was delighted and honored to receive Sis Rose and Wezie in our home in Tema, Ghana about four years ago. For me, it was a special moment to finally meet the elder sister of my wife, of whom she had spoken so often, respectfully and compassionately. I soon realised the origin of her love of Sis Rose. The few hours spent with her made minced meat of the fact that this was our first meeting. She was warm and sisterly, and exuded all the qualities my wife had spoken of over the years of our marriage - a beautiful soul. I felt her warmth and joy instantly when we met, and her sincerity in expressing her delight at our union manifested magnanimously. Rose will be sorely missed. We are consoled in the knowledge that the good Lord who has already summoned His choicest angels to provide red carpet entry into His heavenly kingdom would grant her soul perpetual rest. To her mother and family, we want to assure you that God knows best. Rose has not died. She has gone to rest and prepare a place for us all. In the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Ghost. Amen.

The Witherspoon Family in Geneva, Switzerland

Witherspoon Family - May 08, 2015 at 10:06 AM

BE

*Dear Sam and family
We are saddened by the Loss of our dear sister and we pray that the Lord will strengthen you and the Great Comforter will comfort you during this time. Rose loved the Lord and she touched many lives who will testify of this.*

Barbara and Jojo Entsuah in Clermont, Florida

Barbara Entsuah - May 15, 2015 at 02:33 AM

SB

Rose, we will miss that endearing smile, the melodious voice, the rich sound of your laughter, and your confident trust in the Lord. Keep on singing, keep on dancing, keep on shouting hallelujah to Lord in the courts of heaven.

Sackey Bennin, London

Sackey Bennin - May 15, 2015 at 05:38 PM

BF

Aunty Rose we miss you extremely. Your Love, kindness, care and above all your passion for God and for the work of God was extraordinary. The last time we visited to pray with you was a week before Easter, you encouraged us to continue in the work of the Ministry. Your life was a testimony, you impacted so many people. Rest in peace in the presence of The Lord.

*Bishop and Lady Fuah
Owings Mills, Maryland*

Bishop Samuel Fuah - May 16, 2015 at 03:22 PM

RA

A Raise to Rose ; Rose will rise .

Rose was her name and making all happy was her game.

*She lived an embodiment of Rose -
so Beautiful to behold*

Sweet to smell - body, home , kitchen even from afar.

*Sweet to taste - from looks, through handiworks from Fanti- Fanti to
English-English to America-America.*

*Sweet to share - her homes were always open , be they in Accra New
Town or American ...town , even when she sojourned in Labadi,
Lartehbiokoshie or London.*

*Sweet to care - she was a lady of the lamp par excellence, with sweet
smiles always.*

Sweet to sing - solo or choral.

*Sweet to clothe - even on crusade grounds her clothes were claimed
for blessings (Acts 19:12), and they were really beautiful too.*

*Sweet together - Rose pulled brethren together in country, church and
court; even in death she pulled us all together like petals of the Rose,
in another round of United prayers.*

*Sweet to fall- she fell graciously having prepared us all for a soft
landing .*

*Sister Rose was a Rose in living and in departing. We, her friends and
brethren in Joyful Way Incorporated and special little brothers
(Lartehbiokoshie threesome - Atua, Ben, Chris) will always remember
her.*

*"Da yie te s€ Rose nhwiren a na wo te no!!" (Rest like the Rose flower
that you were)!!*

*Resoundingly Sister Rose , will rise to glory when He that also fell like
a Rose but trampled upon, yet took that fall graciously, shall appear
together with all of us when the roll is called up yonder. Rose will be
there , sweet as ever.*

Rev. Kofi Ankama-Asamoah

Rev. Kofi Ankama-Asamoah - May 19, 2015 at 10:27 AM