



Novisi Ruth Haizel

March 2, 1947 - July 2, 2022

Tɔgbi James Ocloo VI, Dufia of Keta, Tɔgbi Nukpɔŋku II of Uugã-Zomayi, Mama Ðasewa II of Uugã-Zomayi, Tɔgbi Tenje Dzokoto Gligui VI, Paramount Chief of Amugo-Uego and Dufia of Anyako-Konu; Tɔgbi Tamakloe VI, Paramount Chief of Fugo and Miafiagã of Aŋlɔ, and Kodzo Chapman, acting Head of the Chapman family; Nana Kwame Osei Nyarko III, Paramount Chief of Boso and Boso Gua Traditional Area; Nana Appredontwe, Amansiehene Chief of Fanti Kwamankese Traditional Council, and Abusuapanyin Kojo Enuo, Head of the Quashie family announce the passing of their beloved Novisi Ruth Haizel (née Chapman Nyaho).

Novisi is survived by her husband, J.E.B. Haizel; her children, Jane Esi Haizel, James Kofi Haizel, and Charlotte Ruth Kuukua Haizel; her son-in-law, Stelian Boanca; her grandson, Laurentiu Abeeku Boanca; her siblings, Seloame David Chapman Nyaho (Dr.), Mawunu Mary Chapman Nyaho, Jane Atsiamasi Ogunro, William H. Chapman Nyaho (Prof.); and dear cousins, nieces, and

nephews.

The full obituary can be viewed here: <https://bit.ly/3SedCan>

According to her wishes, Novisi was cremated. A Memorial Service will be held in her honor on Saturday, August 20, 2022, at Church in Bethesda, 5033 Wilson Ln, Bethesda, MD 20814, from 10:30 am to 11:30 am, to be followed by a reception from 11:30 am to 1:30 pm. For more information, and to RSVP, please visit www.rememberingnovisi.com

Cypress Funeral Home & Crematory, 206 W. Lafayette St., Maurice, LA 70555, (337) 740-3123, is in charge of Cremation arrangements.

Tribute Wall

AB

“ My heartfelt sympathies to our dear cousins. I didn't know Novisi well but she always reminded me of dear Auntie Afua. One thing I'll never forget - she made our beautiful wedding cake in 1988, what a treat. May she rest gently in the arms of the Lord.
Anna

Anna Kingsley-Nyinah née Bannerman - August 19, 2022 at 12:18 PM

EB

“ The last time I saw my cousin Novisi was at my sister Anna's wedding in London in 1988.
Novisi invited me to have tea at her house the following afternoon. We had a lovely time reminiscing about the good old days in Accra. She treated me to some of her delicious homemade cookies and cake.
Rest in peace dear Novisi.
My husband Horace(Akwei) and I send our condolences to the entire family.
Esi

Esi Laryea(née Bannerman) - August 17, 2022 at 08:37 PM

PT

“ Her gentle soul is resting peacefully with our Lord. The sweet memories of her will remain in our hearts and we will forever miss her. Rest in Perfect Peace Dearest Novisi. Our sincerest condolences to the whole family. From Pat, Eileen, and Linda.

Pat Takyi-Quashie - August 17, 2022 at 06:24 PM

IA

“ A loving and caring auntie and a calming and welcoming smile.

Immanuel Kofi Agamah - August 17, 2022 at 01:58 PM

FG

“ From Mary Aka and Family, Geneva/Swiss purchased the White Mum and Red Lily Mix (Silk Cemetery Flowers) for the family of Novisi Ruth Haizel.



From Mary Aka and Family, Geneva/Swiss - August 06, 2022 at 10:17 AM

EG

“ Auntie Novisi, a kind and easy going soul. You saw the good in everybody. We remember the Christmases we shared together as family in London. May God almighty rest your beautiful soul. We will miss you so much.

Eric Ebow Gaisie

Eric Ebow Gaisie - July 07, 2022 at 04:08 PM

RG

Ahhh. Novisi, you slipped away with no warning! Not like you at all, at all. Well, the good Lord knows best and we're left with so many happy memories. Your giggle for one. And also your often irreverent, sharp sense of humour. Or should I say your comments on what was going on around you. Remember 'Oh let the kettle boil on so the water gets hotter'? And the wicked look you threw in response? So I celebrate knowing you for all these years. I know you are giggling up there. Till we meet again Mwaah!

Roberta Gardiner - August 04, 2022 at 12:55 PM

CM

I have just recovered this on the internet. I have very happy memories of Novishi from many years ago in London. We lived in flats in the same house overlooking Parliament Hill Fields. David, Novishi and Roberta were young and full of life . We shared happy times together with their wonderful music playing. It is so good to see she has sons and daughters and grandchildren. Her mother and father looked after me when I travelled to Ghana - will never forget.

Carol McCallum

Carol McCallum - November 19, 2025 at 09:04 AM