

Mrs.

Cecilia Ofunwa

née Akubueze



Our beloved Obianubeli

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A mother's love.
A family's lasting treasure.

A life held in love

With gratitude to God for a life lovingly remembered, the family announces the passing of our beloved mother, Mrs. Cecilia Ofunwa (née Akubueze), affectionately known as Obianubeli, aged 72.

Her children, family and friends hold her memory close. May she rest peacefully in the loving care of God.

Funeral arrangements

All times are local to Nigeria.

Friday, 20 November 2026

Service of Songs · 4:00 pm

Ofunwa's Compound, Umu-Okoya, Ndoni, Ogba Egbema L.G.A., Rivers State.

Saturday, 21 November 2026

Funeral proceedings · 10:00 am

Departure from the mortuary; a brief stop at her family compound in Umu-Agbidi, Ogbe-Ukwu Ndoni; then lying in state at her husband's home, Ofunwa's Compound, Umu-Okoya, Ndoni. Reception and condolence visits follow the service.

Sunday, 22 November 2026

Thanksgiving · 10:00 am

Assemblies of God Church, Ndoni, Rivers State.

A tribute from Samuel

Samuel Ofunwa · First son · United Kingdom

To my beloved mother, my Obianubeli

Mummy, it is difficult to find words for the pain of losing you. How do I say goodbye to the woman who gave me life, when so much of who I am will always be connected to her?

Being your first son is an honour I will carry for the rest of my life. Before I became the man the world knows today, I was your son. Whatever age I reach, there will always be a part of me that longs for his mummy.

Obianubeli, I wish we had more time. More conversations, more laughter, more opportunities to say, "Mummy, I love you." There is so much I would still like to share with you, and so much I wish I could hear you say again.

As I mourn you, I also thank God for your life and for the privilege of calling you my mother. Seventy-two years can be written in a single line, but no number can contain what your life means to those you leave behind.

As your first son, I want to honour your memory through the way I live: by caring for our family, making room for one another, and remembering that the time we have together is precious. May we keep your memory alive with love, even through our grief.

Rest peacefully, my precious mummy. Rest in the loving care of God. You will always have a place in my heart that belongs to you alone.

I love you, Mummy. I always will.

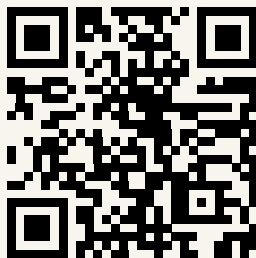
Your first son,
Samuel Ofunwa

Thank you

for remembering her with us.

Your presence, prayers and words of comfort mean so much. We offer this keepsake with love, as a small remembrance of our beloved Cecilia.

May her memory remain a blessing to those who knew and loved her.



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