



Young People's Front for Democracy and Justice – North America Statement on the Passing of Major General Gebregziabher Andemariam

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We are deeply saddened to learn that Major General Gebregziabher Andemariam (Wuchu), Chief of Staff of the Eritrean Armed Forces, passed away yesterday at the age of 64. The late Major General served for over four decades in defense of Eritrea. He joined the Liberation Forces as a young man in 1971, and due to his leadership and strategic abilities, rose through the ranks to become Front Commander during the War for Independence. Major General Gebregziabher will be remembered for his courage and selflessness in battle. He was unique also in his support and concern for young soldiers, especially the Warsai generation. Major General Gebregziabher is survived by his wife and 8 children. YPFDJ-NA expresses its deepest condolences to the bereaved family, the Eritrean Defense Forces and Eritreans everywhere.

Zelalemawi Zikhri n'Semaetatna!

Awet N'Hafash!