

UNITED DEMOCRATIC FRONT

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re: Death of Japhta Masemola

The UDF learnt with a great shock and sadness of the untimely death of Mr. Japhta Masemola.

Japh sacrificed twenty-six years of his precious life to rid our country of the scourge of racism and to see built on its ruins a free, non-racial democratic South Africa. We salute his courage and determination.

Regretably his sudden death has deprived him of a share in the fruit of his sacrifices.

His death is certainly a loss to the people of South Africa and to the entire liberation Movement. He will be missed by his family, friends and especially his organisation the Pan Africanist Congress.

We join all South Africans of goodwill in mourning his death.

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