

BIOGRAPHY
OF
BENNETT D. MINNIS

I am a Native of Clarence Town, Long Island and the first born of Fourteen (14) children of the Late Mr. & Mrs. Edward and Edna (Strachan) Minnis. I attended Clarence Town All Age School and later relocated to Nassau where I continued my education at the Nassau Technical Institute and later became a Certified Licensed Plumber and I am now a self-employed Businessman and Owner/Manager of Bennett Minnis Plumbing Company.

I was proudly raised as an Anglican and presently attend Christ the King Anglican Church in Ridgeland Park where I am a Vestry Member and also a Member of Christ the King Anglican Church Men's Group. I am a former President of the Anglican Diocesan Youth Council and a former Youth Officer of the Anglican Diocese.

In service of the various Free National Movement governing administrations, I have served as a Member of the Town Planning Board, the Hotel Licence Board and the Real Property Tax Board. I presently serve with great honour as the Chairman of the Mt. Moriah Constituency Association and have done so for over thirty (30) years. In addition, I am a Member of the Toastmaster International Club 1095, an active community worker and activist and civic-minded.

My hobbies are working with the youth and the elderly and with great passion and effortlessly campaigning for the Free National Movement Party along with spending quality time with my family and socializing with church and political friends.

I am married to the beautiful Virginia Minnis and Proud Father of three (3) lovely daughters: Cherry, Janice & Brittany; two (2) gorgeous grand-daughters: Dejan and Gerri and one (1) handsome step-grandson: Devanardo.