

# Football Player Profile



**Name:** Mrisho Alfani Ngasa  
**Date of Birth:** 12th April, 1989  
**Age:** 19years  
**Place of birth:** Mwanza, Tanzania  
**Nationality:** Tanzania  
**Country of residence:** Tanzania  
**Position:** Right Winger

**Position:** Supporting Striker/Offensive Midfielder (Alternative)  
**Present Club:** Azam FC, Tanzania  
**Contract Till:** 30th June 2012  
**Height:** 164cm  
**Weight:** 67kg  
**Marital status:** Married  
**Best leg:** Both foot  
**Shirt Nr:** 8  
**Language spoken:** English & Kiswahili

## PAST CLUBS

**2005-2006:** Kagera Sugar FC, Tanzania  
**2006-2007:** Yanga SC , Tanzania  
**2007-2008:** Yanga SC , Tanzania  
**2008-2009:** Yanga SC , Tanzania  
**2009-2010:** Yanga SC , Tanzania  
**2010....:** Azam FC , Tanzania

## NATIONAL CAPS:

Member	Tanzania Junior National Championship (2000)
Member	Tanzania National U-17 team (African Youth Championship)
Member	The U-20 African Youth Championship (2006)

2008:World Cup 2010/African Cup of Nations Qualifier games:

Tanzania	Vs	Cameroon (Away)
Tanzania	Vs	Cape -Verde (Away) (Mr isho scored 1goal)
Tanzania	Vs	Mauritius (Home)
Tanzania	Vs	Ghana (Home)
Tanzania	Vs	Sudan (Home)



2008:New CAF Introduced Tournament: Champion of African Nations CHAN 2009 Ivory Coast

Tanzania Vs Kenya (Away)  
 Tanzania Vs Kenya (Home)  
 Tanzania Vs Uganda (Home)  
 Tanzania Vs Uganda (away)  
 Tanzania Vs Sudan (Home)1goal  
 Tanzania Vs Sudan (Away) 1goal  
 East and Central Africa (CECAFA 2007)  
 Challenge Cup Dar es Salaam

Tanzania Vs Kenya  
 Tanzania Vs Somalia  
 Tanzania Vs Burundi  
 Tanzania Vs Sudan

East and Central Africa (CECAFA 2008)  
 Challenge Cup Kampala

Tanzania Vs Somalia  
 Tanzania Vs Zanzibar  
 Tanzania Vs Rwanda  
 Tanzania Vs Uganda  
 Tanzania Vs Kenya  
 Tanzania Vs Burundi

East and Central Africa (CECAFA 2009)  
 Challenge Cup Nairobi (Ngassa top goal scorer with 6 goals @ 6 games

Tanzania Vs Uganda  
 Tanzania Vs Zanzibar  
 Tanzania Vs Burundi  
 Tanzania Vs Elitrea  
 Tanzania Vs Zanzibar

#### INTERNATIONAL FRIENDLY GAMES:

Tanzania Vs Kenya

Tanzania Vs Yemen

Tanzania Vs Angola

Tanzania Vs Zambia

Tanzania Vs Uganda

Tanzania Vs Mozambique

Tanzania Vs Ghana



#### CAF Champions League (2006)

Young Africans FC Vs Zanaco FC, Zambia (Home & Away)

#### CAF Champions League (2007)

Young Africans FC Vs AGSM FC, Comoros (Home & Away)

Young Africans FC Vs Atletico Petroleos Luanda, Angola (Home & Away)

Young Africans FC Vs Esperance ST, Tunisia (Home & Away)

#### CAF Confederation Cup League (2007)

Young Africans FC Vs Al Merrikh, Sudan (Home & Away)

#### CAF Confederation Cup League (2008)

Young Africans FC Vs AS Adema, Madagascar (Home & Away)

Young Africans FC Vs Al Akhdar, Libya (Home & Away)

Mrisho had excellent performances in all matches, showing more confidence, possessing the ball, passing, inspiring the team to win the game and super pace.

#### HONOURS :

Winners of Tusker Cup (2005)

Champions of Tanzania Premier League (2006)

Champions of Tanzania Premier League (2008)

Champions of Tusker Cup 2007

Tanzania FA- Player of the year Award (2008)

Second Runners Up for East & Central African Club

Championship(2008)

MVP Award by the FA (2008)

Man of the match-Tanzania Vs Sudan (2008)

CAF Champions League Qualifiers (2009)

#### INFO:

During National Team training Camps in Brazil and Europe 2007/2008:

Mrisho played against:

Tanzania Vs Vasco da Gama, Brazil

Tanzania Vs Flacio de Sa, Brazil

Tanzania Vs BK Skjold ( Sweden )

Tanzania Vs Yverdon Sports SC, Switzerland

Tanzania Vs Baulmes FC, Switzerland

Tanzania Vs Al Tadamon, Kuwait



# PROFESSIONAL QUALITIES:

Mrsho is a powerful and dynamic right wing player. He is very skilful and has super shot. He is fast, good technique and perfect ball control. He is good on pace and excellent on flank.

Mrsho is the hit man and a brave motivator in the Tanzania senior National team. His super ability to take on defense and his fantastic pull out from the wing has distinguished him as a great player with classic qualities. He is also the most improved young Tanzanian player with current form he displays during the FIFA World Cup 2010 African qualifiers.

He is ever consistent and plays with the team. He is an unusual player, highly creative and has the skills to take on defenders with ease. As a versatile right-footed player, Ngassa excels at in the middle or on either wing and is so versatile as to even as a centre forward. His strength and speed challenge defenders and provide him with the physical tools to maximize all scoring opportunities.

With his excellent corner and free kick, Ngassa has proven himself to be the most talented player in the country. His maturity and skill at

reading the field are unseen in other players his age. Consequently, it is surprising that for such a young player, he is totally undaunted by the task of moving past any defender.

Despite his youth, Ngassa is a cool-headed player able to assume multiple player-leader positions simultaneously. He illustrated this strength as a player marker in the last mainland league season where he scored fourteen goals in twenty games, making him the second top goal-scorer in the league.

In the CECAFA Cup in Nairobi, 2009, Ngassa was the top goal scorer with six goals in six games for the Tanzanian national team. Consequently, he was awarded the Best Player of the League 2009/2010 by the Tanzanian Football Federation (TFF).

As a player whose potential has yet to be reached, Ngassa currently holds the distinction of being the most expensive player in Tanzania football history after having been transferred to Azam FC from Young Africans in a deal worth over \$70,000. Although this is an exceptional amount for such a young player, Ngassa continues to develop as a footballer and will continue to lead his countrymen in greatness.

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