

## Today's Martyrs – December 1956

Tuesday December 25, 1956

Christmas – Western Calendar



### United States - Alabama: Birmingham

Rev Frederick Lee 'Fred' Shuttlesworth (husband of Ruby Keeler Shuttlesworth, escaped with a minor injury in an assassination attempt by white supremacists, sixteen sticks of dynamite were detonated under his bedroom window, house heavily damaged)

Ruby Keeler Shuttlesworth (wife of Rev Frederick Lee 'Fred' Shuttlesworth, escaped uninjured)

Deacon Charles Robinson (guest in the Shuttlesworth home, escaped uninjured)

[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Fred\\_Shuttlesworth](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Fred_Shuttlesworth)

<http://www.thehistorymakers.com/biography/rev-fred-shuttlesworth-41>

<http://archive.cincinnati.com/article/20111005/NEWS01/111005023/Rev-Fred-Shuttlesworth-dead-89>

Friday December 28, 1956



### Algeria: Ouled-Djellal, Biskra

Fr Rene Husson M.Afr (aged 45, French citizen, **killed**)

[http://newsaints.faithweb.com/new\\_martyrs/Algeria.htm](http://newsaints.faithweb.com/new_martyrs/Algeria.htm)

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