

## Today's Martyrs – August 1959

**Tuesday August 4, 1959**



### **Romania: Bucharest**

Bishop Ioan Balan (aged 79, arrested in Lugoj in October 1948; UPDATE: died of natural causes, never sentenced or released)

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ioan\\_B%C4%83lan](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ioan_B%C4%83lan)

**Sunday August 30, 1959**



### **Cameroon: Bonaberi, Littoral**

Fr Francois-Xavier Musslin SCJ (aged 42, French citizen, killed)

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

**August 1959, date unknown**