

## Today's Martyrs – August 1965

**Friday August 20, 1965**



### **United States – Alabama: Haynesville**

Jonathan Myrick Daniels (aged 26, seminarian, civil rights activist, **shot dead** by a deputy when he pushed another activist out of the way of a shotgun blast, had been trying to buy soft drinks at a mixed race store)

Ruby Sales (aged 17, pushed out of the way of a deputy's shotgun blast by Jonathan Myrick Daniels)

Fr Richard F Morrisroe (shot in the back while fleeing the shooting scene, severely injured, survived)

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Jonathan\\_Daniels](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Jonathan_Daniels)

**Monday August 23, 1965**



### **Sudan – now South Sudan: Wau, Western Bahr el Ghazal**

Fr Barnaba Deng MCCI (aged 29, **killed**)

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

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