

Today's Martyrs – December 2000

Saturday December 2, 2000



India: Sugnu, Manipur state

Fr John Chittrinapilli (aged 30, abducted by gunmen from his church, **found dead** hours later)

<http://www.catholicdoors.com/news/martyrs2.htm>

Tuesday December 5, 2000



Uganda: Gulu

Dr Matthew Christopher Lukwiya (hospital superintendent, **died of Ebola**, had encouraged his staff to not abandon patients)

http://www.scilog.com/sankore_scriptures/a-cwinye-leng-on-the-ebola-frontline-the-heroes-of-lacor/

Friday December 15, 2000



India: Andaman Islands

Fr John Peter (**beaten and stabbed to death** by 16 men at his home for spreading Christianity)

<http://www.catholicdoors.com/news/martyrs2.htm>

Thursday December 28, 2000



Philippines: Jolo, Sulu

Fr Benjamin Inocencio OMI (aged 42, **shot dead** by Muslim rebels)

http://newsaints.faithweb.com/new_martyrs/Philippines2.htm

<http://www.catholicdoors.com/news/martyrs2.htm>

Sunday December 31, 2000



Saint Lucia: Castries

Fr Charles Gaillard (aged 62, **set afire** along with several others when four members of a breakaway Rastafarian group attacked the cathedral, **later died** from his burns)

Joyce Auguiste (witnessed the attack)

Sr Theresa Egan (aged 73, Irish national, **beaten to death**)

http://newsaints.faithweb.com/new_martyrs/Saint_Lucia.htm

<http://www.indcatholicnews.com/news.php?viewStory=11638>

<http://www.telesurtv.net/english/news/Saint-Lucia-Cathedral-Killers-Sentenced-to-Life-Imprisonment-20150504-0026.html>

<http://www.nytimes.com/2001/01/01/world/men-attack-worshipers-at-st-lucia-cathedral-killing-one.html>

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