

Today's Martyrs – May 2001

Saturday May 5, 2001



Guatemala: Guatemala City

Sr Barbara Anne Ford SC (aged 64, U.S. citizen, **shot dead**)

<http://www.zenit.org/en/articles/fbi-in-guatemala-to-probe-murder-of-u-s-nun>

Monday May 7, 2001



Peru: South Isidro

Fr Ramon Gamache Berube PME (**killed** by robbers in his parish)

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

Thursday May 10, 2001



Sri Lanka: Negomba

Fr Bernard Costa (aged 76, **killed** in his vestry)

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Sunday May 13, 2001



Russia: Tyrnyauz, Kabardino-Balkar Republic, North Caucasus

Fr Igor Rozin (husband, **stabbed to death**, had received death threats)

Valentina Varapaeva (church worker, mother of small children, witnessed the murder of Fr Igor Rozin)

<http://facingislam.blogspot.com/2013/05/murdered-priest-hailed-martyr.html>

Tuesday May 15, 2001



India: Imphal

Three killed in an attack by three gunmen in an attack on a novitiate

Fr Andreas Kindo SDB (aged 32, **shot dead**)

Joseph Shinu Joseph (aged 25, seminarian, **shot dead**)

Fr Raphael Paliakara SDB (aged 43, **shot dead**)

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