

Today's Martyrs – July 2002

Monday July 8, 2002



Canada: Saskatoon, Saskatchewan

Fr John Kratko (aged 61, beaten into a coma, hospitalized)

<http://archiver.rootsweb.ancestry.com/th/read/PolandBorderSurnames-OBITUARIES/2002-07/1027388663>

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

Sunday July 14, 2002



Colombia: Mogotes, Santander region

Sr Marta Ines Velez Serna (aged 44, **shot dead** by masked gunmen)

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

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

Thursday July 18, 2002



Pakistan

Anwar Kenneth (mentally ill, convicted of blasphemy and sentenced to death for claiming to be an incarnation of Jesus Christ)

http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/hi/south_asia/2136291.stm

Friday July 19, 2002



Canada: Saskatoon, Saskatchewan

Fr John Kratko (aged 61, beaten into a coma on [July 8, 2002](#), hospitalized; **UPDATE: died**)

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Sunday July 21, 2002



Colombia: Medellin

Carlos Herras Jimenez (seminarian, **killed**)

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Tuesday July 30, 2002



Cameroon: near Maroua

Br Ivo M Dominique Lascanne (**killed** by one of the street children he had rescued)

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July 2002, date unknown