

Today's Martyrs – December 2005

Friday December 2, 2005



Iraq: Kirkuk

Sarmad Bahnam Ibrahim (**killed**)

<http://indefenseofchristians.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/03/Genocide-report.pdf>

Monday December 5, 2005



Iraq: Bagdad

Raad Hormoz Neamo (**killed**)

Safaa Ghanim Tobeya (**killed**)

<http://indefenseofchristians.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/03/Genocide-report.pdf>

Thursday December 22, 2005



Laos

Pastor Aroun Voraphom (arrested in 1996 and detained for more than a year, **UPDATE**: beaten, **killed**)

<http://www.asianews.it/news-en/Evangelical-clergyman-killed-in-Laos-5015.html>

Sunday December 25, 2005

Christmas – Western calendar



Kenya: Nairobi

Fr Philip Valayam SDB (aged 46, **shot dead** by robbers while returning home after midnight Mass)

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

Monday December 26, 2005



Iraq: Bagdad

Monzir Curcas Garo (**killed**)

<http://indefenseofchristians.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/03/Genocide-report.pdf>

Wednesday December 28, 2005



South Africa: Ngqeleni, East Cape

Sr Margaret Branchen (aged 74, midwife, Swiss national, **shot dead** in a burglary at her clinic)

<http://www.fides.org/en/news/6466#.VfnoasLlsfg>

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