

Today's Martyrs – August 2010

Tuesday August 10, 2010



United States - Ohio

Fathima Rifqa Bary (aged 18, convert, Sri Lankan citizen, ran away from her parents' home in [New Albany, Ohio](#) in [July 2009](#) after they discovered her conversion and threatened to “take care of her”, travelled by bus to [Orlando, Florida](#); an [Orlando, Florida](#) court ruled on [October 13, 2009](#) that she be returned to [Ohio](#), **UPDATE**: case closed due to reaching the age of majority, went into hiding)

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Rifqa_Bary_controversy

Saturday August 21, 2010



Iraq: Qaraqosh

Loai Bahnam Saaour (**killed**)

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

Thursday August 26, 2010



Iraq: Mosul

Loai Ghanim Alsaaouar (**killed**)

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

Monday August 30, 2010



Afghanistan: Kandahar province

Rev Dale Goetz (aged 43, husband of Christy, father of Landon, Caleb and Joel, U.S. Army chaplain, **killed in action** by an improvised explosive device along with four other soldiers)

<http://articles.latimes.com/2010/dec/02/nation/la-na-chaplain-20101202>

<http://www.christianpost.com/news/death-of-us-army-chaplain-in-war-zone-marks-1st-in-40-years-46613/>

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