Today's Martyrs

Resources for understanding current Christian witness and martyrdom

Events – June 1921

Wednesday June 1, 1921



United States - Oklahoma: Tulsa

End of the Tulsa Race Massacre: Up to 300 African-Americans would be killed and 40 city blocks including up to 16 churches would be destroyed in a 24 hour riot

Mary Jo Erhard (YWCA resident, hid a YWCA African-American employee from rioters)

O T Johnson (Salvation Army commandant, later supervised the burials of 120 African-Americans in unmarked graves)

The Tulsa Massacre of 1921 – pg 50, 53

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