

Today's Martyrs

Resources for understanding current Christian witness and martyrdom

Events – March 1982

Sunday March 21, 1982



Mozambique: Pembe, Inhambane

Br Francisco do Nascimento Morais OFM (aged 57, Portuguese national, **killed**)

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

March 1982, date unknown



Russia: Perm-36 labor camp

Viktor Nekipelov (aged 54, saved from death from untreated acute kidney failure after 16 fellow prisoners slit their wrists in protest, hospitalized)

Alexander Ogorodnikov (aged 31, Christian Seminar member, husband of Yelena Levashova, father of Dima; arrested in [Redkino](#) for parasitism on [November 20, 1978](#); trial in [Konakovo](#) ended on [January 11, 1979](#), sentenced to 1 year's imprisonment; released from prison in [Leningrad](#) on [November 20, 1979](#), re-arrested as he left the prison gate on anti-Soviet agitation charges; found guilty of anti-Soviet agitation in [Tver](#) on [September 8, 1980](#), sentenced to 5 years' imprisonment followed by 3 years' internal exile; **UPDATE:** slit his wrists along with 15 others to protest the attempt to kill Viktor Nekipelov via withheld medical treatment, survived)

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