Today's Martyrs

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Events – November 1996

Wednesday November 6, 1996



Congo, Democratic Republic aka Zaire: Jomba, Nord-Kivu

Sr Laurentie Sebarija Nyirangumiliza (aged 40, killed)

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

Saturday November 9, 1996



India: Bashabari, Barpeta

Lilly James Cherukarokunnel VDB (aged 42, killed)

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

Friday November 15, 1996



Congo, Democratic Republic aka Zaire: Jomba, Nord-Kivu

Sr Colette Vunabandi Ngerageze (aged 36, killed)

Fr Constantin Gatuku (killed)

Sr Josephine Adolphine Gakondo Nyirampgabakuze (aged 26, killed)

Sr Judith Gatungu (killed)

Sr Marie Anastasi Semutwe (killed)

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

Wednesday November 27, 1996



Rwanda

Bishop Phocas Nikwigize (aged 77, seized by Rwanda Patriotic Army members while trying to enter the country with missionaries)

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

Saturday November 30, 1996



Rwanda

Bishop Phocas Nikwigize (aged 77, seized by Rwanda Patriotic Army members while trying to enter the country with missionaries on November 27, 1996; **UPDATE**: believed to have been killed)

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

November 1996, date unknown