

Today's Martyrs

Resources for understanding current Christian witness and martyrdom

Events – June 2004

Tuesday June 1, 2004



Iraq: Al Ghadeer, Bagdad

Alice Ara Mayess (**killed**)

Ayda Bedros Boghos (**killed**)

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

Wednesday June 2, 2004



Iraq: Bagdad

Saher Farag Moshy Merkhay (**killed**)

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

Thursday June 3, 2004



Iraq

Bashaar Taleaa Matta Fondokly (**killed**)

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



Eritrea: Asmara

Pastor Meron Gebreselasie (anesthesiologist, arrested)

<https://www.worldwatchmonitor.org/2016/04/4407264/>

Saturday June 5, 2004



Iraq: Al Dura, Bagdad

Ramzya Anoya Youkhanna (**killed**)

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

Monday June 7, 2004



Iraq: Al Dura, Bagdad

Dread Sabry Hanna (**killed**)

Hisham Omar (**killed**)

Isho Nissan Morkos (**killed**)

Iraq: Al Ghadeer, Bagdad

Mona Galal Kareem (**killed**)

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

Wednesday June 9, 2004



Iraq: Mosul

Deryawish Bahram (**killed**)

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

Wednesday June 23, 2004



Iraq: Basra

Janett Sada Odisho (**killed**)

Shaza Sada Odisho (**killed**)

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

Thursday June 24, 2004



Iraq: Mosul

Maher Matta Youssef (**killed**)

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

Saturday June 26, 2004



Iraq: Ramadi, Al Anbar

Faaiz Rahim Merouky (killed)

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

Monday June 28, 2004



Iraq: Bagdad

Adnan Solaka Yelda (killed)

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



Russia: Moscow

Fr Dimitri Dudko (aged 82, widower, father of Mikhail and Natalya, arrested in 1948 at seminary for having written poems against Stalin; released in 1956; ordained in 1960; priestly faculties temporarily suspended on May 4, 1974 after he allowed a question to be asked in his church that was critical of the Moscow Patriarch, transferred two weeks later to a church in Kabanovo, two hours from Moscow by rail; fired by his bishop in December 1975 for preaching on social problems such as alcoholism and abortion; assigned to a parish in Grebnevo outside Moscow in April 1976; arrested on January 15, 1980; confessed on television to anti-government activities on June 20, 1980; released from prison on June 21, 1980; **UPDATE: died of natural causes**)

https://orthodoxwiki.org/Dmitri_Dudko

June 2004, date unknown