

# Today's Martyrs

*Resources for understanding current Christian witness and martyrdom*

## Events – April 2011

**Sunday April 10, 2011**



### **Nigeria: Mararaban Liman Katagun**

Rev Isma Dogari (forced into a mosque, handed a Quran and told that he would live if he denounced Jesus, replied "You need Jesus Christ in your lives", taken outside and **stabbed to death**)

<http://morningstarnews.org/2015/10/nigerias-slain-indigenous-missionaries-leave-legacy-of-faith/>

**Monday April 11, 2011**



### **Egypt: Cairo**

Amal Shaky (aged 14, daughter of Zakaria, college student, abducted)

Zakaria (father of Amal Shaky)

<http://www.persecution.org/2016/06/12/wave-of-kidnappings-rock-upper-egypts-christian-community-part-4/>

**Wednesday April 2011**



## **Egypt: Cairo**

Amal Shaky (aged 14, daughter of Zakaria, college student, abducted on [April 11, 2011](#);  
**UPDATE:** freed after her family located her)

Zakaria (father of Amal Shaky)

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**April 2011, date unknown**



## **China: Beijing**

Pastor Jin Tianming (placed under house arrest)

<https://www.chinaaid.org/2021/01/after-nine-years-house-church-pastor.html>



## **Turkey: Istanbul**

David Byle (aged 41, Canadian-U.S. citizen, husband of Ulrike, father of five, detained by two police officers with a deportation order on [March 9, 2010](#); **UPDATE:** court ruled that the deportation order was illegal)

<http://morningstarnews.org/2016/04/u-s-evangelist-in-turkey-detained-ordered-to-be-deported/>



## **Mexico: Ciudad Juarez**

Pastor Eduardo Garcia (father of Abraham and Griselda; said “The telephone rang [in [October 2009](#)] and I heard my wife yell. I was on the second floor, but I heard her cry ‘No!’ very loudly. So I went downstairs quickly and asked, ‘What happened?’ And she just said, ‘They killed Abraham’”; **UPDATE:** paid a ransom to release his daughter)

Griselda (daughter of Pastor Eduardo Garcia, abducted, released after a ransom was paid)

<https://www.worldwatchmonitor.org/2017/04/christians-easy-targets-in-mexicos-lawless-borderlands/>

