

# Today's Martyrs

*Resources for understanding current Christian witness and martyrdom*

## Events – October 2021

**Friday October 8, 2021**



**Uganda: Kakoro village, Butebo district**

Jafalan Muduwa (wife, mother of a son aged 8, secret convert from Islam, slapped by her husband after he discovered her Bible, locked in a room with her son and starved)

<https://morningstarnews.org/2021/10/muslim-relatives-beat-starve-christians-in-eastern-uganda/>

**Friday October 15, 2021**



**United Kingdom: Leigh-on-Sea, Essex, England**

Sir David Anthony Andrew Amess (aged 69, husband, father of five, Member of Parliament, **stabbed to death** by a self-proclaimed jihadist)

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/David\\_Amess](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/David_Amess)

**Saturday October 16, 2021**



**Uganda: along the Bukoova road, Luuka district**

Alex Mukasa (aged 60, brother of Elukana Kyotanalya, church elder, **beheaded**)

Elukana Kyotanalya (brother of Alex Mukasa, said his brother had been threatened for converting three Muslims: “He was given two weeks to vacate the place before he would meet his death...It was at 7 a.m. on Oct. 17 when I got information that his motorcycle was abandoned along the Bukoova road, and that his body was beheaded and dumped in a sugarcane plantation. The assailants carried away his head”)

<https://morningstarnews.org/2021/11/muslim-extremists-suspected-in-killing-of-church-elder-in-uganda/>

**Monday October 18, 2021**



**Uganda: Kakoro village, Butebo district**

Jafalan Muduwa (wife, mother of a son aged 8, secret convert from Islam, slapped by her husband on [October 8, 2021](#) after he discovered her Bible, locked in a room with her son and starved; **UPDATE**: escaped, said “People were very shocked to see the state we were in. I thank God that we’re still alive. I cannot think rightly at the moment. We need prayers so that God may restore back our health”)

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**Tuesday October 19, 2021**



**Uganda: Tororo town, Tororo district**

Mustafa Obbo (convert from Islam since 2018, beaten by relatives after he attempted to visit his seriously ill mother, said “I thought they had forgotten all about my conversion. As I arrived home, my dad and uncles ambushed me, tied me up and flogged me with several long sticks and said they were going to kill me if I did not recant my Christian faith...But by grace, as they were sending someone for petrol to burn me up, a Toyota vehicle was approaching the homestead. When they saw the vehicle entering the compound, they took off each in his direction”, sustained injuries to both legs, including a bone fracture in one, a back injury, bleeding and swelling, escaped)

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**Tuesday October 26, 2021**



**Uganda: Nangonde, Namutumba district**

Pastor Stephen Lugwire (aged 58, husband, father of a son and seven daughters including Brenda Lugwire, **murdered** on his grazing land for having refused to demolish his church building)

Brenda Lugwire (aged 23, daughter of Pastor Stephen Lugwire, witnessed the attack on her father: “There and then one of the assailants hit my dad with a big stick on the head, and he fell down”, fled for help)

Fred Mukisa Ndyeki (reported that local Christians were angered by the inaction of Muslim officials after the murder of Pastor Stephen Lugwire and six days later destroyed the local mosque and other Muslim properties)

<https://morningstarnews.org/2021/11/pastor-slain-for-refusing-to-remove-church-building/>

**October 2021, date unknown**

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