



Photography: Detail of the Icon of the Martyrs of Tarragona (Spain), in Esglesia dels Pares Carmelites

Let Us Not Forget the Martyrs

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The Carmelite teaching Brothers died on 11 November 1936, they are one of the 522 martyrs of the Church of Tarragona; and were beatified on 13th october 2013.

Sometimes it seems that we forget the Palautian martyrs. Moreover, it should really be noted that they represent an enormous pain for our family, both because of their bloody death and because with them the possibility of a particular experience of our charism dies. However, at the same time, they are a strong testimony of how far the total surrender to love goes, because without having harmed anyone they were persecuted and shot simply for their faith.

Luís Domingo, Julio, Buenaventura and Isidro represent all categories of the Spanish people, each in the particularity of their lives. And these are just a few of our brothers because, as a result of the spanish civil war, the Carmelite Teaching Brothers' branch disappeared. As a result of the above, there are more martyred brothers, but they have not yet been recognised for their martyrdom.

Among looting, burning of churches and convents, violence against bishops, priests and religious, expropriation of ecclesiastical properties, seclusion of all religious activities within churches, limitation and total control of religious orders, their activities and any public manifestation of the Catholic faith, it seems that these sons of Palau were called to share in their lives the same persecutions that their founder had faced in his time. Just for this, and for many more things that time and space do not allow us to recount, let us not forget the Martyrs.

REMEMBER...

Celebrations, memorials and events of our Palautian family to keep in mind.

07 11 22

LITURGICAL FEAST BL. FRANCISCO PALAU

08 11 22

LITURGICAL FEAST OF ST. ELIZABETH OF THE TRINITY

14 11 22

LITURGICAL FEAST ALL SAINTS CARMELITES

14 12 22

LITURGICAL FEAST OF ST. JOHN OF THE CROSS

17 12 22

REPORT DECLARATION VENERABLE T. MIRA (1996)

29 12 22

BIRTH OF BLESSED FRANCISCO PALAU (1811)

26 02 23

DEATH OF TERESA MIRA (1941)

20 03 23

DEATH OF BL. FRANCISCO PALAU (1872)

02 04 23

PRIESTLY ORDINATION OF F. PALAU (1836)

24 04 23

BEATIFICATION OF FRANCISCO PALAU (1988)

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