In Memoriam

United Nations

Fallen in the Cause of Peace

Every day, in field operations around the world, men and women serve under the flag of the United Nations to build and maintain peace, to relieve human suffering, and to promote human rights and sustainable development.

With integrity, commitment and courage they meet humanity's greatest challenges, overcoming any fears for their personal safety or security. Tragically, in this noble endeavour, there are those who make the ultimate sacrifice.

In honour of their memory, we dedicate ourselves to continuing their mission, at Headquarters and in the field. We share the grief of their loved ones and pledge ourselves to ensuring that their sacrifice in the service of the United Nations will not have been in vain.

United Nations peacekeepers who lost their lives in the service of peace January - December 2006

Afghanistan	Mr	Jawid	AHMAD	UNAMA	24 October 2006
Argentina	Mr	Miguel	ALBERTO	UNMIS	27 September 2006
Australia	Mr	Brian	PALMER	UNMIS	1 May 2006
Austria	Major	Hans Peter	LANG	UNTSO	25 July 2006
	Warrant Officer 1	Wolfgang	TSCHON	UNDOF	17 January 2006
Bangladesh	Lance Corporal	SM Miraz	AHMED	UNOCI	25 August 2006
	Private	Abdul	HALIM	UNOCI	25 August 2006
	Private	Md Amir	HOSSAIN	MONUC	16 April 2006
	Private	Md Kamrozzaman	KHAN	UNOCI	25 August 2006
	Lance Corporal	Md Faruk	MIAH	UNMIS	13 August 2006
	Private	Mohammad Shohid	MIAH	UNOCI	25 August 2006
	Private	Md Mizanur	RAHMAN	UNOCI	25 August 2006
	Lance Corporal	Abdus	SATTER	UNOCI	25 August 2006
Benin	Sergeant	Bruno	AIZOUN	MONUC	5 June 2006
	Lance Corporal	Didier Emile Minlin Constant	BEHANZIN	MONUC	14 May 2006
	Lieutenant Colonel	Soule	MOUSSA	UNOCI	4 June 2006
Brazil	Lieutenant General	Urano Texeira	DA MATTA BACELLAR	MINUSTAH	7 January 2006
Cameroon	Commissaire de Police	Vincent	NKOA	UNOCI	16 January 2006
Canada	Major	Peata Derek	HESS-VON-KRUEDENER	UNTSO	25 July 2006
Chad		Maiga Navaum	NGADANDE	UNMIS	14 August 2006
NESSEE AND STREET	Mr	Moise Neroum	NOADANDE	ONIVIS	14 August 2006
China	Mr Major	Zhaoyu	DU	UNTSO	25 July 2006
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Cyprus	Major Mr	Zhaoyu Panayiotis	DU LOIZOU	UNTSO UNFICYP	25 July 2006 1 January 2006
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Egypt	Mr	Waleed	OSMAN	UNMIL	12 June 2006
	Private	Alene Kassa	FANTA	UNMIL	22 June 2006
	Private	Teklemariam	G/SELASSIE	UNMIL	23 March 2006
	Corporal	Tezera Manyazewal	H / MARRIAM	UNMIL	8 June 2006
	Sergeant	Melese Abebe	MEKONEN	UNMIL	4 October 2006
	Sergeant	Yihdego Weldesilase	NEGUSSE	UNMIL	23 April 2006
	Private	Abdela Gobena	SHEKALO	UNMI	30 November 2006
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Fiji	Corporal	Sekuri	SOKO	UNAMI	16 March 2006
Finland	Lieutenant (Navy)	Jarno Tapio	MAKINEN	UNTSO	25 July 2006
Georgia	Mr	Kakhaber	CHANTURIA	UNOMIG	14 August 2006
Germany	Mr	Andreas	BRANDSTAETTER	MINUSTAH	7 January 2006
Ghana	Warrant Officer 2	Samuel Kweku	OWIREDU	UNOCI	25 October 2006
Guatemala	Sergeant	Calixto	GOMEZ PEREZ	MONUC	23 January 2006
	Corporal	Orlando Augusto	HERNANDES ALONZO	MONUC	23 January 2006
	Corporal	Edgar	MORALES GUZMAN	MONUC	23 January 2006
	Sergeant	Abelino	POP	MONUC	23 January 2006
	Corporal	Valeriano	RAX HUL	MONUC	23 January 2006
	Corporal	Mario Enrique	TEC CAAL	MONUC	23 January 2006
	Corporal	Teodoro	TILOM PAAU	MONUC	23 January 2006
	Sergeant	Ramon	XI CHE	MONUC	23 January 2006
Haiti	Mr	Assad	ROYAL	MINUSTAH	21 February 2006
	Mr	Gerard	SIMERVIL	MINUSTAH	30 September 2006
	Mr	Jeff	VINCENT	MINUSTAH	3 July 2006
India	Mr	Kuriakose	AIYAMVELIL	MONUC	9 August 2006
Illuia	Lance Naik	Kambli Ramesh	ANNAPPA	UNMEE	2 March 2006
	Major	Devvrat	KHICHI	UNMEE	31 July 2006
		Hari Kumar			
	Naik Haad Constable		RAI	MONUC	23 April 2006
	Head Constable	Khet Pal	SINGH	MONUC	10 September 2006
	Naib Subedar	Rama Nand	SINGH	UNMEE	4 October 2006
	Naik	Surendra	SINGH	MONUC	19 December 200

Jordan	Captain	Tareq Abed Alfattah	AL JAAFREH	MINUSTAH	17 January 2006
	Corporal	Rami	ALMAHAMEED	MINUSTAH	10 November 2006
	Lance Corporal	Ibrahim Ra'ed	ALSHDAIFAT	UNMEE	14 August 2006
	First Lieutenant	Ahmad	BEAIRAT	MINUSTAH	10 November 2006
	Mr	Amjad	HADDAD	UNAMI	8 July 2006
	Sergeant	Rabi Jalal	MEREI	MINUSTAH	17 January 2006
Kenya	Sergeant	Musili Julius	VELE	UNMIS	26 December 2006
Liberia	Mr	Wilson	KWENAH	UNMIL	9 May 2006
	Mr	Dweh Roland	ROBERTS	UNMIL	12 April 2006
Mauritania	Mr	Kharass	KANE	MINUSTAH	25 September 2006
Morocco	Corporal	Salah	CRIT	UNOCI	16 May 2006
	Second class private	Brahim	HAIDARA	UNOCI	27 June 2006
Namibia	Private	Oiva	HAMUNYELA	UNMIL	1 December 2006
Nepal	Sergeant	Gyan Bahadur	ADHIKARI	MONUC	28 May 2006
	Sergeant	Chiranjivi	KHATRI	ONUB	1 July 2006
Nigeria	Deputy Superintendent	Opeyemi	ADEPOJU	UNMIL	25 Nov 2006
	Private	Nnamdi	BASSEY	UNMIL	1 June 2006
	Mr	Augustine	BIELONWU	UNIFIL	17 July 2006
	Sergeant	Nwosu	LAURANCE	UNMIL	9 January 2006
Pakistan	Havildar	Nazir	AHMAD	UNMIS	18 October 2006
	Havildar	Zafar	IQBAL	UNMIL	7 September 2006
	Havildar	Hafiz Muhammad	KHAN	MONUC	6 June 2006
	Sepoy	Hayat Ullah	KHAN	UNOCI	13 November 2006
	Naik	Nusrat	MEHMOOD	UNMIL	18 February 2006
	Sepoy	Amir	MUKHTAR	UNMIL	7 February 2006
	Havildar	Muhammad	SADIQ	MONUC	1 June 2006
	Subedar	Noor UI	SAMAD	UNMIS	20 Sep 2006
Phillippines	Mr	Dominador	SERRANO	MINUSTAH	31 October 2006

	Republic of Korea	Major	Jaeyoung	ОН	UNMIS	23 July 2006
	Russian Federation	Major	Rinat	KABIROV	UNMIL	26 April 2006
	Senegal	Lance Corporal	Diaw Mamadou	NIANG	UNMIL	18 March 2006
1	Serbia	Mr	Visar	FAZLIJA	UNMIK	30 June 2006
	Sierra Leone	Mr	Abu	BANGURA	UNIOSIL	9 March 2006
		Mr	M Postey	BETTEY	UNIOSIL	13 November 2006
T.	South Africa	Captain	Henry Champion	GEDI	MONUC	30 July 2006
		Private	Carlos Zingisile	TSEMANE	MONUC	10 July 2006
	Sri Lanka	Corporal	Gamini	HEMACHANDRA	MINUSTAH	25 December 2006
1	Sudan	Mr	Edward	KAREGA	UNMIS	17 October 2006
		Mr	Ged Elssed Mohammed	OSMAN	UNMIS	20 June 2006
		Mr	Adam	SALEH	UNMIS	2 March 2006
		Mr	John	TABIA YEPETA	UNMIS	16 February 2006
	Thailand	First Sergeant Major	Taweep	PHOTONG	ONUB	22 November 2006
S	Timor-Leste	Mr	Antonio	MARTINS	UNMIT	10 December 2006
	Tunisia	Lieutenant Commander	Kamel	AOUNI	MONUC	26 September 2006
1	United States of America	Mr	Cecil	TAFFE	UNMIS	18 August 2006
	Zambia	Major	Philip	CHANDA	UNIOSIL	28 August 2006
		Constable	Chunika	KANGWA	UNMIS	1 October 2006
		Corporal	Trigor	USAKI	UNMIS	16 May 2006
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MINUSTAH - United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti

MONUC - United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo

ONUB - United Nations Operation in Burundi
UNAMI - United Nations Assistance Mission in Iraq

UNFICYP - United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus
UNMEE - United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea
UNMIK - United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo

UNMIL - United Nations Mission in Liberia UNMIS - United Nations Mission in the Sudan

UNOCI - United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire
UNOMIG - United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia
UNTSO - United Nations Truce Supervision Organization
UNDOF - United Nations Disengagement Observer Force
UNAMA - United Nations Assistance Mission in Afghanistan
UNIFIL - United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon
UNIOSIL - United Nations Integrated Office in Sierra Leone

UNMIT - United Nations Integrated Mission in Timor-Leste

THE SECRETARY-GENERAL'S MESSAGE FOR MEMORIAL TO FALLEN UNITED NATIONS PEACEKEEPERS 29 May 2007

The record of United Nations peacekeeping is a badge of honour not only for the UN, but for humankind itself.

For five decades, peacekeeping operations have responded to the worst of human instincts with the best of human efforts. They represent a unique contribution to international peace and security. They have relieved suffering and reconciled warring parties. They have reduced tensions and created space for diplomacy. Today, the UN has more operations, and more men and women in the field, than at any time in our history. Despite setbacks and difficulties, this flagship among UN endeavours continues to make all staff proud to serve the United Nations.

The battlefield is a brutal place. All too often, the men and women who serve in peace operations face threats of kidnapping and other dangers. In the gravest circumstances, they lose their lives in the line of duty. More than 2,300 civilian and military personnel have made the ultimate sacrifice since 1948.

We will always remember our fallen colleagues, who gave their lives so that others could live in peace. And we will build on their legacy. I salute all the men and women who serve or have served under the blue flag of the United Nations, in the conviction that their service could make a difference between war and peace.