

Names Compiled for December 17, the International Day to End Violence Against Sex Workers

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Name	Age	Location	Date	Comments
15 Women		Rwanda	September, 2012	Unknown if connected, mostly sex workers.
4 Individuals		Monterrey, Mexico	August 13, 2012	4 employees killed in mass shooting at club which left 10 individuals dead.
Amy Soule	26	Bethlehem Township, PA, USA	December 5, 2012	
Ashton John		Guyana	2012	Submitted by Champions for change - Guyana.
Bharati Devi	42	Asansol, India	April 9, 2012	Evidence she was raped and killed.
Brandy Sheppard	33	San Antonio, TX, USA	May 30, 2012	Body found near club.
Brenda Chumbi	22	Malawi	October 20, 2010	
Brianna Gardner	22	Chicago, IL, USA	Discovered Aug 14, 2012	Was found dead with a gunshot wound to the head in a room in the Whitehall Hotel.
Brittany McKinley	25	Capitol Heights, Maryland, USA	September 16, 2012	Shot to death.
Camille		Cameroon	2012	Submitted by Aids Acodev Cameroon.
Carolyn Marie Sinclair	25	Winnipeg, Canada	Body found March 31, 2012	Missing since December.
Cassandra	39	Rouen, France	2012	Transgendered woman, Strangled and burned, Submitted by STRASS.
Celeste Fronsman	29	Ohio, USA		Found naked and burned with a rope wrapped around her neck after she was raped and tortured before being left for dead at the side of a rural Ohio road.
Chastity Starr	27	Florida, USA	January 15, 2011	Strangled.
Cherice Gordon		Detroit, MI, USA	Missing since November 30, 2011	Missing since November 30, 2011. Last seen at strip club where she worked.
Cym Chevanna Van Dyck	37	Cape Town, South Africa	May 24, 2012	Submitted SWEAT, Cym was a stalwart for transgender sex workers. She founded our transgender sex workers group, and was a long time volunteer at SWEAT and a sex worker activist (and a peer educator for a while) she died in hospital of unknown cause on May 24th this year, she was 37. She is deeply missed by us all.
Dare Odumoye		Nigeria	2012	Submitted by NDN-Nigeria.
Demesha Hunt	24	Detroit, MI, USA	Body discovered December 19, 2011	Found with cousin.
Erik Rhodes, a.k.a. James Elliott Naughtin	30	New York City, NY, USA	June 14, 2012	Heart attack related to steroid use.
Fernandes Olufemi		Nigeria	2012	Submitted by NDN-Nigeria.
January Marie Lapuz	26	Westminster, BC, Canada	September 30, 2012	Transgender sex worker from New Westminster BC. Submitted by FIRST.

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Jaren Lockheart	22	New Orleans, LA, USA	Reported Missing 6/10/2012	Stabbed to death, dismembered.
Jennie Banner	32	Chatham, UK	August 14, 2011	Strangled with a belt by a client.
Jessie Anne Wilson		Mt Gambier, Australia	October 1, 2012	
Julia		Kirovograd, Ukraine	2012	Submitted by Legallife.
Julie	45	Mumbai, India	April 21, 2012	
Juliet	25	Lagos, Nigeria	Story reported Feb. 26, 2012	
Kalisha Madden		Detroit, MI, USA	Missing since November 28, 2011	Missing since November 28, 2011. Last seen at strip club where she worked. Mother of 6.
Karima		Limoges, France	2012	Transgender, Suicide, Submitted by STRASS.
Keisha Powell	42	Bridgeport, CT, USA		Shot.
Kelvin Ogwu		Nigeria	2012	Submitted by NDN-Nigeria.
Lau Suk-king		Kowloon, Hong Kong	October 1, 2012	
Liu Shuqiong	49	Shanghai, China	October 24, 2012	
Mamata Sikari	25	Sonagacchi, India	April 10, 2012	
Maria Felix		Antigua and Barbuda	2012	Submitted by Ministry of Education, Sports, Youth & Gender Affairs, Antigua.
Marland Anderson	39	Los Angeles, CA, USA	April 8, 2012	Undetermined cause of death, following altercation with LAPD.
Mati Nhamo	20s	Harare, Zimbabwe		Electrocuted doing clients' laundry.
Mike		Vancouver, BC, Canada	2012	Vietnamese male escort from Vancouver BC, Submitted by FIRST.
Moriscia Cloete		Cape Town, South Africa	July 19, 2012	Moriscia was a campaigner for sex workers rights, and a sex worker herself. She spoke to the media about her experiences in order to raise the profile of our campaign, most recently in the media on the 16 days of activism 2011. She died of breast cancer (which was treated too late, complicated by a pregnancy) on the 19th of July 2012. Submitted by SWEAT.
Natasha Curtis	29	Detroit, MI, USA	Body discovered December 25, 2011	Body burned beyond recognition
Olga Potapchyk		Mariupol, Ukraine	2012	Submitted by Legallife
Pamela Will	49	Florida, USA	January 15, 2011	
Patricia		Nice, France		Fell from a window to escape from a violent client, submitted by STRASS
Phillys	23	Nice, France		Hit by a car, submitted by STRASS.
Rachel Wilson	19	Middleburgh, UK	Sept, 2012	

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Renisha Landers	23	Detroit, MI, USA	Body discovered December 19, 2011	Found with cousin.
Rihanna Jacobs		Cape Town, South Africa	2012	Submitted by SWEAT, a member of our transgender group has passed away from AIDS related illness 2 weeks ago.
Robyn Few	53	Kentucky, USA	September 13, 2012	
Roger Sturck		Sweden	2012	Submitted by Rose Alliance.
Rosita Hidalgo		Miami, FL	Body discovered March 15, 2012	Trans sex worker, stabbed to death.
Salma		Dubai, UAE	2012	
Sasha Lee Gordon		Cape Town, South Africa	2012	Submitted by SWEAT, was a member of our transgender support group. She was stabbed to death on the street where she worked in Cape Town on the 24th of June 2012, no one has been charged with her murder.
Sheila da Silva	24	Sao Paulo, Brazil	Sept/Oct 2012	
Shelley Hilliard	19	Detroit, MI, USA	Body discovered October 23, 2011	
Solange		Cameroon	2012	Submitted by Aids Acodev Cameroon.
Svetla Fileva	30	Italy (from Bulgaria)	Sept, 2012	
Tamara	19	Lima, Peru	2012	Trans Woman, Passed after being denied medical care for not being a documented citizen/legal resident
Tiffany Nelson	20	Lake Worth, FL, USA	October 29, 2012	Stabbed to death.
Troy Moe		Guyana	2012	Submitted by Champions for Change - Guyana
Tyrell Jackson	23	Riviera Beach, FL	April 4, 2012	Shot to death and a friend of hers was wounded in the same attack.
Unidentified Trans Woman	41	Silver Spring, FL, USA	September 4, 2012	Anonymous trans woman stabbed, but survived.
Unidentified Trans Woman		Kenya		
Unidentified, Female	46	Paris, France	2012	Raped and strangled. Submitted by STRASS.
Unidentified, Female	19	Oakland, CA, USA	July 12, 2012	A 19-year-old woman died at an East Oakland motel after being shot in the face.
Unidentified, Male		Cape Town, South Africa	2012	Submitted by SWEAT, Unknown Causes.
Unidentified, Male		Cape Town, South Africa	2012	Submitted by SWEAT, HIV-related illness.
Unidentified, Worker		Hillbrow Johannesburg, South Africa	Story on April 16, 2012	
Vernithea McCrary	28	Detroit, MI, USA	Body discovered December 25, 2011	

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Xolelwa Ndaba		Cape Town, South Africa	November 1, 2012	She was a regular participant in workshops in the Eastern Cape (SWEAT). She died after a suspected drug overdose. Submitted by SWEAT.
Yannick Ouimet		Montreal	April 25, 2012	Stabbed but survived.