



Shaheed Md. Sajan

Date of birth: 1 May, 1999
Date of martyrdom: 6 August, 2024
Division: Dhaka
District: Narayanganj

Short Biography

Profession : Day laborer,
Place of Martyrdom : Dhaka Medical College Hospital

Martyrdom Details and History

Shaheed Md. Sajan was born on May 1, 1999, in Narayanganj, where he grew up. He passed through childhood and adolescence, eventually stepping into his youth. The life of the eldest son of an ill father was not easy. His father did not own any cultivable land, and due to his illness, he was unable to work. As a result, at the age when one should have been studying, Sajan had to shoulder the entire responsibility of his household. His family of four members had sky-high expectations from him. This was the inspiration for Sajan, the Shaheed. He worked as a day laborer and was the only earning member of the family. The small joys, smiles, and lights in this poor family were extinguished by the terror of the student and youth league goons. Shaheed Sajan selflessly participated in the student movement for justice on August 5, 2024.

Description of the Incident

On August 5, 2024, the student-led anti-discrimination movement announced the "March to Dhaka" campaign, a significant protest against the oppressive actions of the government. The movement aimed to highlight the severe discrimination and injustices faced by students and the public, seeking both political and social change. In response to this growing unrest, the fascist government, led by the ruling political party, imposed a nationwide curfew, attempting to suppress the public's participation in the protest. However, despite the curfew, determined students and the general public defied the restrictions and took to the streets to continue their fight for justice.

On that morning, around 10:00 AM, Shaheed Sajan, along with hundreds of other students and members of the public, gathered in Narayanganj's Chashara area, joining the rally to demand their rights. The atmosphere was charged with a sense of unity and determination as the crowd marched forward, eager to make their voices heard. This collective spirit of resistance, however, was met with violent opposition from the government.

To quell the rising protests, the police force, together with the armed thugs from the ruling party's Awami League, Juba League, and Chhatra League mobilized to create chaos and intimidate the protesters. At around 11:00 AM, these armed groups began indiscriminate shooting at the crowd, targeting students and bystanders alike. The violence escalated quickly as gunfire rang through the streets of Chashara.

During this chaotic scene, Shaheed Shojon was struck by a bullet on the left side of his chest. The bullet pierced his body, exiting through his back, causing severe trauma. Despite his injuries, local residents quickly intervened, attempting to help him and rushing him to Dhaka Medical College for medical treatment. The gravity of his condition, however, meant that doctors could do little to save him.

After hours of medical care, Shaheed Sajan succumbed to his injuries on the evening of August 6, passing away at 5 PM. His death marked another tragic loss in the struggle against oppression, symbolizing the

sacrifices made by students and the public in their fight for equality, justice, and freedom. His passing not only struck a devastating blow to his family but also to the entire movement, as it highlighted the extent of violence and the lengths to which the government would go to suppress peaceful protest. Sajan's death remains a poignant reminder of the cost of standing up against injustice and the price of freedom.

Shaheed's Brief Introduction

Name : Md. Sajan

Date of Birth : 01.05.1999

Profession : Day laborer

Injury Location : Chashara, Narayanganj

Place of Martyrdom : Dhaka Medical College Hospital

Nature of Injury : Gunshot wound

Attackers : Terrorists from Awami League, Juba League, and Chhatra League

Time & Date of Injury : 5th August 2024, 11:00 AM

Time & Date of Martyrdom : 6th August 2024, 5:00 PM

Current & Permanent

Address : Village: 313, Kushiya, Union: Nabiganj Bandar, Thana: Bandar, District: Narayanganj

Father : Md. Zakir Hossain

Father's Condition : Elderly and ill

Mother : Afia Begum

Mother's Profession : Housewife

Relation with the Shaheed : Father

Current Family Members : 3

Other Family Members

Brother : Md. Abul Bashar

Age & Profession : 22, Unemployed

Proposal : 1. Regular monthly financial assistance is required.

Quranic Verse

Do not say that those who are killed in the way of Allah are dead. Rather, they are alive, but you do not perceive it. (Al-Baqarah 2:154)

Hadith

Whoever sincerely asks Allah for martyrdom, Allah will grant them the status of martyrs. (Sahih Muslim 1888)

Prayers offered: 0

Memorial Photo Gallery



