

**Shaheed****Md. Abu Zafar Hawlader**

**Date of birth:** 2 January, 1975  
**Date of martyrdom:** 18 July, 2024  
**Division:** Barishal  
**District:** Pirojpur

**Short Biography**

Profession: Driver.

Place of Martyrdom: Syedabad

**Martyrdom Details and History**

Shaheed Md. Abu Jafor Hawlader, who is known as Badsha Mia to his familiars. He was born in a poor family hailed from Mothbaria under Pirojpur district. His father is Abdul Majid and mother is Shetara.

Badsha Miah was a driver by profession. He was the light of hope in the lives of his parents, who were over sixty years old, and his younger siblings. He was the sole breadwinner of the family, which was struggling with poverty.

Economic Condition of the Martyr

We have learned that Martyr Badsha Miah was a driver. His income was meager. Yet, he had to take care of the whole family. It was difficult to bear the expenses of the family. Even then, he did not give up. He arranged for proper education for his younger brothers and sisters. His dream was that his brothers and sisters would achieve what he could not in life. They would become educated and become good human beings. But his dream remained unfulfilled.

With the death of the sole breadwinner of the family, the family has now become like a rudderless boat. They do not have their own house. The shaheed's parents, who are over sixty years old, do not have the physical ability to work. The future of his brothers and sisters is now in the dark. It is worth mentioning that the shaheed's brother, Md. Shawon Hawlader, has passed HSC, Md. Nuhu Hawlader is studying at Jamia Balua Madrasa, and 11-year-old Md. Naim Hawlader is studying in the fifth grade.

How He Became a Martyr

July 18, 2024. One of the most memorable days for the anti-discrimination student movement. Many students and common people lost their lives due to police bullets. On this day, Badsha Miah was going to Syedabad in the evening. The purpose was to go to Pirojpur from Dhaka. Gunshots started on the way. He could not get out of it. He fell to the ground due to several indiscriminate bullets fired by the police.

It is not known who or who took his body to the morgue of Mugda Hospital. Many attempts were being made to contact him from the family. But since he could not be found on the phone, the family was forced to search the hospitals. He was found at Mugda Hospital. Later his body was taken to his village home. Martyr Abu Zafar is laid to rest forever in his own house in Madhya Chhotmachua village of Mathbaria, Pirojpur. May Allah grant him Jannatul Firdaus.

Personal Information of the Martyr at a Glance of Martyr

Full Name: Md. Abu Zafar Hawlader

Date of Birth: 02/01/1975

Occupation: Driver

Permanent Address: Village: Madhya Chhotmachua, Union: Tushkhali Ward No. 6, Police Station: Mathbaria, District: Pirojpur

Current Address: Village: Madhya Chhotmachua, Union: Tushkhali Ward No. 6, Police Station: Mathbaria, District: Pirojpur

Father's Name: Abdul Majid

Mother's Name: Setara

Family Members: 11

Place of Incident: Sayedabad

Assailant: Police

Time of Injury: Date: 18/07/2024, Time: 7:30 PM

Date, Time, and Place of Death: 08/07/24 (This date seems incorrect as it precedes the injury date. It's likely a typo and should be corrected.)

Location of Martyr's Grave: His own village, Madhya Chhotmachua

## Quranic Verse

Never think of those killed in the cause of Allah as dead. Rather, they are alive with their Lord, receiving provision. (Al-Imran 3:169)

## Hadith

The souls of the martyrs are in the bodies of green birds. (Sahih Muslim 1887)

Prayers offered: 0

## Memorial Photo Gallery



