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Episcopal Ordination : 29 October 2015
Website : www.adilabaddiocese.com

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Patron : St. Thomas
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Bishop : Mar Lawrence Mukkuzhy
Date of Birth : 31 August 1951
Priestly Ordination : 27 December 1978
Episcopal Ordination : 04 August 1999
Website : www.belthangadydiocese.com

3. BHADRAVATHI

Patron : St. Joseph & St. Alphonsa
Date of Erection : 29 August 2007
Bishop : Mar Joseph Arumachadath MCBS
Date of Birth : 10 April 1960
Priestly Ordination : 07 May 1988
Episcopal Ordination : 25 October 2007
Website : www.bhadravathidiocese.org

4. BIJNOR

Patron : St. Joseph
Date of Erection : 23 March 1972
Bishop : Mar Vincent Nellaiparambil
Date of Birth : 01 August 1971
Priestly Ordination : 08 April 1999
Episcopal Ordination : 01 November 2019
Website : www.bijnordiocese.in

5. CHANDA

Patron : St. Thomas the Apostle
Date of Erection : 29 July 1968
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Date of Birth : 10 December 1960
Priestly Ordination : 27 December 1986
Episcopal Ordination : 24 October 2014
Website : www.dioceseofchanda.org

6. CHANGANACHERRY

Patron : St. Joseph
Date of Erection : 20 May 1887 (Kottayam Vicariate)
Bishop : Mar Joseph Perumthottam
Date of Birth : 05 July 1948
Priestly Ordination : 18 December 1974
Episcopal Ordination : 20 May 2002
Archbishop : 19 March 2007
Website : www.archdiocesechanganacherry.org

7. CHICAGO

Patron : St. Thomas the Apostle
Date of Erection : 13 March 2001
Bishop : Mar Jacob Angadiath
Date of Birth : 26 October 1945
Priestly Ordination : 05 January 1972
Episcopal Ordination : 01 July 2001
Website : www.stthomasdiocese.org

8. ERNAKULAM-ANGAMALY

Patron : Sacred Heart
Date of Erection : 28 July 1896
Bishop : Mar Antony Kariyil CMI
Date of Birth : 26 March 1950
Priestly Ordination : 27 December 1977
Episcopal Ordination : 18 October 2015
Website : www.ernakulamarchdiocese.org

9. FARIDABAD

Patron : St. Thomas the Apostle
Date of Erection : 06 March 2012
Bishop : Mar Kuriakose Bharanikulangara
Date of Birth : 01 February 1959
Priestly Ordination : 18 December 1983
Episcopal Ordination : 26 May 2012
Website : www.faridabaddiocese.in

10. GORAKHPUR

Patron : St. Joseph & St. Therese of Child Jesus
Date of Erection : 19 June 1984
Bishop : Mar Thomas Thuruthimattam CST
Date of Birth : 22 April 1947
Priestly Ordination : 21 December 1973
Episcopal Ordination : 01 October 2006
Website : www.dioceseofgorakhpur.org

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Patron : St. Thomas the Apostle
Date of Erection : 28 July 2016
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Date of Birth : 11 August 1967
Priestly Ordination : 12 August 2000
Episcopal Ordination : 09 October 2016
Website : www.eparchyofgreatbritain.org

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Patron : St. Thomas
Date of Erection : 09 October 2017
Bishop : Mar Sebastian Pozholiparambil
Date of Birth : 01 September 1957
Priestly Ordination : 22 December 1982
Episcopal Ordination : 22 November 2017
Website : www.hosurdiocese.com

13. IDUKKI

Patron : Mar Sleeva
Date of Erection : 15 January 2003
Bishop : Mar John Nellikunnel
Date of Birth : 22 March 1973
Priestly Ordination : 30 December 1998
Episcopal Ordination : 05 April 2018
Website : www.idukkidiocese.org

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Patron : Sacred Heart & St. Thomas
Date of Erection : 22 June 1978
Bishop : Mar Pauly Kannookadan
Date of Birth : 14 February 1961
Priestly Ordination : 28 December 1985
Episcopal Ordination : 18 April 2010
Website : www.irinjalakudadiocese.com

15. JAGDALPUR

Patron : St. Joseph
Date of Erection : 23 March 1972
Bishop : Mar Joseph Kollampampil CMI
Date of Birth : 26 November 1957
Priestly Ordination : 06 May 1985
Episcopal Ordination : 17 September 2013

16. KALYAN

Patron : St. Thomas the Apostle
Date of Erection : 30 April 1988
Bishop : Mar Thomas Elavanal MCBS
Date of Birth : 28 March 1950
Priestly Ordination : 22 December 1975
Episcopal Ordination : 08 February 1997
Website : www.kalyandiocese.com

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Patroness : Blessed Virgin Mary
Date of Erection : 26 February 1977
Bishop : Mar Jose Pulickal
Date of Birth : 03 March 1964
Priestly Ordination : 01 January 1991
Episcopal Ordination : 04 February 2016
Website : www.kanjirapallydiocese.com

18. KOTHAMANGALAM

Patroness : Immaculate Heart of Mary
Date of Erection : 29 July 1956
Bishop : Mar George Madathikandathil
Date of Birth : 09 May 1956
Priestly Ordination : 23 December 1980
Episcopal Ordination : 09 February 2013
Website : www.kothamangalamdiocese.org

19. KOTTAYAM

Patron : Sacred Heart of Jesus
Date of Erection : 29 August 1911
Bishop : Mar Mathew Moolakkatt OSB
Date of Birth : 27 February 1953
Priestly Ordination : 27 December 1978
Episcopal Ordination : 06 January 1999
Website : www.kottayamad.org

20. MANANTHAVADY

Patroness : St. Mary
Date of Erection : 1 March 1973
Bishop : Mar Jose Porunnedom
Date of Birth : 13 March 1956
Priestly Ordination : 22 December 1982
Episcopal Ordination : 15 May 2004
Website : www.diocesemdy.org

21. MANDYA

Patroness : Holy Mother of God
Date of Erection : 18 January 2010
Bishop : Mar Sebastian Adayanthrath
Date of Birth : 05 April 1957
Priestly Ordination : 18 December 1983
Episcopal Ordination : 20 April 2002
Website : www.mandyadiocese.org

22. MELBOURNE

Patron : St. Thomas , the Apostle
Date of Erection : 23 December 2013
Bishop : Mar Bosco Puthur
Date of Birth : 28 May 1946
Priestly Ordination : 27 March 1971
Episcopal Ordination : 13 February 2010
Website : www.syromalabar.org.au

23. MISSISSAUGA

Patron : St. Thomas , the Apostle
Date of Erection : 06 August 2015
Bishop : Mar Jose Kalluvelil
Date of Birth : 15 November 1955
Priestly Ordination : 18 December 1984
Episcopal Ordination : 19 September 2015
Website : www.syromalabarcanda.org

24. PALAI

Patron : St. Thomas , the Apostle and Mother of Immaculate
Conception
Date of Erection : 25 July 1950
Bishop : Mar Joseph Kallarangatt
Date of Birth : 27 January 1956
Priestly Ordination : 2 January 1982
Episcopal Ordination : 2 May 2004
Website : www.Palaidiocese.com

25. PALGHAT

Patron : St. Joseph
Date of Erection : 27 June 1974
Bishop : Mar Peter Kochupurackal
Date of Birth : 29 May 1964
Priestly Ordination : 29 December 1990
Episcopal Ordination : 18 June 2020
Website : [www. Palaghatdiocese.org](http://www.Palaghatdiocese.org)

26. RAJKOT

Patron : Sacred Heart of Jesus
Date of Erection : 26 February 1977
Bishop : Mar Jose Chittooparambil CMI
Date of Birth : 10 December 1954
Priestly Ordination : 08 May 1985
Episcopal Ordination : 11 September 2010
Website : www. Rajkotdiocese.org

27. RAMANATHAPURAM

Patron : St. Thomas & St Alphonsa
Date of Erection : 18 January 2010
Bishop : Mar Paul Alappatt
Date of Birth : 21 April 1962
Priestly Ordination : 27 December 1987
Episcopal Ordination : 11 April 2010
Website : www. Ramanathapuramdiocese.com

28. SAGAR

Patron : St. Therese of Child Jesus
Date of Erection : 29 July 1968
Bishop : Mar James Athikalam MST
Date of Birth : 5 July 1958
Priestly Ordination : 22 March 1984
Episcopal Ordination : 17 April 2018
Website : www. sagardiocese.com

29. SATNA

Patron : St. Vincent De Paul
Date of Erection : 29 July 1968
Bishop : Mar Joseph Kodakallil
Date of Birth : 18 December 1965
Priestly Ordination : 31 December 1991
Episcopal Ordination : 15 September 2015
Website : www.satnadiocese.org

30. SHAMSHABAD

Patron : St. Thomas and St John Paul II
Date of Erection : 10 October 2017
Bishop : Mar Raphael Thattil
Date of Birth : 21 April 1956
Priestly Ordination : 21 December 1980
Episcopal Ordination : 10 April 2010
Website : www.shamshabaddiocese.org

31. TELlicherry

Patron : St. Thomas , the Apostle
Date of Erection : 31 December 1953
Bishop : Mar Joseph Pamplany
Date of Birth : 03 December 1969
Priestly Ordination : 08 November 2017
Episcopal Ordination : 19 September 2015
Website : www.archdioceseoftellicherry.org

32. THAMARASSERY

Patroness : St. Alphonsa
Date of Erection : 28 April 1986
Bishop : Mar Remigiose Inchananiyil
Date of Birth : 26 July 1961
Priestly Ordination : 26 December 1987
Episcopal Ordination : 08 April 2010
Website : www.dioceseofthamarassery.org

33. THUCKALAY

Patroness	: Holy Mary, Mother of Christ and image of the Church
Second Patron	: St Geevarghese Sahada
Date of Erection	: 11 November 1996
Bishop	: Mar George Rajendran SDB
Date of Birth	: 14 April 1968
Priestly Ordination	: 29 December 2003
Episcopal Ordination	: 16 September 2012
Website	: www.thuckalaydiocese.org

34. TRICHUR

Patron	: Immaculate Conception of Our Lady
Date of Erection	: 20 May 1887(Trichur Vicariate)
Bishop	: Mar Andrews Thazhath
Date of Birth	: 13 December 1951
Priestly Ordination	: 14 March 1977
Episcopal Ordination	: 01 May 2004
Auxiliary Bishop	: Mar Tony Neelankavil
Date of Birth	: 23 July 1967
Priestly Ordination	: 27 December 1993
Episcopal Ordination	: 18 November 2017
Website	: www.trichurarchdiocese.org

35. UJJAIN

Patron	: St Paul
Date of Erection	: 29 July 1968
Bishop	: Mar Sebastian Vadakel MST
Date of Birth	: 07 October 1952
Priestly Ordination	: 19 April 1979
Episcopal Ordination	: 08 September 1998
Website	: www.ujjaindiocese.org

The Syro-Malabar Church, together with other Churches of St. Thomas tradition in India, traces its origin to St. Thomas, ‘the apostle of India’ who evangelized India in the period between 42 and 72 AD during his missionary journeys in India. After the visit of Pantenus, the Alexandrian scholar in 189, the Indian Christians began maintaining conscious contact with the Church of the East in the Persian Empire and getting bishops sent by the Seleucian or Chaldean Patriarch throughout the medieval period. In the seventh century, metropolitan status was granted to the Indian Church which indicated the acceptance of her autonomy. The community of St. Thomas Christians maintained from that time onwards their loyalty to the Persian Church.

In the modern period, from 16th to 19th centuries St. Thomas Christians remained under the Portuguese Padroado and Roman Propaganda Fide jurisdictions. During this time the Church witnessed a number of changes in many respects. The oriental nature, Syriac liturgy, Indian customs and practices all underwent changes especially due to the legislations of the Synod of Diamper of 1599. The consequent so called ‘Coonan Cross Oath’ of 1653 against the Portuguese ecclesiastical authorities resulted in the division of the one fold of St. Thomas Christians into different factions in the subsequent centuries. Those who remained loyal to the Roman Catholic Church were called ‘the Syro-Malabar’ Church and the rest accepted the Antiochean jurisdiction in the 19th century. A small faction of the Orthodox Syrian Malankara Church became Catholic in 1930 and was called ‘the Syro-Malankara’ Church.

The real modern period of the Syro-Malabar Church begins from the end of the nineteenth century with the separation of Syrian Catholics from the Latins with the establishment of two vicariates of Trichur and Kottayam as per the apostolic letter *Quod Iam Pridem* of 20 May 1887 of Pope Leo XIII. This new beginning is strengthened with the appointment of local bishops in the Syro-Malabar vicariates of Trichur, Changanacherry and Ernakulam in 1896 with the apostolic letter *Quae Rei Sacrae*. The establishment of the Latin hierarchy in 1887 and the Syro-Malabar hierarchy with the apostolic constitution *Romani Pontifices*

of 21 December 1923 by Pope Pius XI gave impetus to the growth of Christianity in India. The hierarchy of the Syro-Malabar Church was not constituted in the manner of an Eastern hierarchy with a common head (Patriarch or Major Archbishop) and a synod of bishops, consonant with the sacred canons and authentic eastern traditions, but as a metropolitan province in accordance with the Latin *Code of Canon Law* of 1917. The erection of an indigenous hierarchy contributed to the phenomenal growth of the Syro-Malabar Church.

As the *Code of Canons of the Eastern Churches* was promulgated in 1990, it became necessary to rectify the anomaly in the structure of our Church. Thus, on 16 December 1992, by the apostolic constitution *Quae Maiori*, Pope John Paul II raised the Syro-Malabar Church to the status of a Major Archiepiscopal *Sui Iuris* Church with the title of Ernakulam-Angamaly. Archbishop Mar Antony Padiyara was appointed the Major Archbishop. The powers of the Major Archbishop were given temporarily to Mar Abraham Kattumana, the Pontifical Delegate of the Roman Pontiff. When Archbishop Abraham Kattumana expired in 1995, Mar Antony Cardinal Padiyara was given the powers of the Major Archbishop. When Major Archbishop Padiyara resigned Mar Varkey Vithayathil C.Ss.R was appointed Apostolic Administrator of the Syro-Malabar Church and also the Administrator of the Archeparchy of Ernakulam-Angamaly. He took charge on 18 January 1997. On 26 January 2000, Mar Varkey Vithayathil C.Ss.R was installed as Major Archbishop. Then on 21 January 2001 His Beatitude Mar Varkey Vithayathil C.Ss.R was created Cardinal.

When Mar Varkey Cardinal Vithayathil was called to eternal reward on 1 April 2011, Mar Bosco Puthur, the then Curia Bishop became the Administrator of the Church. He convened the synod on 23 May 2011 and the Synod elected Mar George Alencherry Major Archbishop. His enthronement took place at St. Mary's Basilica on 29 May 2011. Mar George Alencherry was created Cardinal on 18 February 2012 by Pope Benedict XVI. He participated in the conclave of Cardinals for the election of Pope Francis on 13 March 2013. With the erection of the Eparchy of Shamshabad and Hosur on 09 October 2017 and by extending the territories of the Eparchies of Ramanadhapuram and Thuckalay, Pope Francis granted the Syro-Malabar Major Archiepiscopal Church the jurisdiction for pastoral governance and evangelization all over India by the document *Varietas ecclesiarum* on 10 October 2017.

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SL. NO.	EPARCHY	CATHOLICS	PARISHES	SEMPARISHES/ MISSION STATIONS	FAMILIES	EPARCHIAL PRIESTS	MAJOR SEMINARIANS	MINOR SEMINARIANS	EDU. INSTITUTIONS	CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS
1	ADILABAD	17800	5	40	2436	43	14	16	39	11
2	BELTHANGADY	30000	55	12	4750	57	15	9	19	17
3	BHADRAVATHI	10085	25	8	1724	18	11	9	16	10
4	BIJNOR	4430	-	50	500	61	11	21	29	4
5	CHANDA	13794	11	31	3500	57	23	9	46	8
6	CHANGANACHERRY	402200	243	11	79684	495	123	84	355	384
7	CHICAGO	88500	51	33	28000	81	9	-	1	-
8	ERNAKULAM- ANGAMALY	655000	220	115	115069	469	64	72	788	485
9	FARIDABAD	175000	121	47	40000	41	50	34	78	93
10	GORAKHPUR	3356	3	30	600	56	13	8	32	22
11	GREAT BRITAIN	48000	4	77	10000	59	2	-	-	-
12	HOSUR	68000	29	4	2750	37	19	6	8	6
13	IDUKKI	266460	105	52	36598	215	66	47	92	50
14	IRINJALAKUDA	289000	138	1	59116	276	93	38	216	97
15	JAGDALPUR	11719	24	42	2077	49	10	8	41	6
16	KALYAN	66900	99	66	10139	104	30	14	50	25
17	KANJIRAPALLY	176131	148	79	38539	300	73	31	144	76
18	KOTHAMANGALAM	231427	109	11	47831	253	58	30	146	68
19	KOTTAYAM	188106	140	13	26780	220	31	29	262	60
20	MANANTHAVADY	177102	160	8	36082	251	39	24	164	71
21	MANDYA	90160	50	29	16000	10	6	14	107	51
22	MELBOURNE	82000	13	52	18500	29	15	6	-	-
23	MISSISSAUGA	23000	17	50	4490	20	9	2	-	-
24	PALAI	334920	171	12	69031	489	79	71	409	92
25	PALGHAT	59930	89	39	14250	166	36	19	212	52
26	RAJKOT	13740	15	27	1793	35	12	6	77	84
27	RAMANATHAPURAM	11372	22	15	12493	22	34	11	104	61
28	SAGAR	4178	19	35	844	67	15	5	34	7
29	SATNA	2860	16	9	591	56	5	14	50	12
30	SHAMSHABAD	45000	50	85	9500	23	22	3	20	2
31	TELLICHERRY	274460	201	54	62127	369	119	72	233	177
32	THAMARASSERRY	151782	119	9	28799	210	45	28	234	32
33	THUCKALAY	31115	59	36	5150	55	25	12	125	50
34	TRICHUR	442860	220	37	98703	427	82	80	397	305
35	UJJAIN	4500	2	40	425	54	17	19	63	11
	TOTAL	4494887	2753	1259	888871	5174	1274	847	4591	2429

✳ Catholic population in the eparchies is taken from *Annuario Pontificio* 2022

Total Number of Syro-Malabar Faithful in 35 Syro-Malabar Eparchies	4494887
Syro-Malabar Faithful residing in Europe	45000
Syro-Malabar Faithful in African Countries	16550
Syro-Malabar Faithful in Gulf Countries	503070
Syro-Malabar Faithful in Other Asian Countries	21150

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SYRO-MALABAR CHURCH AT A GLANCE

Archeparchies/Eparchies	: 35
Apostolic Visitations	: 1
Number of faithful	: 5080637
Parishes	: 2753
Semi Parishes	: 1259
Number of families	: 888871
Eparchial Priests	: 5174
Religious Priests	: 5313
Consecrated Men in Brotherhood	: 183
Consecrated Women	: 35486
Major Seminarians (Eparchial)	: 1274
Major Seminarians (Religious)	: 1520
Minor Seminarians (Eparchial)	: 847
Minor Seminarians (Religious)	: 1260
Candidates under formation (Women congregations)	: 2182
Educational Institutions	: 4591
Charitable Institutions	: 2429

VENERABLES AND SERVANTS OF GOD OF SYRO-MALABAR CHURCH

**VENERABLE MAR THOMAS
KURIALACHERRY (1873-1925)**



Birth at Champakulam : 14-01-1873
 Death : 02-06-1925
 Servant of God : 25-01-1985
 Venerable : 02-04-2011

**VENERABLE FR. MATHEW
KADALIKKATTIL (1872-1935)**



Birth at Edappady : 25-04-1872
 Death : 23-05-1935
 Servant of God : 12-11-1989
 Venerable : 27-06-2011

**VENERABLE FR. JOSEPH
VITHAYATHIL (1865-1964)**



Birth at Puthenpally : 23-03-1865
 Death : 08-06-1964
 Servant of God : 07-06-2004
 Venerable : 14-12-2015

**VENERABLE FR. VARGHESE
PAYAPILLY (1876-1929)**



Birth at Konthuruthy : 08-08-1876
 Death : 05-10-1929
 Servant of God : 25-08-2009
 Venerable : 14-04-2018

**VENERABLE FR. AUGUSTINE JOHN
UKKEN (1880-1956)**



Birth at Enammavu : 19-12-1880
 Death : 13-10-1956
 Servant of God : 24-08-2008
 Venerable : 21-12-2018

**VENERABLE SR. MARIA CELINE
KANNANAICAL UMI (1931-1957)**



Birth at Kundannoor : 13-02-1931
 Death : 25-07-1957
 Servant of God : 29-07-2007
 Venerable : 08-11-2022

**SERVANT OF GOD MAR MATHEW
KAVUKATTU (1904-1969)**



Birth at Pravithanam : 17-07-1904
Death : 09-01-1969
Servant of God : 25-09-1994

**SERVANT OF GOD THOMAS
POOTHATHIL (1871-1943)**



Birth at Neendoor : 24-10-1871
Death : 04-12-1943
Servant of God : 26-01-2009

**SERVANT OF GOD MAR MATHEW
MAKKIL (1851-1914)**



Birth at Majoor : 27-03-1851
Death : 26-01-1914
Servant of God : 26-01-2009

**SERVANT OF GOD ANTONY
THACHUPARAMBIL (1894-1963)**



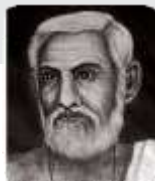
Birth at Kottat : 27-03-1851
Death : 09-06-1963
Servant of God : 09-06-2009

**SERVANT OF GOD JOSEPH C.
PANJIKKRAN (1888-1949)**



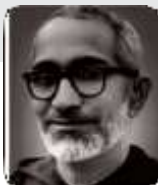
Birth at Uzhuva : 10-09-1888
Death : 04-11-1949
Servant of God : 18-06-2010

**SERVANT OF GOD THOMMACHAN
PUTHENPARAMBIL (1836-1968)**



Birth at Edathua : 08-07-1836
Death : 01-11-1908
Servant of God : 29-06-2012

SERVANT OF GOD REV. FR. CANISIUS CMI
THEKKEKARA (1914-1998)



Birth at Anandapuram : 27-02-1918
Death : 29-01-1998
Servant of God : 29-03-2014

SERVANT OF BRO.FORTUNATUS
THANHÄUSER (1918-2005)



Birth at Berlin : 27-02-1918
Death : 21-11-2005
Servant of God : 22-11-2014

SERVANT OF GOD MARY CELINE
PAYYAPILLY (1906-1993)



Birth at Malluserry : 10-12-1906
Death : 23-04-1993
Servant of God : 09-04-2018

SERVANT OF GOD MARY FRANCESCA
DE CHANTAL (1880 -1972)



Birth at Champakulam : 23-12-1880
Death : 25-05-1972
Servant of God : 04-08-2018

SERVANT OF GOD MSGR. JOSEPH
KANDATHIL (1904-1991)



Birth at at Chempu : 27-10-1904
Death : 12-12-1991
Servant of God : 24-10-2019

SERVANT OF GOD FR. VARKEY
KATTARATH VC (1851-1931)



Birth at Poonjar : 13-10-1851
Death : 24-10-1931
Servant of God : 14-11-2019

**SERVANT OF GOD SR. FIDELIS SD
(1929-2008)**



Birth at Puthenpally EKM : 20-02-1929
Death : 17-01-2008
Servant of God : 14-07- 2021

**SERVANT OF GOD FR. BRUNO
KANIARAKATH CMI (1894-1991)**



Birth at Ramapuram : 20-11-1894
Death : 15-12-1991
Servant of God : 28-09-2021

**SERVANT OF GOD SR. MARY
COLLETT FCC (1904-1984)**



Birth at Cherpunkal :13-03-1904
Death :18-12-1984
Servant of God :28-09-2021

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