Transgender Day of Remembrance
November 20

Transgender Day of Remembrance is observed annually on November 20th to memorialize those murdered as a result of transphobia worldwide.

89%
of transgender individuals killed in the USA between 2008-2020 were people of color.

97%
of those killed globally between 2008 and 2020 were transgender women or femmes.

All locations
Violence commonly occurs after a transgender person informs their sexual partner that they are transgender.

The trend is rising
Between January 2008 and September 2020, there were 3664 murders of transgender people worldwide.

All ages
The average age of a murdered transgender person between 2008-2020 was 30. The youngest was 8. The oldest was 80.

50%
According to a 2005 study looking at an HIV needs analysis in Houston, Texas, “50% of transgender people surveyed had been hit by a primary partner after coming out as transgender.”

References
https://tgeu.org/
https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Trans_woman
https://transrespect.org/

Duke Human Vaccine Institute Diversity & Inclusion Committee
Deadliest year yet
As of October 20, 44 transgender or gender-diverse people have been killed in the United States in 2021.

- Tyianna Alexander
- Samuel Edmund Damián Valentín
- Bianca “Muffin” Bankz
- Dominique Jackson
- Fifty Bandz
- Alexus Braxton
- Chyna Carrillo
- Siblings Jeffrey “JJ” Bright and Jasmine Cannady
- Jenna Franks
- Diamond Kyree Sanders
- Rayanna Pardo
- Jaida Peterson
- Dominique Lucious
- Remy Fennell
- Tiara Banks
- Natalia Smut
- Iris Santos
- Tiffany Thomas
- Keri Washington
- Jahaira DeAlto
- Whispering Wind Bear Spirit
- Sophie Vásquez
- Danika “Danny” Henson
- Serenity Hollis
- Oliver “Ollie” Taylor
- Thomas Hardin
- Poe Black
- EJ Boykin
- Aidelen Evans
- Taya Ashton
- Shai Vanderpump
- Tierramarie Lewis
- Miss CoCo
- Pooh Johnson
- Disaya Monaee
- Briana Hamilton
- Kiér Lapri Kartier
- Mel Groves
- Royal Poetical Starz
- Zoella “Zoey” Rose Martinez
- Jo Acker
- Jessi Hart
- Rikkey Outumuro