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A MOVING TESTIMONIAL OF FAITH AND A TIMELY REMINDER ON THE POWER OF PRAYER

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On 4 March 2016, a group of unidentified gunmen barge into the care home for the elderly, run by the Sisters, killing 16 persons including 4 sisters. Fr. Tom is abducted.

What follows is 557 days in rather lonely captivity in some unknown locations until he is released on 12 September 2017.

In this absorbing and inspirational autobiography Fr. Tom Uzhunnalil narrates in detail his life as hostage and his Godexperiences even in the midst of blood and gunfire around.

This book is a classic testimonial to the truth that the Lord alive hears our prayers and that He would surely answer it in His own good time. The book is a solid assurance that when for the Lord's sake we face trials on one side, He will be there to strengthen us with graces on the other.



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