

# Lebanon murders

Industry Minister Pierre Gemayel is the fifth high-profile, anti-Syrian politician to be killed in Lebanon in the past 21 months



**Feb 14, 2005:** Former Prime Minister **Rafik Hariri** assassinated by massive bomb in Beirut. Syria and pro-Syrians in Lebanese government implicated

**Jun 2:** Anti-Syrian journalist **Samir Kassir** killed by bomb under his car

**Jun 21:** Anti-Syrian politician **George Hawi** killed by bomb under his car

**Jul 12:** Pro-Syrian Deputy Prime Minister **Elias Murr** survives car bomb attack after alleged threats from Syrian intelligence chief

**Sep 25:** **May Chidiac**, anchorwoman on anti-Syrian TV station, critically injured by bomb placed under her car

**Dec. 12:** Anti-Syrian newspaper editor and politician **Gibran Tueni** killed in car bomb attack