

COMRADE SUNIL PAL (1958-2009)

Comrade Pal's whole life, right from the beginning of his college life in Raniganj in 1977 till his martyrdom in the evening of 29th December 2009 when his body was riddled with dozens of bullets fired by hired goons of CPM, was spent fighting for the interests of the working class. Right before his assassination, he was still working on the typewriter in the union office. After choosing this path, no matter what the miseries of his personal life may have been, he never accepted the option of retreat or turning back. It's the truth that we all have learned something or the other from all aspects of his life. It was his proletarian revolutionary tenacity that led him to successfully lead many seemingly impossible struggles, and the word "no" gradually disappeared from his life's lexicon, whether the ongoing struggle was within or outside the frame of legal rights.

