Editor’s Note: “47 victims” can sound like a cold statistic, but they were regular folks like us, who had friends, families and dreams.

The Faces of Lac-Mégantic from July 6, 2013

L-R: Andrée-Anne Sévigny-26, waitress at the Musi-Café for a few weeks; David Martin-36, was with his friend, Michel Junior Guérin-33, father of 2; Éliane Parenteau-Boulanger-93, Élodie Turcotte-18, waitress at the Musi-Café; Geneviève Breton-28, aspiring singer whose 1st album was to be released in mid-July; Guy Bolduc-43, father of 2, musician was performing at the Musi-Cafe; Henriette Latulippe-61, esthetician in town; Jean-Pierre Roy-56, was at the Musi-Café; Jimmy Sirola + Marie-Sémie Alliance-23, lived near the Musi-Café. Their 18 month old daughter was with his parents; Joanie Turmel-29, a graphic artist, was with her husband, Gaëton Lafontaine-33, at the Musi-Café; Kevin Roy-29, and Marianne Poulin-23, lived near the Musi-Café, as did Marie-France Boulet; Talitha Coumi Bégnoche-30, lived nearby with her daughters, Blanka, 9, and Alyssa, 3; Richard Veilleux; Martin Rodrigue, a stonecutter was working as sound technician at the Musi-Café; Marie-Noëlle Faucher was at the Musi-Café; Kathy Clusiault-24, had just moved downtown and planned to open a physiotherapy clinic; Mathew Pelletier-29, taught high school math in town and left behind a wife and 3-year-old; Jean-Guy Veilleux-32, studied at Polyvalente Montignac; Jo-Annie Lapointe-20, was a waitress at the Musi-Café; Lucie Vadnais-49, ran a daycare and was at the Musi-Café; Jacques Giroux; Louise Pouliot-Picard; Denise Dubois-57; Wilfred Ratch; Flowers to honor the victims laid at the site of derailment to mark the 10-year anniversary;