

Charlie Hebdo receives death threats over Tariq Ramadan front page

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“Rape,” reads the caption on Charlie Hebdo’s cover. “The defence of Tariq Ramadan.”

Laurent “Riss” Sourisseau, the magazine’s editor, said the threats and hate mail had “never really stopped” after the January 2015 jihadist attack in which 12 people were gunned down at its offices. “Sometimes there are peaks when we receive explicit death threats on social media – this has been the case once again,” he told Europe 1 radio. “It’s always difficult to know if these are serious threats or not, but as a principle, we take them seriously and press charges.” However, he suggested the climate had worsened. “Calls to murder have become commonplace,” he said.



In an editorial, Laurent Joffrin, said those sending death threats had missed the point. "An attack against Islam? In fact, against Ramadan, mocked as a Tartuffe with a big d*** who contradicts the very principles he is supposed to teach and which are not, by the way, targeted by Charlie. But subtlety is not bigots' strong point."

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