

ISIS Militant 'Kills His Own Mother' in Public Raqqa Execution

Her "crime" was to try to save her son. [reported](#) that she was killed under the pretext of "inciting her son to leave the Islamic State and escaping together to the outside of Al-Raqqah, and that the coalition will kill all members of the organization," in reference to the U.S.-led anti-ISIS coalition conducting air strikes on the group in Syria and Iraq.

Activists reported that after Al-Qasem persuaded her son to leave the city, he identified her to the group who subsequently arrested her. It is unclear whether Saqr shot her dead on the group's orders or of his own volition.