

## POSTHUMOUS AWARD

**Name:** MUSTAQ AHMED

**Occupation:** Army Man

### PROFILE:

Mustaq Ahmed,30, a soldier, belonging to **Parnapalli village** in Bandi Atmakur mandal in Kurnool, was one of the 10 army personnel killed when an Indian base camp was struck in a rapid flow of snow in the Siachen glacier in Jammu and Kashmir.

Mustaq Ahmed, who hailed from an agriculturist's family, studied up to Intermediate and joined the **Indian Army** in the **Madras Regiment** 12 years ago. He is survived by his aged parents, wife Nazeemunnisa and a seven month-old son.

Mustaq Ahmed went on the call of duty to the Siachen glacier when his son was 15 days old. He planned to return home in June, before the **Ramzan festival**, and construct a house. **Mustaq's death** left the entire nation and his family in deep pain.