

Assam agitation leader passes away



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Former AASU activist and a torchbearer of Assam Movement Girish Chandra Bhattacharjya died of cardiac arrest on Thursday. He was 59. The end came at his residence at Borjolah village of [Tangla](#) in the evening.

His sudden demise has casted a pall of [gloom](#) in the entire area of Tangla where he was [Tangla](#) unit [President](#) and Vice-[President](#) in the period of 1982-1985 and 1985-86 respectively.

He also served as Organizing secretary of central committee AASU 1987-89. He was instrumental in strengthening the roots of the [student](#) body during his tenure.

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