

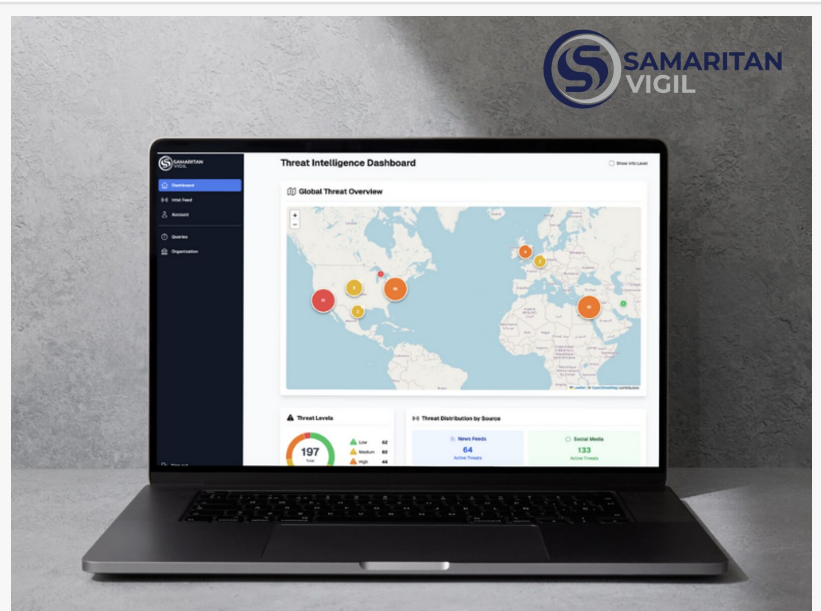
# Samaritan Vigil Disrupts Protective Intelligence Market with Affordable, Real-Time Threat Monitoring Platform

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WASHINGTON, DC, UNITED STATES, October 1, 2025 /EINPresswire.com/ -- [Samaritan Protective Services](#) has officially launched [Samaritan Vigil](#), a groundbreaking protective intelligence platform that is revolutionizing how security teams identify and respond to real-world threats. Designed specifically for lean, agile corporate security operations, Vigil is democratizing access to actionable threat intelligence—offering the power of enterprise-level systems without the complexity or cost.

Launched globally on August 1, 2025, Vigil has already seen exponential adoption, with users across North America, Europe, and the Asia-Pacific integrating the platform into their GSOCs, executive protection workflows, and corporate risk management strategies.

“The accessibility of intelligence is critical to the effectiveness of any risk management or security operation,” said Brandon Shafikhani, CEO of Samaritan Protective Services. “We built Vigil to eliminate the gap between those who need timely, contextual threat data and the overpriced, oversaturated platforms that dominate the market. Every protective team deserves clarity in chaos—without paying enterprise premiums.”



Samaritan Vigil Dashboard



Samaritan Vigil Logo

## A Platform Built for Real-World Risk

Unlike legacy threat intelligence platforms that often require large-scale deployments, long onboarding timelines, and enterprise budgets, Vigil is designed with speed, simplicity, and precision in mind. Key features include:

- Real-Time Event Monitoring from global open-source intelligence (OSINT) channels, including social media, news alerts, and curated feeds.
- AI-Enhanced Threat Categorization that tags and summarizes alerts by risk type: physical, cyber, environmental, reputational, and geopolitical.
- Customizable Filters that allow users to define alerts by geography, keywords, or industry sector—minimizing noise and maximizing operational value.
- Interactive Threat Mapping for geospatial visualizations of unfolding incidents.
- Exportable Intelligence Reports for integration into SOPs and executive briefings.
- Secure Web-Based Interface, with mobile expansion planned for early 2026.

Each user receives full access to the platform—no tiered pricing, no upsells, no feature gating. For less than \$5,000/year, organizations gain a 360-degree view of emerging threats relevant to their people, assets, and operations.

## Disrupting the Status Quo

What sets Vigil apart is its value proposition in comparison to legacy platforms like Dataminr, Everbridge, or Ontic:

- Affordability: While traditional platforms can cost tens—or even hundreds—of thousands annually, Vigil remains under \$5,000/year for full access.
- Simplicity: No bloated interfaces or unnecessary complexity. Vigil's intuitive dashboard allows teams to go from onboarding to operational in under 24 hours.
- Scalability: Built for smaller security teams and mid-market corporations, Vigil fills the intelligence gap for organizations priced out of the traditional market.
- Contextual Clarity: AI models reduce information overload by prioritizing relevance and risk—ensuring users aren't buried in irrelevant alerts.

"We listened to the pain points of real users," said Shafikhani. "They told us they needed a smarter, leaner solution that cuts through the noise. With Vigil, we're not just keeping pace, we're rewriting what's possible for protective intelligence in the modern threat landscape."

## Designed for the Underserved

Vigil's mission is rooted in accessibility and enablement. While large corporations may have entire threat intelligence teams or outsourced GSOC support, thousands of small to mid-sized security departments lack the resources to monitor global threats effectively.

Vigil empowers:

- Executive Protection teams needing situational awareness before and during assignments.
- Corporate Security Teams monitoring global events, protests, travel disruptions, or regional instability.
- Risk Management Officers overseeing critical infrastructure, brand reputation, or cyber-physical convergence risks.
- Security Operations Centers (SOC/GSOC) seeking a plug-and-play feed without expensive integrations.

The platform has already been adopted by clients in the financial, legal, NGO, energy, and private security sectors, with user feedback directly shaping ongoing updates.

### Rapid Growth, Continuous Evolution

In just two months, Vigil has already delivered four major development sprints in response to real-time user feedback:

- Launch (August 2025): Core dashboards, query customization, and initial AI threat sorting.
- Iteration 2: Expanded sources including additional social media platforms and global news sources, plus interactive geolocation of incidents.
- Iteration 3: Subscription and user management, data retention customization, and advanced alert controls.
- Iteration 4 (October 2025): Sentiment analysis update, even more data source integrations, and enhanced contextual filtering.

More improvements are slated for Q4 2025, including mobile optimization, team-based alert sharing, and advanced role-based permissions.

### A New Standard for Intelligence Platforms

With global instability, cyber-physical threats, and fast-moving crisis events on the rise, organizations need intelligence tools that are:

- Immediate — Delivering relevant alerts in seconds, not hours.
- Contextual — Providing meaning and clarity, not just raw data.
- Affordable — Allowing even small teams to act with confidence.

Samaritan Vigil meets all three—and is doing so at scale.

### About Samaritan Protective Services

Headquartered in Washington, DC with global operations in London and beyond, Samaritan Protective Services is a veteran-founded risk management firm delivering physical security, technical surveillance countermeasures (TSCM), intelligence consulting, and GSOC services to clients worldwide. The launch of Samaritan Vigil reflects the company's ongoing commitment to innovation, accessibility, and excellence in security technology.

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