

ther wounded. Remzi, the one who survived, recounted to Meriton's and Vehbi's families that they had been ambushed by Serb forces while walking towards their guard's posts, and that Meriton and Vehbi had died instantly. The following day, Meriton's and Vehbi's fathers recovered their sons' bodies with the assistance of some KLA members, and buried them in Krajkovë/Krajkovo cemetery.

Sources: statement of A.E, HLC-31838; J. Martinsen, *List.*, HLC-26092.

Mursel (Sefë) Ademi

(born 13/05/1959, Albanian from Shterubulloë/Štrbulovo, Gllgoc/Glogovac municipality, farmer, six children)

Mursel left Shterubulloë/Štrbulovo with his family after the Serb police had repeatedly searched houses in the village, ill-treating and beating the villagers. They found shelter in the neighbouring village of **Krajkovë/Krajkovo**. On **25 September 1998**, Serb forces started shelling Krajkovë/Krajkovo from Komaran/Komorane. The residents fled to a hill near Mount **Kosmaç/Kosmač**. Mursel and several other men split from the group and headed for the mountain. In the evening, Mursel's family was told by some unknown person that a man had been wounded by a shell on the mountain. When they heard how the man was dressed, they instantly knew it was Mursel. Mursel's wife Fatime found her husband the next day severely wounded, in the house of Fetah Podmrimqaku in Krajkovë/Krajkovo. Two days later, the Ademis took Mursel to Doctor Abedin Halilaj, who established that Mursel had been severely injured and said that he could not help him. The next day, on 28 September 1998, early in the morning, Mursel passed away in his home in Shterubulloë/Štrbulovo. His family buried him later that day in the village cemetery. After the war, on 27 June 1999, his mortal remains were transferred to the Cemetery for War Victims in Shterubulloë/Štrbulovo.

Sources: statement of F.A, HLC-16545; KMDLNJ, *Buletini*, no. 9, october-december 1998, 117, HLC-23857.

Islam (Ali) Shala

(born 1908, Albanian from Krajkovë/Krajkovo, Gllgoc/Glogovac municipality, seven children)

When Serb forces started shelling the village of Krajkovë/Krajkovo on **25 September 1998**, Islam fled to Mount **Kosmaç/Kosmač** [**Krajkovë/Krajkovo**] along with his family and other villagers. After a while, the men, including Islam's son Kamber, moved deeper into the woods, while Islam stayed with the women and children. Shortly afterwards, Islam also left the women and children and went deeper into the woods, for fear of Serb forces. In the evening, after the gunfire had ceased, the local women Shefkije and Fahrije found Islam's body in the woods. Later that evening, Kamber and his grandson Ramiz took Islam's body to Krajkovë/Krajkovo and buried him in the village cemetery.

Sources: statement of K.S, HLC-31839; *Buletini*, no. 9, october-december 1998, 117, HLC-23857.

Fejzë (Brahim) Brahaj

(born 14/05/1946, Albanian from Krajkovë/Krajkovo, Gllgoc/Glogovac municipality, bricklayer, seven children)

Sabit (Mehmet) Buzaku

(born 7/04/1966, Albanian from Krajkovë/Krajkovo, Gllgoc/Glogovac municipality, bricklayer, four children)

Afrim (Ramadan) Brahaj

(born 2/07/1968, Albanian from Krajkovë/Krajkovo, Gllgoc/Glogovac municipality, construction worker)

Fahredin (Fejzë) Brahaj

(born 7/05/1979, Albanian from Krajkovë/Krajkovo, Gllgoc/Glogovac municipality, student)

Faik (Aziz) Brahaj

(born 26/11/1982, Albanian from Krajkovë/Krajkovo, Gllgoc/Glogovac municipality, secondary school student)

Serb forces attacked **Krajkovë/Krajkovo** on the morning of **25 September 1998**. The men from the *Brahaj* and *Buzaku* neighbourhoods, including the brothers Afrim and Florim, and Sabit, Fejzë and his son Fahredin and the brothers Faik and Besnik,