

them that they had tracked down their graves at the cemetery in Pejë/Peć. Later that day, KLA soldiers transferred their mortal remains to the Cemetery for Fallen Combatants in Glllogjan/Glodane [Deçan/Deçani municipality].

**Sources:** statement of Xh. M, HLC-35415; J. Martinsen, *List.*, HLC-26092; H. Hasani, *Dëshmorët.*, HLC-25596; *Fate of Ten Albanians, Abducted by Serbs, Unknown*, newsletter, KIC, 6/8/1998, HLC-29402.

### **Tahir (Sali) Shala**

(born 15/03/1965, Albanian from Loxhë/Loda, Pejë/Peć municipality, farmer, three children)

On **6 July 1998**, Serb police forces attacked the KLA in the village of **Loxhë/Loda**. Tahir heard Serb forces coming from the direction of Graboc/Grabovac, took up his weapon and set off in that direction. Shortly afterwards, Tahir was seriously injured. He died the same evening in the KLA field hospital in Irzniq/Rznić. Tahir's cousins and fellow villagers brought his body into the village. He had gunshot wounds in the chest area. His funeral took place that night at the village cemetery.

**Sources:** statement of A.S, HLC-19715; FHP, *Haški tribunal, Sudeње Slobodanu Miloševiću*, V, 477; J. Martinsen, *List.*, HLC-26092; *Serbian Forces Attack Village of Loxha and Peja*, newsletter, KIC, 6/7/1998, HLC-34047; H. Hasani, *Dëshmorët.*, HLC-25596.

### **Milorad (Labud) Rajković**

(born 16/01/1957, Serb from Pejë/Peć, four children, member of MUP RS)

### **Mirko (Miloš) Radunović**

(born 13/10/1962, Serb from Dashinoc/Dašinovac, Deçane/Deçane municipality, two children, member of MUP RS)

### **Srđan (Jezdimir) Perović**

(born 20/12/1962, Serb from Pejë/Peć, single, member of MUP RS)

### **Dejan (Nikola) Prelević**

(born 29/07/1974, Serb from Pejë/Peć, single, member of MUP RS)

Srđan, Mirko and Dejan were officers at the Pejë/Peć Police Department. Milorad worked at the *Zastava* factory branch in

Pejë/Peć. He was a member of the Police Reserve from 1986.

On Monday, **6 July 1998**, Srđan, Mirko, Dejan and Milorad were ambushed by the KLA as they patrolled the village of **Loxhë/Loda**. Mirko and Dejan died instantly. They were buried the next day by their respective families in the Town Cemetery in Pejë/Peć. The police found Srđan's and Milorad's mortal remains on 16 August 1998, after driving the KLA from Loxhë/Loda, in a ditch beside the road leading to the village of Zllapek/Zlopek. The post-mortem examination performed on their bodies determined that Srđan had died from injuries sustained from severe torture, while Milorad had been killed by one bullet to the head. Srđan and Milorad were buried on 18 August 1998 in the cemetery in Pejë/Peć.

**Sources:** statement of N.R, HLC-29731; statement of S.M, HLC-8267; Z. Stijović, *Kosmet.*, 110, 111, 169, 180; KMC AFRY, *Persons died.*, HLC-10832; SMIP, *Teroristički.*, III, 934; FHP, *Haški tribunal, Sudeње Slobodanu Miloševiću*, XVIII, 178; FHP, *Haški tribunal, Sudeње Slobodanu Miloševiću*, XVIII, 253, 254; SV SRJ, *Junaci otadžbine*, 52, 55, 57, 58; Požarevac District Court, K.66/99 (Rasim Isufaj et al.), judgment, 16/3/2000, HLC-1963; Ministry of the Interior of the RS, State Security Service, Records., HLC- 18562; ICTY, IT-02-54 (S. Milošević), Ex.298. 36.1,2,3, HLC-30871; *Poginula trojica policajaca, nekoliko ranjenih*; Politika, 7/7/1998, HLC-34244.

### **Rrustem (Beqir) Bruqi**

(born 28/08/1958, Albanian from Isniq/Istinić, Deçan/Deçani municipality, lawyer, three children, member of KLA)

### **Lumni (Musë) Surdulli**

(born 24/01/1969, Albanian from Samadrexhë/Samodreža, Vushtrri/Vučitrn municipality, member of KLA)

### **Xhavit (Tahir) Qufaj**

(born 12/10/1969, Albanian from Pejë/Peć, three children, member of KLA)

### **Enver (Tahir) Alaj**

(born 12/10/1975, Albanian from Drenoc/Drenovac, Deçan/Deçani municipality, teacher, single, member of KLA)