

civilians expelled from Kosovo by Serb forces to arrive safely in Albania. On **11 September 1998**, on Mount *Bogićevica* [Plav municipality, Montenegro], at the tri-border area of Kosovo, Albania and Montenegro, they encountered Yugoslav Army soldiers, who opened fire on them. All three men died immediately. Their families were later on told by some Albanians from Plav that Yugoslav Army soldiers had buried their bodies in a field in Plav. The families, however, have not located their bodies to date. Sadri, Xhevat and Shpetim are registered on the ICRC list of missing persons under BLG-802510-01, BLG-804208-01 and BLG-804207-01 respectively.

**Sources:** statement of N.B, HLC-35297; statement of S.V, HLC-11492; J. Martinsen, *List.*, HLC-26092; ICRC, *Persons missing.*, HLC-9795; SHFDUÇK, *Feniksët.*, 12, 204-205; HLC, *People to remember people*, questionnaire, HLC-31815; H. Hasani, *Dëshmorët.*, HLC-25596.

### Ilija (Dragoje) Janković

(born 27/01/1958, Serb from Rosulë/Rosulje, Pejë/Peć municipality, single, member of MUP RS)

Ilija was appointed to the Serbian Police Reserve in 1998. He was seriously injured on **18 September 1998** in clashes with the KLA in **Baran/Barane**. He was transported the same day to the Military Medical Academy (VMA) in Belgrade, where he succumbed to his injuries a day later.

**Sources:** KMC AFRY, *Persons died.*, HLC-10832; SMIP, *Teroristički.*, III, 939; SV SRJ, *Junaci otadžbine*, 30; Z. Stijović, *Kosmet.*, 110; ICTY, IT-02-54 (S. Milošević), Ex.298.2.3, HLC-30902; *Pripadnici Ministarstva unutrašnjih poslova - žrtve albanskog terorizma u 1998.godini*, on <http://www.srbija-info.yu/vesti/1999-02/19/9769.html>, HLC-31078.

### Rexhep (Ramiz) Kaliqani

(born 2/02/1944, Albanian from Pejë/Peć, economist, four children)

Rexhep lived with his wife Sabrije and their four daughters in the centre of **Pejë/Peć**, in a high-rise building in Maršala Tita Street.

He left home on **20 September 1998**, without saying to his family where he was going. They never saw him again. His fate remained unknown until 1 February 2003, when the Kaliqanis were informed by ICRC representatives that Rexhep's body had been discovered in Irzniq/Rznić. The Kaliqanis buried Rexhep's mortal remains on 5 December 2003 in the cemetery in Pejë/Peć.

**Sources:** statement of S.K, HLC-14315; OMPF, *Consolidated list.*, HLC-32367.

### Nuradin (Cekë) Zejnullahu

(born 29/05/1949, Albanian from Pejë/Peć, doctor of internal medicine, four children)

Nuradin lived with his children in their family home on Prizrenska liga Street, near the High School in **Pejë/Peć**. On **18 November 1998**, at about 20:30h, two armed masked men appeared in front of the Zejnullahu's house. They told Nuradin's son, who was entering the house at that moment, to send his father out. When Nuradin came out of the house, they shot him in the legs and left. Nuradin's brother rushed Nuradin to the town hospital, where he was immediately operated on. Because of the very serious condition he was in, the doctors referred him to the hospital in Prishtina. He died in the ambulance at the entrance to Prishtinë/Priština. His family buried him the next day in the cemetery in Pejë/Peć.

**Sources:** statement of M.Z, HLC-14755; SMIP, *Teroristički.*, III, 914; ICTY, IT-02-54 (S. Milošević), Ex.298.1.4, HLC-30924; *Disguised, Serb-Speaking Persons, Kill Albanian Surgeon, Wound His Daughter in Peja*, newsletter, KIC, 19/11/1998, HLC-30653.

### Mervete (Salih) Maksutaj

(born 4/10/1978, Albanian girl from Orrobërdë/Orno Brdo, Istog/Istok municipality, unemployed, member of KLA)

Mervete joined the KLA in July 1998. On **4 December 1998**, Mervete headed for the hospital [**Pejë/Peć**] with Besnik Shala, a fellow combatant, in order to try to get a wounded KLA soldier, Naim Lushi, out of the hospital. At the hospital, they were