

List., HLC-26092; H. Hasani, *Dëshmorët.*, HLC-25596.

Bashkim (Avdi) Leku

(born 25/10/1972, Albanian from Bajicë/Banjica, Glllogoc/Glogovac municipality, student, member of KLA)

Bashkim studied mathematics at the Business College in Prishtinë/Priština. He was an activist against the Serbian regime in *Drenica* from 1996. He was sought by the Serb police, who repeatedly searched his parents' house in Bajicë/Banjica. He was killed by a tank shell in **Junik on 6 August 1998**, and buried in Junik. On the anniversary of his death, his body was transferred to the Cemetery for Fallen Combatants in Bajicë/Banjica.

Sources: statement of A.LI, HLC-31824; J. Martinsen, *List.*, HLC-26092; H. Hasani, *Dëshmorët.*, HLC-25596.

Ajne (Osaj Miftar) Zymeraj

(born 6/10/1936, Albanian woman from Lëbushë/Ljubuša, Dečan/Dečani municipality, housewife, six children)

Shaban (Ramë) Osaj

(born 27/05/1932, Albanian from Dečan/Dečane, carpenter, six children)

Qaush (Arif) Bajraktari

(born 18/02/1926, Albanian from Dečan/Dečane, accountant, five children)

Timë (Dervish Agaj) Bajraktari

(born 10/02/1928, Albanian woman from Dečan/Dečane, housewife, five children)

Ajne and her husband Zymer lived in Lëbushë/Ljubuša. Before the war broke out they moved to **Dečan/Dečane**, where they owned an apartment. In the same building lived Qaush and Timë Bajraktari. They were alone in their apartment after their children had fled to Montenegro. On 6 August 1998 Zymer went to Pejë/Peć to attend to some business, leaving Ajne in the apartment with her cousin Shaban. The press reported on **7 August 1998** that Ajne, Shaban, Qaush and Timë were murdered. Gani Dautaj, who was taken by the police to the crime scene to identify the victims,

later on said to their families that no one of them was killed by firearm but were massacred. Police first took their bodies to the morgue in Gjakovë/Đakovica and then to Pejë/Peć. Ajne, Qaush, Timë and Shaban were buried on 9 August 1998 in the Pejë/Peć cemetery. On 20 July 2008 Timë's and Qaush's mortal remains were transferred and buried by their family members in the Junik cemetery. Ajne and Shaban still rest in the Pejë/Peć cemetery.

Sources: statement of D.Z, HLC-17042; statement of R. I, HLC-12117; statement of B. B, HLC-29923; KMC AFRY, *Persons died.*, HLC-10832.

Vitomir (Mirko) Kuzmanović

(born 29/04/1969, Serb from Sremska Kamenica, member of VJ)

Vitomir was born in Ugodnović, near Teslić [BiH]. He fought in the wars in BiH and Croatia. He lived in a rented apartment on Slavka Rodića Street in Sremska Kamenica. He served with the Yugoslav Army as a professional contract soldier, holding the rank of Sergeant First Class. In Kosovo, he was deployed with the 5th Military Police Battalion as platoon commander. He was killed on **7 August 1998** in **Jasiq/Jasić**, in clashes with the KLA. Vitomir was buried on 11 August 1998 in his home village of Ugodnović, near Teslić, BiH.

Sources: Z. Stijović, *Junaci otadžbine*, 37; GSM DTC, *List.*, HLC-8817; KMC AFRY, *Persons died.*, HLC-10832; statement of B.T, HLC-31163.

Sokol (Muzli) Sejfićaj

(born 1/02/1970, Albanian from Glllogjan/Glodane, Dečan/Dečani municipality, member of KLA)

Sokol enrolled in Prishtinë/Priština University before 1990 but he interrupted studies to serve his mandatory term in the Yugoslav People's Army (JNA). Upon return from the army, police brought him in several times for what was termed "an informative talk", which was the reason why he left Kosovo for Germany. In summer of 1997 he returns to Kosovo. Again, he had problems with the Serb police. He joined