

that operation, Ismet and Habib were killed fighting Serb forces. Members of Serb forces buried them in the village of Shirokë/Široko. Following the OSCE-brokered armistice agreement signed between the KLA and Serb forces, Ismet and Habib were re-interred [on 20 November 1998] in the cemetery in of Kleçkë/Klečka [Lipjan/Lipljan municipality].

**Sources:** statement of H.B, HLC-33634; statement of A.Z, HLC-33033; SHFĐUÇK, *Feniksët...* 2, 165-169; SHFĐUÇK, *Feniksët...* 4, 119-123; KMDLNJ, *Buletini*, no. 9, October-December 1998, 121, 122, HLC-23857; J. Martinsen, *List...*, HLC-26092; ICTY, IT-03-66-T, (F. Limaj et al.), transcripts, 15/11/2004, <http://www.hlc-rdc.org/uploads/editor/file/Transkripti/Limaj/Limaj%20-%20Uvodna%20rec%20Tuzilastva%20-%2015/11/2004..pdf>; photography, HLC-21025; photography, HLC-21018; photography, HLC-21017.

### Ruzhdi (Ymer) Qatani

(born 3/10/1972, Albanian from Duhël/Dulje, Suharekë/Suva Reka municipality, teacher, one child)

Ruzhdi lived with his large family on the outskirts of Duhël/Dulje. The clashes between the KLA and Serb forces on **25 August 1998** forced most of the village residents to leave Duhël/Dulje. The Qatani family, 25 persons, hid in their basement. Serb forces entered the village and, while conducting a house-to-house search, found Ruzhdi and his family, forced them out into the yard and ordered them to line up. They separated Ruzhdi from the rest of the family, claiming that he had been helping the KLA and knew where their positions were. The rest of the family were ordered to leave the village. The family never saw Ruzhdi again. A few days later, the family heard from some KLA soldiers that Ruzhdi had been killed near the *Sopaj* neighbourhood [Duhël/Dulje]. His body remained on the scene until October 1998, when his family recovered it with the assistance of the OSCE Mission, and buried it in the village cemetery.

**Sources:** statement of Y.K, HLC-10954; statement of S.S, HLC-6721; J. Osmani,

*Krimet...*, II, 350; ICTY, IT-02-54 (S. Milošević), Ex.241 A, HLC-5838; ICTY, IT-02-54 (S. Milošević), Ex. D.300.125, HLC-30608; *Serb Troops Execute Four Albanians in Suhareka*, newsletter, KIC, 27/08/1998, HLC-29513.

### Jalldyze (Murat Bajrami) Asllani

(born 1934, Albanian woman from Rancë/Rance, Shtime/Štimlje municipality, housewife, six children)

### Halide (Feriz Krasniqi) Asllani

(born 19/09/1962, Albanian woman from Rancë/Rance, Shtime/Štimlje municipality, housewife, seven children)

### Ajshe (Feriz Krasniqi) Asllani

(born 1971, Albanian woman from Rancë/Rance, Shtime/Štimlje municipality, housewife, one child)

### Burim (Isak) Asllani

(born 1985, Albanian boy from Rancë/Rance, Shtime/Štimlje municipality, primary school student)

### Lumnije (Isak) Asllani

(born 1986, Albanian girl from Rancë/Rance, Shtime/Štimlje municipality, primary school student)

### Ejup (Isak) Asllani

(born 1988, Albanian boy from Rancë/Rance, Shtime/Štimlje municipality, primary school student)

### Luljeta (Isak) Asllani

(born 1991, Albanian girl from Rancë/Rance, Shtime/Štimlje municipality, primary school student)

### Shpend (Isak) Asllani

(born 1993, Albanian boy from Rancë/Rance, Shtime/Štimlje municipality)

### Xhafer (Isak) Asllani

(born 1995, Albanian child from Rancë/Rance, Shtime/Štimlje municipality)

### Antigona (Isak) Asllani

(born 1997, Albanian baby girl from Rancë/Rance, Shtime/Štimlje municipality)

### Albiona (Musë) Asllani

(born February 1998, Albanian baby girl from Rancë/Rance, Shtime/Štimlje municipality)

Serb forces shelled Rancë/Rance in late July 1998. The village residents left the village