

To whom it may concern,

What follows is public testimony data exported from the Xinjiang Victims Database (shahit.biz) on Sun, 25 Sep 2022 01:03:08 +0000.

A total of 9 victims with the following criteria is considered:

Quality: Tier 1

Detention reason: "violating birth policies"

With official detention reasons only

The vast majority of testimonies presented come with supplementary materials - video, audio, pictures, and documents - the links to which are included here and which also may be consulted by accessing the testimonies via the original interface at www.shahit.biz.

In compiling this information, all efforts have been made to faithfully and accurately convey that which has been put forth by the testifier. In many cases, the information was imported from public sources. In others, it was submitted to us directly by the testifier.

Despite our best efforts and most professional intentions, it is inevitable that some human error is nevertheless present. Many testimonies were inputted by non-native English speakers and still require proofreading. Finally, the majority of these testimonies have not gone through rigorous corroboration and as such should not be treated as fact. We hereby leave the way in which this data will be used to the reader's discretion.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in Urdu script, written in black ink. The signature is stylized and appears to be 'شہادت بنی' (Shahadat Bani).

the shahit.biz team

8825. Rozimemet Qadir (如则麦麦提·喀迪尔)

Chinese ID: 653222197603200293 (Karakash)

Basic info

Age: 42

Gender: M

Ethnicity: Uyghur

Likely current location: Hotan

Status: concentration camp

When problems started: Jan. 2018 - Mar. 2018

Detention reason (suspected | official): --- | related to going abroad, "violating birth policies"

Health status: has problems

Profession: ---

Testifying party

Testimony 1: Xinjiang government records, as reported by Adrian Zenz.

Testimony 2: The "Qaraqash List", a local government document from Qaraqash County, leaked abroad in the middle of 2019. (from same town/region)

Testimony 3: Urumqi police records, as reported by Yael Grauer.

About the victim

Rozimemet Qadir is a father of four. He had previously engaged in a failed attempt to flee China via Yunnan.

Address: 1-2 Jixiang Fourth Alley, North Qumluq Road, Yengisheher Neighborhood, Bostan Subdistrict, Qaraqash Municipality, Qaraqash County, Hotan Prefecture
(墨玉县波斯坦街道办事处英协海尔社区库木鲁克北路吉祥4号巷1-2号).

Current location

At the Qaraqash No. 3 camp.

Chronology of detention(s)

Sent to the Qaraqash No. 3 camp on February 25, 2018.

Suspected and/or official reason(s) for detention

The Qaraqash list gives two reasons for his detention:

- 1) "Illegally leaving the country" or "attempting to illegally leave the country".
- 2) Having 2 children more than allowed by the family planning policy.

Last reported status

Detained in camp. He is marked as being under armed supervision (强管).

He suffers from impaired hearing (second degree).

How testifier(s) learned of victim's situation

The data were obtained from local Xinjiang government documents.

Additional information

The original Qaraqash list document (with minor redactions): shahit.biz/supp/list_008.pdf

Excerpts from the local government administration reports/conclusions regarding the victim:

"Attempted to leave the country illegally. Was arrested in Kunming while preparing to leave and was kept there for 9 months (2014/10-2015/08). Was later transferred to the Hotan County public security bureau, then released after three months. There still remains a real threat. Violated the birth policy (first daughter over the quota: Rahile, born in December 2012, ID number: 653222201212210020; second daughter over the quota: Mukesina, born in September 2016, ID number: 653222201609250047). Has 10 relatives, 1 arrested, 1 in training. Relatively many relatives arrested. Rozimemet's thought transformation has been average, can do better to admit his mistakes and express regret. Continue training."

Police tags

"person with a criminal record (national level, not Urumqi)" (刑事犯罪前科人员全国非乌鲁木齐)

Victims among relatives

Eynalhan Mijit (10127), Mijit Sidiq (10126), Ilyas Rozimemet (10144), Yaqup Rozimemet (10145), Rahile Rozimemet (10146), Muhsine Rozimemet (10147)

Entry created: 2020-05-21

Last updated: 2020-08-14

Latest status update: 2019-03-08

9822. Yusupjan Jappar

Chinese ID: 653222197410020317 (Karakash)

Basic info

Age: 44

Gender: M

Ethnicity: Uyghur

Likely current location: Hotan

Status: concentration camp

When problems started: Apr. 2018 - June 2018

Detention reason (suspected | official): --- | other, "violating birth policies"

Health status: ---

Profession: ---

Testifying party

Testimony 1: The "Qaraqash List", a local government document from Qaraqash County, leaked abroad in the middle of 2019. (from same town/region)

Testimony 2: Urumqi police records, as reported by Yael Grauer.

About the victim

Yusupjan Jappar (potential Mandarin spelling: 玉苏浦江·加帕尔).

Address: No. 2, Alley 8, North Qumluq Road, Yengisheher Community (英协海尔社区库木路克北路8巷2号).

Current location

Qaraqash County No. 1 or No. 5 Camp (records differ).

Chronology of detention(s)

Sent to the Qaraqash County No. 1 or No. 5 camp (records differ) on April 19, 2018.

Suspected and/or official reason(s) for detention

A number of reasons are reported:

- 1) Designated as a person from a "special group".
- 2) Having 1-2 children more than allowed by the family planning policy.

Last reported status

Detained at camp.

How testifier(s) learned of victim's situation

The data come directly from a local government document.

Additional information

The original Qaraqash list document (with minor redactions): shahit.biz/supp/list_008.pdf

Excerpts from the local government administration reports/conclusions regarding the victim:

"Yusupjan Jappar's thought transformation is average. His relatives' behavior is normal. He could do better in admitting his past mistakes and regretting his previous attitudes. However, Yusupjan Jappar has spent less than a year in training. Recommended to graduate after the full year is up."

"Yusupjan Jappar's thought transformation is average. His relatives' behavior is average. Yusupjan Jappar could do better to admit his mistakes and express regrets for his previous attitudes. Continue training."

Police tags

"intelligence domestic-security focus person" (情报国保重点人员), "stability-related focus person" (涉稳类重点人)

Victims among relatives

Memetimin Jappar (9947), Memeteli Jappar (9979)

Entry created: 2020-08-13

Last updated: 2020-08-13

Latest status update: 2019-03-08

9835. Memetekber Rozibaqi (麦麦提艾科拜尔·如则巴柯)

Chinese ID: 653222198009060018 (Karakash)

Basic info

Age: 38

Gender: M

Ethnicity: Uyghur

Likely current location: Hotan

Status: concentration camp

When problems started: July 2018 - Sep. 2018

Detention reason (suspected | official): --- | related to going abroad, "violating birth policies"

Health status: ---

Profession: ---

Testifying party

Testimony 1: The "Qaraqash List", a local government document from Qaraqash County, leaked abroad in the middle of 2019. (from same town/region)

Testimony 2 | 3: Urumqi police records, as reported by Yael Grauer.

About the victim

Memet'ekber Rozibaqi.

Address: Apt. 1402, Entrance No. 3, Jinhayu Residence, Yengisheher Community
(英协海尔社区金玉华府3单元1402室).

Current location

In Qaraqash County.

Chronology of detention(s)

- 1) Sent to the Qaraqash No. 2 camp (July 1, 2018).
- 2) Approved for release from camp.

Suspected and/or official reason(s) for detention

A number of reasons are reported:

- 1) Applying for a passport.
- 2) Having 3 children more than allowed by the family planning policy.

An Urumqi police record also notes that he used another person's registration to get a second-generation ID card (冒用他人户口办理二代证). (He had his phone checked in the city on July 30, 2017, and was added to the iTap database on the same day.)

Last reported status

Still in camp, but likely to be released.

How testifier(s) learned of victim's situation

The data come directly from a local government document.

Additional information

The original Qaraqash list document (with minor redactions): shahit.biz/supp/list_008.pdf

A company in Qaraqash whose owner has the same name as the victim [possibly the same person]:
<https://archive.is/mVwiE>

Excerpts from the local government administration reports/conclusions regarding the victim:

"Memet'ekber Rozibaqi has three children. Has applied for a passport. He did not go abroad and did not cause other problems. Memet'ekber Rozibaqi's thoughts have transformed. His family's performance is average, with one family member arrested and many relatives in training. Memet'ekber Rozibaqi can do better to admit his mistakes and express regrets for his previous attitudes. Continue training."

"Memet'ekber Rozibaqi's thoughts have been transformed greatly. He admits his mistakes and expresses serious regrets. Not a threat. His family also faces difficulties, and his father is old and ill. His younger brother is arrested, so there's no one who can take care of the family business. Graduate to community supervision."

Victims among relatives

Ekrem Rozibaqi (10161), Merigul Rozibekri (10162), Abdurahman Rozibekri (10163)

Entry created: 2020-08-13

Last updated: 2021-06-01

Latest status update: 2019-03-08

9926. Emer Memetimin

Chinese ID: 653222197304180296 (Karakash)

Basic info

Age: 45

Gender: M

Ethnicity: Uyghur

Likely current location: Hotan

Status: concentration camp

When problems started: ---

Detention reason (suspected | official): --- | related to going abroad, "violating birth policies", "untrustworthy person"

Health status: ---

Profession: private business

Testifying party

Testimony 1: The "Qaraqash List", a local government document from Qaraqash County, leaked abroad in the middle of 2019. (from same town/region)

Testimony 2: Urumqi police records, as reported by Yael Grauer.

About the victim

Emer Memetimin (potential Mandarin spelling: 艾麦尔·麦麦提敏). He ran a shoe store at the Hope Shopping Mall (希望商城).

Address: No. 12, Alley 235, North Bostan Road, Shatliq Community (夏特勒克社区斯坦街道波斯坦北路235号巷12号).

Current location

Qaraqash No. 1 Camp.

Chronology of detention(s)

Sent to the Qaraqash No. 1 camp on either June 1, 2017 or October 17, 2017 [discrepancy in reported dates may be due to time spent in detention center between initial detention and formal transfer].

Suspected and/or official reason(s) for detention

A number of reasons are reported:

- 1) Going on a Hajj without a government-approved tour group. (In 2002, he went to Dubai for shopping and used the opportunity to go on a Hajj.)
- 2) Having 5 children more than allowed by the family planning policy.
- 3) Labeled as an "unreliable person born in the 1970s".

Last reported status

Detained at camp.

He is currently being held at Area No. 1 of the camp.

How testifier(s) learned of victim's situation

The data come directly from a local government document.

Additional information

The original Qaraqash list document (with minor redactions): shahit.biz/supp/list_008.pdf

Excerpts from the local government administration reports/conclusions regarding the victim:

"Emer Memet'imin is in the 'armed supervision' class. His relatives' performance is average, family is strongly religious. Continue training."

"His relatives cooperate with the neighborhood administration, but still need an educational incentive. Continue training."

Police tags

"intelligence domestic-security focus person" (情报国保重点人员)

Victims among relatives

Ablikim Memetimin (9902), Memetimin Omer (10128), Ablet Memetimin (10193), Abliz Ablet (10080)

Entry created: 2020-08-14

Last updated: 2020-08-14

Latest status update: 2019-03-08

9935. Ehmettohti Yasin

Chinese ID: 653222197501100013 (Karakash)

Basic info

Age: 44

Gender: M

Ethnicity: Uyghur

Likely current location: Hotan

Status: concentration camp

When problems started: before 2017

Detention reason (suspected | official): --- | "violating birth policies", related to going abroad, past "transgressions"

Health status: ---

Profession: ---

Testifying party

Testimony 1: The "Qaraqash List", a local government document from Qaraqash County, leaked abroad in the middle of 2019. (from same town/region)

Testimony 2 | 3: Urumqi police records, as reported by Yael Grauer.

About the victim

Ehmettohti Yasin (potential Mandarin spelling: 艾合麦提托合提·亚森).

Address: 11 Yushi First Alley, West Yipbazar Road, Yuhua Community / 79 Yushi First Alley, Yuhua Community (玉华社区依甫巴扎西路玉石一巷11号/玉华社区玉石一巷79号).

Current location

In Qaraqash County.

Chronology of detention(s)

Previously detained during the time of the July 5 incident (in 2009).

More recently, he was originally sent to camp by authorities in Urumqi, but was then transferred to a camp in Qaraqash County on August 1, 2018. It is not clear which camp in Qaraqash he was held at, as some records note that he was transferred to the No. 3 camp from Urumqi, while others list him as being at the No. 2 camp.

He was later approved for release [presumably in early 2019, as this appears to be the approximate date of the Qaraqash List].

Suspected and/or official reason(s) for detention

A number of reasons are reported:

- 1) Having 1-2 children more than allowed by the family planning policy.
- 2) Applying for a passport (did not leave the country).

Last reported status

Still in camp, but likely to be released.

How testifier(s) learned of victim's situation

The data come directly from a local government document.

Additional information

The original Qaraqash list document (with minor redactions): shahit.biz/supp/list_008.pdf

Police tags

"person detained in July 5 incident" (7.5监所羁押人员)

Victims among relatives

Oghulnisa Metniyaz (9823), Memetniyaz Tohti (10122), Sebiay Ehmettohti (10148), Nadire Ehmettohti (10149), Nazaket Ehmettohti (10150)

Entry created: 2020-08-14

Last updated: 2021-05-25

Latest status update: 2019-03-08

9945. Memet Yunus (麦麦提·尤努斯)

Chinese ID: 65322219760702029X (Karakash)

Basic info

Age: 43

Gender: M

Ethnicity: Uyghur

Likely current location: Hotan

Status: concentration camp

When problems started: Apr. 2017 - June 2017

Detention reason (suspected | official): --- | "violating birth policies"

Health status: ---

Profession: ---

Testifying party

Testimony 1: The "Qaraqash List", a local government document from Qaraqash County, leaked abroad in the middle of 2019. (from same town/region)

Testimony 2: Memet Yunus, a former camp detainee from Qaraqash County. (the victim)

About the victim

Memet Yunus.

Address: 20 Communications Company Alley, West Yipbazar Road (依甫巴扎西路联通公司巷20号).

Current location

In Qaraqash County.

Chronology of detention(s)

He was sent to the Qaraqash No. 2 camp on May 21, 2017. In early 2019, he was approved for release, and would appear at a state-organized press conference on February 22, 2020.

Suspected and/or official reason(s) for detention

Having 1 child more than allowed by the family planning policy.

Last reported status

Released from camp. At the press conference he spoke at, he claimed to now earn over 5000RMB per month from the building-materials store he had allegedly opened.

How testifier(s) learned of victim's situation

The data regarding his detention come directly from a local government document.

Memet appears in a February 22, 2020 press conference organized by the XUAR People's Government Information Office (<https://archive.vn/gBmEi>, <https://archive.ph/wip/PzD7K>), the goal of which was to counter the claims made a week earlier during the media blitz around the Qaraqash List. During the (controlled) conference, he confirms his detention and says that he was previously influenced by "religious extremist thoughts".

Additional information

The original Qaraqash list document (with minor redactions): shahit.biz/supp/list_008.pdf

Entry created: 2020-08-14

Last updated: 2021-05-22

Latest status update: 2020-02-22

9996. Patem Memettohti

Chinese ID: 653222198305044565 (Karakash)



Basic info

Age: 36

Gender: F

Ethnicity: Uyghur

Likely current location: Hotan

Status: unclear (soft)

When problems started: Jan. 2018 - Mar. 2018

Detention reason (suspected | official): --- | "violating birth policies"

Health status: ---

Profession: ---

Testifying party

Testimony 1: The "Qaraqash List", a local government document from Qaraqash County, leaked abroad in the middle of 2019. (from same town/region)

Testimony 2: Rozinisa Memettohti, as reported by Financial Times. (sister)

Testimony 3: Rozinisa Memettohti, as reported by Vice News. (sister)

Testimony 4: Xinjiang government records, as reported by Vice News.

Testimony 5: Rozinisa Memettohti, as reported by New York Times. (sister)

About the victim

Patem Memettohti (potential Mandarin spelling: 帕太姆·麦麦提托合提) was active in the local government and served as the head of the local women's association.

Her sister describes her as a "close friend" and says: "She is a really sharp woman who was always good at protecting herself. She was always keeping herself away from problems."

Address: House No. 127, Group No. 2, Yengisheher Village (英协海尔村2组127号).

Current location

[Presumably in Qaraqash.]

Chronology of detention(s)

Her sister reports their last time of contact as being in June 2016, when Rozinisa called her to discuss a package of clothing. She was not able to reach her family again after that call.

According to the Qaraqash list, Patem was sent to the Qaraqash No. 4 camp on March 7, 2018. Additional government records show that she started a 3-month "housekeeping training" course in December 2018,

also at the same facility.

The Qaraqash list reported that she was approved for release [presumably in early 2019, possibly in March]. It is not clear what has happened to her since.

Suspected and/or official reason(s) for detention

Having 1 child more than allowed by the family planning policy.

Last reported status

Likely released from camp, but current situation unclear.

How testifier(s) learned of victim's situation

The data come directly from a local government document.

Additional information

Financial Times coverage: <https://www.ft.com/content/e0224416-4e77-11ea-95a0-43d18ec715f5>

New York Times coverage:
<https://www.nytimes.com/2020/02/17/world/asia/china-reeducation-camps-leaked.html>

Radio Free Asia coverage: <https://www.rfa.org/uyghur/xewerler/qaraqash-hojjiti-02202020154048.html>

The original Qaraqash list document (with minor redactions): shahit.biz/supp/list_008.pdf

Excerpts from the local government administration reports/conclusions regarding the victim:

"None of the relatives have been arrested or sent to training. Older sister got married in Turkey in 2001, and Patem Memettohti has not contacted her since. Patem's relatives actively cooperate with the neighborhood administration and their performance is good. No real threat. Graduate to community supervision."

Victims among relatives

Roziniyaz Mettohti (9951), Memetabdulla Mettohti (10370)

Supplementary materials

Testimony 3-4: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BFJ5zXjdD5U>
photo with husband: https://shahit.biz/supp/9996_2.png
family photo: https://shahit.biz/supp/9996_3.jpeg

Entry created: 2020-08-14

Last updated: 2020-12-25

Latest status update: 2020-02-20

12935. Obulqasim Abdurehim (吾布力卡斯木·阿不都热依木)

Chinese ID: 653101197310014019 (Kashgar)



Basic info

Age: 47

Gender: M

Ethnicity: Uyghur

Likely current location: Ili

Status: sentenced (17 years)

When problems started: Apr. 2017 - June 2017

Detention reason (suspected|official): other | "illegal gathering", "extremism", "violating birth policies"

Health status: ---

Profession: tradesperson

Testifying party

Testimony 1: Nathan, a participant in the Silk Road Peace Project. (relation unclear)

Testimony 2|3: Anonymous, as reported by Radio Free Asia Uyghur. (relation unclear)

Testimony 4: Local police, as reported by Radio Free Asia Uyghur. (from same town/region)

Testimony 5|6|7: Local government employee, as reported by Radio Free Asia Uyghur. (from same town/region)

About the victim

Obulqasim Abdurehim is an Uyghur man. He was born on 1 October 1973 and is currently 47 years old.

He is a married father of three children and worked as an IT technician for China Telecom in Kashgar city since 1995.

Obulqasim Abdurehim was also a member of a meshrep (a traditional Uyghur men's gathering) that celebrated various Uyghur cultural expressions such as poetry, music and dance. Additionally, his meshrep collected and distributed money for needy families. In total (including Obulqasim Abdurehim), 16 men took part in his meshrep.

His ID number is 653101197310014019.

Current location

Testimony 3: Qosh'eriq Prison in Korgas.

Chronology of detention(s)

Testimony 2: Obulqasim and other members of the meshrep group had been previously arrested and interrogated in 2014, because of their donations to religious leaders who were detained in 2014 on

"extremism" charges.

Testimony 1:

Obulqasim Abdurehim disappeared in May 2017. It is implied that he was arrested at that time. He is presumed to have been sent to a concentration camp.

The testimony states that most of the other men in his meshrep [names unspecified] were also detained on the same night in May 2017.

Obulqasim Abdurehim was sentenced to 7 years in prison at an unspecified point in time.

In addition, following his detention, his wife received a notice that Obulqasim Abdurehim was being fined 90,000 yuan for illegally having a third child. At the time, Uyghurs were only allowed two children under China's family planning regulations. His wife reportedly managed to collect the 90,000 yuan (which the testifier specifies was equal to approximately 2 or 3 years of income) to register the third child.

Testimony 3: Obulqasim Abdurehim was interrogated by authorities for a period of six months following his initial arrest in May 2017. During his interrogation, Obulqasim Abdurehim reportedly acknowledged to authorities that he and his wife had violated family-planning policy approximately a decade earlier [i.e. in approximately 2007]. In approximately 2007, his wife was pregnant with their third child. Authorities demanded that they abort the child, but the couple chose to pay a fine to the local government instead of complying with the demand. During Obulqasim Abdurehim's interrogations in 2017, the authorities reportedly told him that the violation of family-planning policy constituted evidence of "religious extremism," despite the fact that Obulqasim Abdurehim and his wife had accepted the fine as punishment at the time of the incident.

Testimony 7: According to an anonymous cadre at the Kashgar Municipal Family-Planning Department, Obulqasim Abdurehim was sentenced to 17 years in prison. The cadre adds that Obulqasim Abdurehim has been "moved around a number of times," but did not confirm to RFA whether or not Obulqasim Abdurehim was being held at the Qosheriq Prison in Korgas County.

Testimony 4: An anonymous security officer from Qizildowe Neighbourhood, Kashgar City reportedly confirmed to RFA that Obulqasim Abdurehim was among those from the meshrep detained in 2017. The officer also confirmed that Obulqasim Abdurehim was "still there" [in detention], but was unsure about exactly where Obulqasim Abdurehim was being held, and whether or not Obulqasim Abdurehim had been handed a prison sentence.

Suspected and/or official reason(s) for detention

Testimony 1: It is thought that Obulqasim Abdurehim was detained as a result of his participation in the meshrep.

Testimony 2: The anonymous source who spoke to Radio Free Asia has said that the entire meshrep group was detained on charges of "illegal gathering and organizing", which related to their work from 2014.

Testimony 5: An anonymous employee of the neighbourhood committee confirmed to RFA that Obulqasim Abdurehim and his friends [in the meshrep] were detained in 2017 because they had "organized and taken part in meshreps."

Testimony 6: An anonymous employee of the Kashgar Municipal Family-Planning Department reportedly told RFA that Obulqasim Abdurehim's case "had to do with violation limitations on the number of children in minority families", but the employee was unfamiliar with Obulqasim Abdurehim's records, and referred all further questions to a cadre who had worked at the department for a longer period of time.

Last reported status

Obulqasim Abdurehim has been sentenced to 7 years in prison and is currently in state custody at Qorghas prison in Ili prefecture.

How testifier(s) learned of victim's situation

Testimony 1-3: not stated.

Testimony 4-7: these are local government/police sources, and presumably have relatively direct knowledge of the case.

Additional information

The victim is also included in the list of prominent detained Uyghurs (Testimony 1), available at: https://shahit.biz/supp/list_003.pdf

RFA mention (Testimony 2): <https://www.rfa.org/english/news/uyghur/chief-02092021180453.html>

RFA coverage (Testimony 3-7): <https://www.rfa.org/english/news/uyghur/meshrep-02232021171936.html>

Testimony 3: authorities also fined Obulqasim Abdurehim's family an additional 90,000 yuan following his detention in 2017 for the same violation of family-planning policy that had occurred approximately a decade beforehand, despite the fact that Obulqasim Abdurehim and his wife had already paid a fine at the time of the incident. Obulqasim Abdurehim's wife paid the second 90,000 yuan fine (that was issued in 2017) in the hope that Obulqasim Abdurehim would be released, but he never was.

Supplementary materials

Testimony 1: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ofrOXK380RA>

Chinese ID: https://shahit.biz/supp/12935_2.png

Entry created: 2020-11-04

Last updated: 2021-05-01

Latest status update: 2021-02-23

12957. Kerem Abdurahman

Chinese ID: 65292719????????O? (Uchturpan)

Basic info

Age: 35-55

Gender: M

Ethnicity: Uyghur

Likely current location: ---

Status: sentenced (14 years)

When problems started: ---

Detention reason (suspected | official): "problematic" association | "violating birth policies"

Health status: ---

Profession: education

Testifying party

Testimony 1 | 2: Local police, as reported by Radio Free Asia Uyghur. (from same town/region)

Testimony 3: Anonymous, as reported by Radio Free Asia Uyghur. (from same town/region)

About the victim

Keram Abdurahman is from Jambizim Street, No. 4 Group, No. 12 Village, Imamlirim Township, Uchturpan County.

Testimony 2: he is about 50 years old. He is from Imamlirim Toownship, Uchturpan County, Aksu Prefecture. He has been a elementary school teacher for 25 years, and worked in the No. 12 village.

Current location

[Unclear, as sentenced.]

Chronology of detention(s)

Testimony 1: Arrested at some point in the last few years, then given a prison sentence.

Testimony 2: He was sentenced for 14 years in prison in around May 2018.

Testimony 3: sentenced to 14 years.

Suspected and/or official reason(s) for detention

Testimony 3: Helping his two students go to Urumchi and study there and also reportedly having children against the family planning policy. It might be also related to his relatives as most of his relatives from his wife's side were political prisoners.

Last reported status

Sentenced.

How testifier(s) learned of victim's situation

Testimony 1-2: Unclear. The testifier is a police officer in Imamlirim Township; he may have dealt with the victim directly at some point in time, or otherwise had access to official information relating to the victim.

Testimony 3: not stated.

Additional information

RFA reporting:

<https://www.rfa.org/english/news/uyghur/street-11022020160724.html> (Testimony 1)

<https://www.rfa.org/uyghur/xewerler/uyghur-weziyiti-09082021171312.html> (Testimony 2-3)

Testimony 3: The two students whom the victim helped dropped out of school in the fourth year of elementary school after their parents divorced and were forced to work on construction projects. So, the victim was aware of the good grades of the two students and he took the money out of his own pocket and sent them to Urumchi Vocational High School to study accounting and cooking. With less than a year to go before their graduation, they were detained because of a "problem" with their previous phones. Their names are Abdullah Abdurehim and Abdukirem Abdurehim. They were kept in camps for two years, and then sentenced for 5 years in prison when they reached their 18.

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