

He,
a perfect head
a perfect heart
a man with his fists
a child with his eyes.
He was a head without borders and
God.
He was a Comrade ...
(...)
Enemies apply henna
let friends enter the ranks.

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COMRADE **YUSUF**

1964 - 2021



HE LIVES IN THE BOLSHEVIK STRUGGLE!

T O R E V O L U T I O N A R Y P U B L I C

On one spring evening, we lost our comrade **Yusuf**, a truly Bolshevik cadre member, the indomitable fighter of the struggle for a new world without borders and exploitation. He had his great love and comrade with him. He had been receiving treatment for a serious illness in Germany, the center of his life, in recent months. The disease developed so quick that none of us, especially our comrade **Yusuf**, expected. Despite all the efforts of doctors, the disease took his life at the age of 57 when he was most productive. Our sorrow, our pain, our loss is too great.

Comrade **Yusuf** was born in 1964 in a village in the Pazarcık district of Maras province of Turkey as the second child of a poor peasant Alevi family. He worked in the fields to contribute to the livelihood of the family at a young age. In his later life, he always worked as a worker in different jobs. He did not receive bourgeois school education except for 5 years of village primary school education as a result of poverty and some vocational training courses he attended as a young worker after coming to Germany.

But he equipped himself with a knowledge beyond the bourgeois education in an attempt to understand and change the world. His knowledge, which he used as a weapon in the class struggle, constantly developed and ready to be called at any moment in his extraordinary memory, earned the respect of all people who knew him closely. He was a proletarian who developed himself into a cadre member that produced theories. He was our "Teliya".

Comrade **Yusuf** was an exemplary communist in all respects, devoted his whole life to the liberation struggle of the great humanity.

- He was an exemplary proletarian cadre with his class attitude, equipped with a Marxist-Leninist consciousness.
- He was straightforward and he was a self-sacrificing, tireless member that did not separate the small tasks from the big ones. He was one whose words and deed coincided.
- He was an uncompromising cadre member against what he saw wrong in the political struggle.
- He was a comrade, who understood that the most important weapon of the proletariat for the revolution is the Bolshevik Party, build up by professional revolutionaries, and he was a comrade who lived in the ranks of the Bolsheviks based on his conscious choice from the age of 18. He was one of the most concrete examples of the view that "The Party is me and wherever I am there is the party".

Comrade **Yusuf** has been in important positions in the ranks of Bolshevik Party (Northern Kurdistan/Turkey) – BP (KK /T), where he has been working since the age of 18. He played a decisive role in the formation of the Northern Kurdistan Section, later the Bolshevik Party (Northern Kurdistan).

After the liquidation of the BP (KK /T) 's Abroad Organization on the basis of the "New Tendency" policy, he continued his activities in the German Bolshevik Initiative Germany (BID) -Trotz alledem! as a communist until his early death. He developed his German with tireless effort in order to participate in and advance the theoretical work in the German language. He made great contributions to the theoretical work, such as the evaluation of the German Democratic Republic. He was also one of the most important propagandists of the politics of the organization, a beloved and respected speaker of propaganda meetings.

He was an internationalist who defined his identity as human and lived this in practice.

He was an exemplary revolutionary who knew that revolutionism had no "retirement".

His loss is a loss not only for us, but for all the people whose hearts beat for the liberation struggle of great humanity.

Yusuf is dead, but he lives in the Bolshevik struggle.

We will show our love for him, our sorrow over his death, by transforming our pain into energy to raise our struggle of which he is a part. This is the best way to remember him. This is what Yusuf demand from all of us.

10 March 2021

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TROTZ ALLEDAM!