



United Nations International Criminal Tribunal for  
the former Yugoslavia

**AUTOPSY REPORT**  
GLOGOVA GRAVE SITE

**CASE NO:** GL05 122BP

**AUTOPSY DATE:** 25.10.99  
**MORTUARY:** Visoko

**SUMMARY:**

A substantial part of the upper half of a body – the head, spine, right side of the chest and right arm – all completely skeletonized with no soft tissues remaining.

From anthropology examination the remains were from a youngish man aged between 17 and 25, but there were no other identifying features.

He died most probably from a gunshot injury to the head which had caused extensive fragmentation of the skull. Although no clear cut bullet entrance or exit holes were present, a large part of the skull was missing, possible tiny bullet fragments were present in the region, and the nature of the fracturing overall was very suggestive of gunshot injury. There was a second, even more definite shot to the face, passing through the left side of the lower jaw.

The only other injuries were a number of rib fractures at the back of the right side of the chest, but these may well have occurred after death from crushing or moving the body.

There was some presumably post mortem burning of his clothing but no other significant findings.

**CAUSE OF DEATH:**

It is my determination that the cause of death in case number **GL05 122BP** was:  
**Gunshot injuries to head**

This formal report is based upon the autopsy report that I prepared at the time of my examination. Both reports truly and accurately reflect my findings.

**Signed:**.....

**Dr John Clark MB ChB FRCPath Dip FM**

**Date: 26.10.99**

**A. GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF REMAINS:**

Parts of the upper half of a body – skull, upper spine, right ribs and right shoulder and arm, all skeletonized

### **B. CLOTHING:**

- Portion of upper part of a black and red check shirt with burning of edges
- Portion of red cloth with burning of edges

**OTHER ITEMS:**

None

### C. IDENTIFYING FEATURES:

Natural teeth in both jaws

### D. ANTHROPOLOGY DETAILS:

**Sex:** Male

**Age range:** 17 - 35

**Stature (cm):** Not possible

**E. INJURIES:**

**i. Findings on fluoroscopy:**

- Possible metal fragments inside skull

**ii. Main injuries described:**

<b>Probably</b>	<b>Probably</b>	<b>Can't</b>
<b>ante-mortem</b>	<b>post mortem</b>	<b>tell</b>

1. Probable gunshot injury to skull causing extensive fragmentation of upper half with much of vault missing, particularly posteriorly. No clear cut entrance or exit holes.
2. Gunshot injury to face with circular bullet hole, 1.5 cms diameter, in lower half of left side of body, travelling from outside in. Clearly separate from skull injury.
3. Ribs right – fractures of 4 to 8 at angle or spine

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## F. INTERNAL TISSUES:

None

## H. SAMPLES:

Anthropology – right clavicle  
– right 3<sup>rd</sup> rib

DNA – right humerus  
– tooth