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#ÜRÜMCHI FIRE



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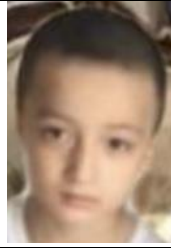




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- Zero-COVID quarantine policies started in 2022, August
- In Ürümchi, Gulca, Kaşger, Turfan, Hoten and other cities, people were completely confined to their homes and in the first days:
 - Doors welded, outgoing forbidden
 - Production was stopped, crops could not be collected from the fields, and farmers engaged in agriculture went bankrupt
 - The people of East Turkestan suffered a great economic earthquake
- Quarantine continued for a month. After 40 days:
 - Food transportation, treatment facilities and other needs were not met
 - Dozens of people lost their lives in East Turkestan due to starvation and lack of treatment.
 - The people of East Turkestan revolted on social media.
 - In September, this event came to the world agenda as the Hunger Genocide.
- As the quarantine continues. After 100 days:
 - Despite all the ongoing backlash, there has been no official response from the Chinese side
 - In the late hours of 24 November, a fire broke out in a site where Uyghurs lived in Ürümchi. The fire that started on the 14th floor of the building continued to the 21st floor.
 - It is impossible for the families inside to escape, as the doors of the building, the security exit and even the doors to the roof are closed.
 - Access to the site was not provided because the entrance roads of the fire brigade vehicles were blocked. In addition, it was also reflected in the media that firefighters waited without intervening.
 - The other reason for the death of the families in the fire was that the water supply of the building was cut off at the time of the fire.
 - Although China says that only 10 people lost their lives in the fire, it is seen in the social media posts that the number of people who lost their lives by burning or heat poisoning is at least over 40.
 - China said that the people were unable to save themselves sufficiently, in order to avoid the crime that it committed at the time of the fire.



- Those whose identity has been determined among those who have passed away so far:

İsim	Resim
Kamarnisahan Abudureheman, 47 age	
Shehide Eli, born 11/8/2009, 13 age	
Abdurahman Eli, Bron 11/6/2011, 11 age	
Imran Eli, born 11/24/ 2013, 9 age	
Nehidye Eli, born 1/6/2017, 5 age	
Bahargul	

Persons who died in the fire and whose names are unknown



- After the fire, several cities, including Ürümchi, rioted against China's COVID practices:
 - It is documented that the uprising in Ürümchi continued on 24 and 25 November.
 - Following the Ürümchi, on November 26 in Wuhan, Nanjiang, and Shanghai, on November 27 in Yenisar city of East Turkestan, the Chinese capital Beijing, Zhengzhou, Chengdu and Hangzhou cities, Chinese people took to the streets. The slogans used in the riots were to end the quarantine, resign Xi Jinping and allow people to go out. The rioters state that they rebelled in the street because they were not sure about their lives.

Date	Were	Slogans	Invention of Chinese Authority	Source
11/24/2022	A fire broke out in a Uyghur house living on the 16th floor of a complex near BigPazar in the Tanrıdağ region of Urumqi.	End the quarantine	He dealt with the protesters very harshly.	https://twitter.com/uygur_haber/status/1596254920591777795?t=lcqBzMvybkGCN2frXO130A&s=08
11/25/2022	Mi Dong District	End the quarantine	He dealt with the protesters very harshly.	https://twitter.com/MAIatayurt



11/25/2022	Shui mo gou district, Urumchi	End the quarantine	Police Blocks the Street	https://twitter.com/MAliatayurt
11/26/2022	Shanhay	Freedom, Freedom	Police tried to appease the Protesters	MAliatayurt
11/26/2022	Shanhay	Overthrow the Chinese Communist Party	Police tried to appease the Protesters	https://twitter.com/MAliatayurt/status/1596799744403451905/video/1
11/27/2022	in Yenisar district of Kashgar province.	End the quarantine	It was stated that there were arrests and the people continued to resist.	https://twitter.com/MAliatayurt/status/1596902667682742274?cxt=HHwWhIDUgf-gq6ksAAAA
11/27/2022	East Turkestan's Korla	End the quarantine	There was a very harsh conflict between the public and the police.	https://twitter.com/MAliatayurt/status/1596908306710265856?cxt=HHwWgICwhZ3praksAAAA
11/26/2022	East Turkestan's Korla	End the quarantine	Tomas patrolled as police forces failed to thwart protesters	https://twitter.com/MAliatayurt/status/1596910023757549568?cxt=HHwWgMCihZbNrqksAAAA
11/27/2022	East Turkestan's HOTEN	End the quarantine	Police tried to block protesters	https://twitter.com/MAliatayurt
11/27/2022	On the Beijing bridge	Openly arrogant towards President Xi	pressed hard	https://www.bbc.com/news/world-asia-china-63779250
11/27/2022	Zhengzhou	Give me freedom or kill me	repelled by the police	https://www.bbc.com/news/world-asia-china-63779250
11/26/2022	wu han	Calls on Xi and the CCP to resign	The police intervened	https://www.bbc.com/news/world-asia-china-63779250
11/26/2022	NAN JIANG	Calls on Xi and the CCP to resign	BLOCKED BY POLICIES	https://www.bbc.com/news/world-asia-china-63779250
11/27/2022	Chengdu	Calls on Xi and the CCP to resign	BLOCKED	https://www.bbc.com/news/world-asia-china-63779250
11/28/2022	shanhay	large barriers were erected along the protest road	police made many arrests	https://www.bbc.com/news/world-asia-china-63785351
11/29/2022	Hangzhou	A small protest	quickly stopped	https://www.bbc.com/news/world-asia-china-63785351