

## **TKP-ML TIKKO fighters commemorated the martyrs of the Party and Revolution.**

The commemoration event started with a minute of silence for all the martyrs of revolution and communism who fought for the liberation of humanity.

First, an opening speech was made on behalf of the TKP-ML Middle East Party Committee on the meaning and importance of commemorating our martyrs. The following was said in the opening speech: "We promise that we will continue to keep their ideals and dreams alive wherever we are. We are more faithful and more determined."

Then the TKP-ML Middle East Party representative made a speech. The representative said, "Since 1978 until today, we commemorate our martyrs in the last week of every January. Our martyrs always point us to freedom and persistence in the struggle until we realise it." The speech continued with the following words:

"This year is also the 50th anniversary of the murder of Comrade İbrahim Kaypakkaya, the founder of our party, by Turkish fascism. Although 50 years have passed since the murder of Comrade Kaypakkaya, Comrade Kaypakkaya continues to live, fight and lead the way in the struggle for revolution and communism as 'Reckoning, Disengagement, and a New Path'. İbrahim Kaypakkaya is not only the leader of the people of Turkey. He is also the leader of the Caucasus and the Middle East. His thoughts are current, and real. We have such a leader, we are the successors of such a leader."

Finally, a speech was made on behalf of TIKKO General Command. In this speech, she referred to the situation in the world and in the country and said the following: "Workers, labourers and the oppressed are looking for leadership in all areas. We must act with the responsibility of becoming a party and a leader and with the weight of our duties. We must promise this. Our party, our martyrs expect this from us. We will be ready for this task."

After the speeches, an international fighter who attended the commemoration also made a short speech. The international fighter said, "Commemorating the martyrs of the revolution means understanding that great responsibility and duties are imposed on every fighter left behind. We must read every last word of theirs as our first beginning word. We will fulfil our revolutionary duties by adhering to the memories of the martyrs of the revolution."

After the speech, which ended with a pledge of loyalty to the martyrs, the commemoration event ended with folk songs and anthems.

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