Fr. Duarte TEIXEIRA

He was born in Freguesia and municipality of Tarouca, Viseu, on 05 July 1928 and entered the Society of Jesus on 07 September 1946, at the convent of Santa Marinha da Costa, Guimarães. After his humanities' studies, he was sent to the Faculty of Philosophy in Braga (1951-1954). He did two years of regency at INA (1954 - 1956). He studied theology at Chantilly (1956 - 1960), France, and did his tertianship in Salamanca (1860 - 1961). He was ordained priest on September 7, 1959, at Chantilly. After his formation, he lived in the Community of the Immaculate Conception and at INA, where he worked as teacher and dean of studies. He took his final vows on 15 August 1952, at Caldas da Saúde. In 1970, he was assigned to go to Mozambique where he worked in Quelimane as parish priest and Vice-Superior of the Jesuit community. He took these responsibilities until 1975. On his return to Portugal, he was appointed parish priest of Aldeia de Paio Pires, Seixal, Diocese of Setúbal. He was a good priest who was dedicated to his flocks. He died on 22 January 2006, at Seixal.

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