Br. Manuel GONÇALVES

Born in Cardigos, Mação, on December 29, 1874, he entered the Society of Jesus on December 17, 1901, in Barro. He went to the Zambezia Mission (Mozambique) in 1909 where he lived in the mission of São Pedro Clavier of Miruro, Zumbo and in the mission of the Immaculate Conception of Chupanga, working in the area of agriculture. He professed his final vows on August 15, 1912, in Chupanga. He left Mozambique in 1914 and went to Nun'Alvres Institute in Jette-St-Pierre, in Brussels and then to La Guardia. Then, he was sent to the Apostolic School, working in different places where it had been was installed. These places are the following: San Martín de Trevejo, Guimarães, Macieira de Cambra, Cernache and Coimbra. He died in Cernache on March 3, 1961.

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