

Abstract

This thesis *The Life and Works of Grandmaster Vlasák O.Cr. (1867 – 1958)* with the life of The Military Order Crucifers with the Red Star, ThDr. Josef Vlasák O.Cr., and its action in the Order. His work is set in the context of the historical event, which was accompanied by him in his difficult activity, and which had to deal with: the first world war, the first land reform, the second world war, the second land reform, the advent of communism and dissolution of the Order. Other chapters are dedicated to J. Vlasák, its meaning and importance from the Catholic Church and for Czechoslovak society. The information is drawn from the available and archival sources.