



Written by [D. Michael DeRidder](#) on November 22, 2023

Russian Actress Killed in Attack by Ukrainian Armed Forces

Russian actress [Polina Menshikh was killed on stage](#) during a concert performance yesterday in Donetsk. The attack was carried out by Ukrainian Armed Forces using HIMARS rockets supplied by the United States. [RT reports the Ukrainians](#) first targeted the theater, then targeted rescue crews with a second attack, according to Platon Mamatov, a volunteer from Ekaterinburg. [Twenty-five Russian soldiers were killed](#), and more than 100 concert attendees were injured.

According to RT, Menshikh's death was confirmed by the Portal Theater Studio in a statement: "It is with great pain that we inform you that Polina Menshikh, the director of 'The Last Trial' (Lege Artis), died yesterday at a performance in Donbass as a result of shelling."

The Ukrainian military [confirmed the attack on Telegram](#), stating: "Ukraine's defense forces quickly determined the venue of the Russians' celebration and warmly congratulated them." Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelensky said the attack was a "tragedy that could have been avoided."



Public Domain/rawpixel



Subscribe to the New American

Get exclusive digital access to the most informative, non-partisan truthful news source for patriotic Americans!

Discover a refreshing blend of time-honored values, principles and insightful perspectives within the pages of "The New American" magazine. Delve into a world where tradition is the foundation, and exploration knows no bounds.

From politics and finance to foreign affairs, environment, culture, and technology, we bring you an unparalleled array of topics that matter most.



What's Included?

- 24 Issues Per Year
- Optional Print Edition
- Digital Edition Access
- Exclusive Subscriber Content
- Audio provided for all articles
- Unlimited access to past issues
- Coming Soon! Ad FREE
- 60-Day money back guarantee!
- Cancel anytime.

Subscribe