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الخاص بأوضاع اللاجئين الفلسطينيين في سورية

Daily report on the situation of Palestinian refugees in Syria



### "Palestinians from Syria in Sudan Grappling with Dire Conditions"

- Palestinian Refugee Pronounced Dead South of Syria
- Palestinian Refugee Garners 1st Place in Bodybuilding Contest
- Palestinian Refugee Husam AlRefai Held in Syrian Jail Since 2013

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## Victims

Palestinian refugee Husain Khaled Mansour, called Abu Amer Mansour, a former ISIS prince, died as he fought alongside ISIS militias against the Syrian government forces in Teloul AlSafa, in AlSuweida desert, south of Syria.

Abu Amer Mansour left Yarmouk Camp following a deal struck between ISIS and the Syrian government battalions. ISIS gunmen were made to retreat from southern Damascus to AlSuweida desert.



## Latest Developments

Nearly 1,000 Palestinians from Syria have been subjected to abject living conditions in Sudan, where they are treated as foreigners rather than refugees.

Speaking with AGPS, Palestinian refugee Mohamed Kheir said relief institutions have failed to live up to their duties as regards the Palestinian refugee community from Syria, who has been overburdened by the costly fees of visas and registration procedures.

According to the refugee, low wages, high rates of unemployment, and socio-economic marginalization have made life unbearable for



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Palestinian refugees in Sudan, forcing dozens of refugees to beg in the streets in order to feed their starved families.

“The calamitous situation endured by the Palestinians from Syria in Sudan has forced scores of refugees to apply for UN-brokered asylum. However, their applications have been turned down. A handful of refugees embarked on small projects”, another refugee told AGPS.



Dozens of families who fled to Libya, in a life-threatening journey via the Sudanese desert, attempting to head for Europe onboard the “death boats”, have fallen prey to arbitrary abductions, exploitation, and looting by human traffickers and sea gangsters. Such was the case in August 2017.

Palestinians from Syria in Sudan have also been subjected to steep education fees, hitting up to \$150 at schools and \$3,000 at universities. Calls have been frequently launched to teach Palestinian children at UNICEF-run schools.



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The refugees slammed the apathy maintained by the Palestine Embassy as regards the crisis and the difficulties they have been made to endure trying to obtain a Palestinian passport.

Sudan is the only country where Palestinians from Syria are let in without complicated legal procedures. A refugee obtains an entry permit from the Interior Ministry at a cost of no more than \$100. However, traffickers, who have been taking advantage of the situation, continue to blackmail refugees and force them to pay as much as \$600 to enter the Sudanese territories.

Palestinians from Syria in Sudan are scattered across Khartoum, Khartoum Bahri (North), and Omdurman.

Meanwhile, Palestinian refugee from Syria Shadi Farid Darwish, a resident of AlAyedeen Camp in Hums, won the first place in the masters' bodybuilding championship staged in Damascus.

Scores of Palestinians from Syria have achieved success stories inside and outside of the Syrian territories.





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In the meantime, Palestinian refugee Husam Ali AlRefai, born in 1988 and sheltered in Yarmouk Camp, has been secretly held in Syrian government prisons for five years running.

Husam was kidnapped by the Syrian government forces on May 5, 2013.

AGPS kept record of the detention of 1,695 Palestinian refugees in Syrian prisons, among them 108 women and girls.