



التقرير اليومي الخاص بأوضاع اللاجئين الفلسطينيين في سورية

Daily report on the situation of Palestinian refugees in Syria

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"Situation of Palestinians of Syria in Southern Damascus Exacerbated by Price Hike"



- **463 Palestinian Refugees Tortured to Death in Syrian Jails**
- **5 Years since Massacre against Palestine Liberation Army North of Syria, Perpetrator Remains Unidentified**
- **Palestine Charity Distributes Orphan Allowances in AlMzeirib**

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Victims

A Palestinian resident of Yarmouk was tortured to death in Syrian government lock-ups, bringing the number of torture victims among the Palestinians of Syria to 463.

Latest Developments

Palestinian refugees taking shelter south of Damascus have been grappling with abject living conditions due to the unabated hostilities and the tough blockade enforced on the area by the regime army and its war abettors.



The situation has gone downhill as Palestinian families have become unable to secure much-needed food, clothes, and medicines due to the steep prices, which have seen an increase of up to 1,000% over the past six years.

Survival for hundreds of impoverished Palestinian families in the area has largely hinged on charity meals, financial assistance, and in-kind aids distributed by UNRWA, among other relief institutions.



Most of the refugees have been shorn of their financial resources and gone unemployed in the raging warfare.

Meanwhile, July 10, 2017 marks the fifth anniversary of a massacre perpetrated against the Palestine Liberation Army (PLA) by an unidentified perpetrator.

On July 10, 2012 anonymous militias kidnapped 16 PLA fighters on their way back from a military site in Misyaf, near Idlib, to AlNeirab Camp in Aleppo. The captives were killed one month later.

The Syrian government held the opposition outfits responsible for the massacre and mobilized residents of AlNeirab Camp to chase down opposition affiliates, at the same time as the pro-government Liwaa AlQuds battalion started to see the day. The opposition outfits firmly denied the accusations.



However, evidence leading to the real perpetrator started to emerge early in 2015 when opposition militias broke into the government's Criminal Security Branch in Idlib and stumbled upon pictures of a number of detainees reportedly tortured to death by the government troops.



Mutilated cadavers of the PLA fighters Mahmoud Abu AlLeil and Anas Karim appeared among a stock of live snapshots of torture victims. The pictures also provided living proofs on the torture tactics and cells where the victims had been made to suffer until their last breath.

According to activists, the massacre was perpetrated against the pro-government PLA fighters to send out a warning message to the entire Palestinians, particularly those opposing the incumbent regime. Others said the genocide makes part of a collective punishment tactic aiming to wipe out Palestinians' presence in Syria.

AGPS kept record of the names of 202 PLA fighters killed in the rampant Syrian warfare, dozens among whom were tortured to death.

Civil Action Committees

The Palestine Charity Commission distributed allowances to 50 orphans in AlMzeirib, south of Syria. Every orphan received a sum of 5,000 Syrian Pounds.





Palestinian refugees seeking cover in southern Syria have been enduring a dire situation due to the deadly onslaughts and the chronic power and water blackouts rocking the area.

Palestinians of Syria: July 10, 2017 Statistics:

- *At least 3,526 Palestinians, including 463 women, were killed in war-torn Syria.*
- *1,615 Palestinian refugees, including 101 women, are incarcerated in Syrian government lock-ups.*
- *Yarmouk refugee camp has been blockaded by the Syrian regime army and Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine - General Command (PFLP-GC) for 1,447 days in a row.*
- *196 Palestinians died of undernourishment and medical neglect in the blockaded Yarmouk Camp.*
- *Water supplies cut off in Deraa and Yarmouk camps respectively for 1,183 and 1,034 days.*
- *Residents of Handarat Camp, in Aleppo, denied access to their homes for 1,527 days. Government battalions have been holding sway over the camp for more than 261 days.*
- *Nearly 85,000 Palestinian refugees from Syria fled to Europe until the end of 2016.*
- *31,000 Palestinians from Syria are housed in Lebanon.*
- *17,000 Palestinians from Syria are taking refuge in Jordan.*
- *6,000 Palestinian-Syrian refugees are sheltered in Egypt.*
- *8,000 Palestinian-Syrian refugees are taking shelter in Turkey.*
- *1,000 Palestinian-Syrian refugees are sheltered in the blockaded Gaza Strip.*