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"Palestinian Child Killed, 4 Civilians Wounded in Onslaughts on Besieged Khan Al-Shih"



- Syrian government forces hit Deraa Camp with gas cylinders
- Sham Al-Rasoul Brigades release Red Crescent delegate in Yarmouk Camp
- Palestinian Return Center speaks up for Palestinians of Syria during UN-held Week of Peace in Geneva
- Medical Aid for Palestinians (MAP) issues report entitled "When I Die Bury Me in Palestine . . . How Dare the World Let Palestinians of Syrian down?"

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Latest Developments

AGPS correspondent in Damascus Suburbs said a Palestinian girl was killed and four civilians were left wounded after the Syrian regime forces targeted Al-Kaziya environs, in Khan Al-Shih Camp, with artillery shells on Thursday morning. AGPS reporter identified the minor casualty as 14-year-old Shahd Youssef Ismail. Civilian homes sustained remarkable material damage in the offensive.



The regime self-propelled Shilka tanks also showered civilian homes with machinegun fire on Thursday evening, wounding an elderly woman and ruining civilian structures.

The Syrian government battalions further slammed an artillery shell on Khan Al-Shih's eastern neighborhoods, wounding two youngsters.

Two fighter aircrafts attacked Khan Al-Shih's eastern ranches with over five explosive barrels at the same time as bloody confrontations burst out between regime forces and armed rebels in the area.



Sheltering over 12,000 displaced civilians, including 3,000 children, Khan Al-Shih Camp has been blockaded by the Syrian regime army for 42 consecutive days, resulting in acute shortages in toddler milk, bread, and medicines.

Meanwhile, the Syrian government troops rocked the Deraa Camp for Palestinian refugees, in southern Syria, with explosive gas cylinders and a round of mortar shells. The regime forces also targeted the nearby Al-Sadd Road, sheltering Palestinian refugee families, with gas cylinders, inflicting heavy material losses.

70% of civilian buildings in Deraa Camp have been reduced to rubble due to the unbroken blitzing.

In a related development, the Sham Al-Rasoul rebels in Damascus outskirts released on Wednesday the director of the Palestine Hospital and Red Crescent delegate in the southern area, Faysal Al-Khaled.

Refugee Al-Khaled was arrested by the opposition outfits deployed at the Yalda checkpoint a few days ago.

In another development, the London-based Palestinian Return Center (PRC) spoke up for the Palestinian refugees in Syria during the Annual Week of Peace staged in Geneva by the UN Office in partnership with other UN bodies from 7 to 11 November.

PRC spoke out against the genocides, blockade, drowning, and torture endured by the Palestinian refugees in embattled Syria, along with the ceaseless attempts by the different warring parties to drag the refugees into ongoing hostilities.



The event discussed possible ways to restore peace in flashpoints across the MENA region and the world.

PRC also took part in an exhibition for the annual Alfred Fried Photography Award and delivered presentations on the tragedy faced by the Palestinian people after and prior to 1948.

PRC believes peace can only see the day if Palestinians' legitimate rights are restored on the ground.



In a related context, Medical Aid for Palestinians (MAP) released a new report entitled “If I Die Bury Me in Palestine . . . How Dare the World Let Palestinians of Syria down?”

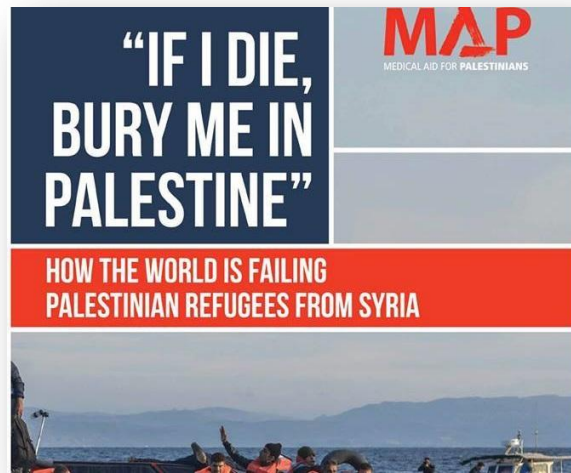
The report by MAP, a U.K-based charity, urged the international community to work on securing a safe access to aid for displaced refugees in Syrian camps regardless of their nationality.

The report spotlights the appalling socio-legal conditions the Palestinians of Syria have gone through in the Syrian and Lebanese territories.



MAP appealed to the British government and the international community to work on toning down the crisis by involving Palestinian refugees in the humanitarian and resettlement agendas devised to that very end.

MPA is a charitable trust working for the health and dignity of Palestinians living under occupation and as refugees. It is chaired by Baroness Morris, who has served as the Shadow Minister for Education, Children, Families and Women and as a Shadow Work and Pensions Spokesperson.



Palestinians of Syria: November 10, 2016 Statistics:

- *There are 15,500 Palestinian-Syrian refugees in Jordan.*
- *42,500 Palestinian-Syrian refugees are in Lebanon.*
- *6,000 Palestinian-Syrian refugees are sheltered in Egypt, according to UNRWA figures covering the period from July 2015 backwards.*
- *8,000 Palestinian-Syrian refugees are taking shelter in Turkey.*



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- *1,000 Palestinian-Syrian refugees reside in the blockaded Gaza Strip.*
- *Over 79,000 Palestinian Syrian refugees fled to Europe until mid 2016.*
- *Yarmouk refugee camp has been blockaded by the Syrian regime army and Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine - General Command (PFLP-GC) for 1,241 days in a row. Electricity and water supplies have been cut off, respectively, for 1,300 days and 761 days. The number of those killed due to the blockade has hit 190.*
- *Sbiena refugee camp: Refugees could not go back to their homes as a result of the blockade slapped by the Syrian regime forces since 1,094 days running.*
- *Handarat refugee camp: All refugees left the camp since 1,286 days after opposition outfits grabbed hold of the area.*
- *Deraa refugee camp: Water has been cut off for 944 consecutive days while 70% of its buildings have been knocked down.*
- *Homs camp, Hama camp, Jaramana camp, al-Sayda Zeinab camp, Al-Raml camp: A of State of relative calm has been reported in the abovementioned areas. However, economic crises have been on the rise.*
- *Khan al-Shih refugee camp: All access roads out of and into the camp have been closed off by the Syrian regime army for 42 days running.*