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Daily report on the situation of Palestinian refugees in Syria



### "Palestinian from Syria Stands in Sweden's Parliamentary Elections in Sweden, His Daughter Runs for Municipal Council"

- PLA Fighter Killed in Syria
- Palestinian Girl Goes Missing in AlHusainiya Camp
- Dozens of Palestinian Children from Syria Take Part in Training Camp in Rif Dimashq
- Palestinians from Syria Prevented from Bidding Last Farewell to Dead Relatives
- Mufti of Sidon Honors Palestinian Children for Memorizing Koran

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## **Victims**

Palestinian refugee Ali Walid Fahd, from the Palestine Liberation Army (PLA), was killed as he fought alongside the Syrian government forces.

AGPS documented the death of 258 PLA fighters since the outbreak of the deadly warfare in Syria.



## **Latest Developments**

Palestinian refugee from Syria Emil Sarsour has nominated himself in Sweden's parliamentary elections for 2018.

Sarsour, of the Social Democratic Party, has served as the head of Federation of Immigrant Associations in Uppsala city since 2009. He is a member of the administrative board of Swedish associations. Sarsour is also the director of "Uppsala 2030" project. He has received several awards.

Born in 1945 and raised in Yarmouk Camp for Palestinian refugees, Sarsour migrated to Sweden in 1990 and started his career as a



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painter before he worked as a financial manager and later as a company manager and an employee at the University of Agriculture. His daughter Dimah, born in Yarmouk Camp, is running for municipal elections on Sweden's Socialist Workers' Party.



In case Dimah wins a sit in the projected elections, slated to be held on September 9, she will be the first Arab to have won such a position in Oppsala's municipal elections.

Meanwhile, Palestinian girl Nihal Ahmad Mohamed has gone missing for the second day on her way out of a development center in AlHusainiya Camp, in Rif Dimashq.

Her family said they could not reach out to her and appealed to the concerned authorities to disclose her fate.

According to AGPS data, 312 Palestinian refugees have disappeared since the outburst of the Syrian warfare.

In the meantime, dozens of Palestinian children and youths from Syria joined a summer camp held in Abnaa AlShuhadaa School in Adra, in Rif Dimashq. The school is run by the Palestine Liberation Organization.



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Meanwhile, the raging warfare has prevented hundreds of Palestinians from Syria scattered across new destinations from bidding last farewell to their dead relatives.

A Palestinian refugee who fled from Yarmouk Camp to Turkey said he could not take part in the funeral procession of his mother, who was pronounced dead a few days ago.

“My mother makes part of my soul”, said the refugee. “Her death means that a great deal of the pleasure life brings to us has just petered out.”

“Being away from your homeland, from the very arms which embraced you all along your childhood moments is as heartbreaking as the death news”, he added.

In another development, the Mufti of Sidon Sheikh Salim Sosan honored two Palestinian children from Syria—Jana and Zayd Wani—for learning parts of the Holy Koran by heart.

The move came during a ceremony to wrap up the 36th Koran Session held by the Sidon Orphanage Association, Jame’ AlBahr Charity, and the Islamic Cultural Center in Sidon, south of Lebanon.