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"Missiles Dropped on Daraa Camp for Palestinian Refugees, Clashes Reach Zenith"



- Overnight Clashes Flare Up in Yarmouk's Palestine Street
- 2 Sick Members of AlNusra Front Evacuated from Yarmouk Camp
- 2 Palestinian Refugees Wounded in Raging Hostilities
- Palestinian Refugee Sa'id Tarawiya Held in Syrian Jail for 4th Year
- Jafra Foundation Provides Families Displaced from Yarmouk with Relief Aids

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Latest Developments

Daraa Camp for Palestinian refugees sustained heavy material damage after it was hit with spates of ground-to-ground missiles.

At the same time, the Syrian government forces struck the nearby AlSadd neighborhood, housing Palestinian families, with homemade surface-to-surface missiles and mortar shells.

Violent clashes also burst out in the eastern corners of Daraa Camp and in AlSadd Road between the government forces and the opposition outfits.



Over recent weeks, Daraa city has come under heavy shelling after the Syrian government forces stepped up military offensives in an attempt to capture the area.

At predawn time on Thursday, fierce clashes between AlKara'in battalion and the pro-government troops flared up in Palestine Street. Light and medium weapons were used in the clashes. No injuries were reported on either side.



Reporting from Yarmouk Camp, AGPS news correspondent said two sick members of Tahrir AlSham Commission (formerly known as AlNusra Front) were allowed access out of besieged Yarmouk in exchange for the safe retreat of two persons from AlFou'a and Kafria, north of Syria.

The move dovetails the Kafria and AlFou'a agreement signed between the Syrian government and Tahrir AlSham.

According to pro-government forces, some 130 members of Tahrir AlSham have been taking cover in Tahrir AlSham-led zones in Yarmouk and are expected to retreat to northern Syria sometime soon as part of the four-town deal struck with the Syrian government.



Civilians stranded in Yarmouk Camp have been enduring dire conditions due to the bloody hostilities rocking the area and the tough blockade enforced by the Syrian regime troops and their abettors since mid-2013. The situation has gone from bad to worse due to the cordon imposed by ISIS on the camp's western corners, controlled by Tahrir AlSham.

In a related development, two Palestinian refugees sustained wounds as they fought alongside the Syrian government forces.

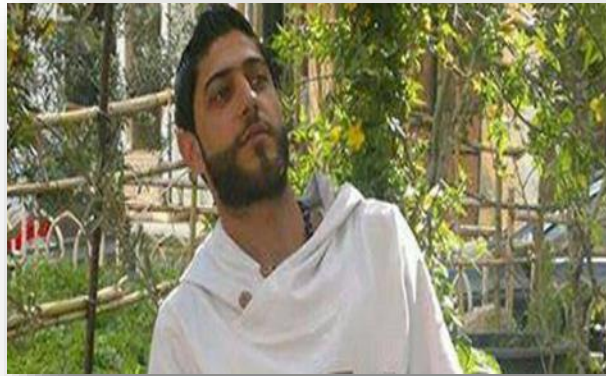


Palestinian refugee Khaled Mohamed Sweihal, from Free Palestine Movement, was injured during clashes between the pro-government troops and the opposition battalions at AlShuhadaa crossroads in Yarmouk.

Palestinian youth Omar AlKhatib, sheltered in AlNeirab Camp and affiliated with the pro-government Liwaa AlQuds battalion, was, meanwhile, injured in bloody clashes with ISIS in AlSalmiya area, in Hama suburbs.

Since the outburst of Syria's warfare, hundreds of Palestinian refugees taking cover in the Syrian territories have been forced to join pro-government and anti-government militias.

In the meantime, Palestinian refugee Sa'id Rida Tarawiya has been held in Syrian government penitentiaries for four years running.



The detainee was kidnapped by the government troops on May 5, 2013 from his home in AlAydeen Camp, in Hama. His fate remains shrouded in mystery.



AGPS kept record of the incarceration of 1,612 Palestinian refugees in Syrian government lock-ups, among whom 100 female detainees.

Civil Action Committees

Jafra Foundation for Relief and Youth Development in southern Syria continues to provide families displaced from Yarmouk to the nearby towns of Yalda, Beit Sahem, and Babila with relief aids.

Jafra volunteers distributed food parcels to Yarmouk's displaced families as part of the charity's ongoing efforts to alleviate the crises endured by Palestinian families in war-ravaged Syria.

Palestinians of Syria: June 22, 2017 Statistics:

- *At least 3,521 Palestinians, including 463 women, were killed in war-torn Syria.*
- *1,612 Palestinian refugees, including 100 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 1,429 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 1,165 and 1,016 days.*



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- *Residents of Handarat Camp, in Aleppo, denied access to their homes for 1,509 days. Government battalions have been holding sway over the camp for more than 243 days.*
- *Nearly 85,000 Palestinian Syrian refugees 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.*