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"Violent Bombing Targets the Yarmouk Camp amid Clashes between ISIS and Aknaf Bait Al Maqdis"



- Two Palestinians Died in the Yarmouk Camp
- Sever Humanitarian Situation Deterioration inside the Yarmouk Camp
- Solidarity Sit-inns with the Yarmouk Camp in Haifa, Gaza and Ramallah
- Hamas Calles to Rescue the Palestinians of Syria
- Al-Wafaa Campaign Calles to avoid the Civilians in the Yarmouk the Fighting and Calles to Humanitarian Truce
- Euro-Med Observer for Human Rights Calles to Open Safe Humanitarian Pathways in Yarmouk Camp
- Palestinian Authority in Ramallah Conducts Calles to Rescue the Yarmouk Camp

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Victims

Omar Khattab and Alaa Derbas were killed due to the clashes in the Yarmouk camp between Aknaf Bait Al Maqdis and ISIS, which raises the victims' toll to 12 victims, who were documented since the entrance of ISIS the Yarmouk Camp.



Alaa Derbas

Recent Updates of Yarmouk Camp

Yarmouk Camp was exposed to violent bombing yesterday with rockets and explosive barrels which led to material damages in addition to a number of wounded people amongst the residents. The clashes continue between Aknaf Bait Al Maqdis alongside with the Yarmouk youth and ISIS members from the other side for the fourth day respectively.

The clashes were renewed on Saturday on different axis between Aknaf Bait Al Maqdis and ISIS groups in the Camp, ISIS controls about 80% of the camp, where Aknaf Bait Al Maqdis declared its availability in the camp and denied all the news that talked about the control of ISIS over the whole camp.

The camp was exposed to violent bombing with mortar shells which caused a big damage in camp's houses; the camp also witnessed displacement of dozens of families to the surrounding areas such as Yelda and Bebella amid fear of snipers in the streets.



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Hundreds of wounded people inside the camp didn't get the first aid and treatment and they stayed seized inside their houses due to sniping and clashes. In the same context, the PRCS was able to get few wounded people out of the camp to get treatment in light of the stop of all medical services inside the Yarmouk camp and the shortage of medical materials. All relief side stopped in the Yarmouk camp due to their fear of ISIS to kidnap their staff.



PRCS getting the wounded out of the camp

On the other hand, most of Yarmouk residents are besieged in their houses and they don't have drinking water due to the water cut by the Syrian Regime since more than 200 days and the control of ISIS over the water distribution points. The residents renewed their frequent appeals to the ICRC and Red Crescent to immediately interfere to evacuate the wounded and to secure the medical materials rapidly.

On its turn, the AGPS stressed on the necessity to immediately act to put an end to the suffering of the besieged residents of the Yarmouk camp, which the humanitarian disaster started to in creasein the camp.



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On the other side, Ramallah city witnessed a set-in that was carried out by activists to stick together with the residents of the Yarmouk camp Haifa in the occupied territories also witnessed a similar sit-in where the participants chanted for the Yarmouk camp and called the international and humanitarian organizations to immediately interfere to rescue the Yarmouk Camp Refugees.



The set-in in Ramallah city

The Gaza Strip residents participated in a night march for besieged Yarmouk residents, where they chanted to the Yarmouk residents and demanded the Palestinian, the Arab and Islamic sides to immediately interfere to help the Yarmouk people.

In a related context, Hamas called in a statement, which the AGPS received a copy of it, to act immediately to rescue the Palestinian Refugees in the Yarmouk camp from siege and killing. It also affirmed that the Palestinian Refugees in the Damascus the Syrian Capital live in dangerous humanitarian situations with the continuation of siege that is imposed on them since two years which led to thousands of victims of its residents from hunger, thirst, illness and bombing, moreover, the



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remaining people are waiting death for what they are exposed to such as bombing and killing.

The bad Situation is increasing due to the invasion and aggression that the Yarmouk camp was exposed to since two days to control it and to change it to a battle field and fighting that the refugees don't have any interest in it and their issue has nothing to do with it. Hamas' Statement called to an immediate stop of fighting and save the innocent Palestinians blood and avoiding them more suffering and the statement also stressed on neutralizing the Palestinian camps from the ongoing war in Syria and they are guest looking for retiring back to their houses that they immigrated from. Hamas affirmed that it contacts several concerned parties to stop the bloodshed of the Palestinian innocent camp's residents and it will continue those efforts till the end of camp's tragedy.

On the other side, Al Wafaa European Campaign called all the armed parties in the Yarmouk camp for Palestinian Refugees to work immediately and rapidly to avoid the residents the ongoing fighting inside the camp, which is besieged for 637 days respectively. It also warned of a humanitarian disaster if the situation continues as it is especially after the entrance of ISIS in the camp and controlling it last Wednesday.

Al-Wafaa Campain called in a press statement that it is nessessary to reach a humanitarian truce inside the camp imidiatly to get the civilians and wounded people out to safe places and areas far from the violent bombing and clashes that target the camp and securing the suitable treatment to them..



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The Campaign referred that most of the Yarmouk residents are besieged in their houses without food, water and power, they can't get out because of the severe bombing and the wide arrest campaign that the ISIS launches in the camp, the campaign also demanded to find safe humanitarian pathways for entering the relief aids to the besieged residents inside the camp.

Al-Wafaa Campaign appealed all the international, relief and medical organizations to rapidly move inside the Yarmouk camp to relief 20 besieged people inside that camp, including 3500 children after the stop of all the medical points inside the camp and targeting the only hospital with shells that was operated inside the camp with individual and voluntary efforts.

The Euro-Med Observer warned of the "unprecedented humanitarian conditions" under which about 20,000 civilians including 3,500 children are living amid bombing and violent clashes since the Islamic State's (IS) attempt to take over the camp last Wednesday that led to killing 12 people at least from the residents of the camp till now..

The Euro-Mediterranean Observatory called on the United Nations Relief and Work Agency for Palestine Refugees (UNRWA) along with the International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC) to work on opening humanitarian pathways for the camps' inhabitants and to coordinate with the Syrian forces to evacuate dozens of the wounded.

The Observer also addressed a message to the European Commission for Human Rights to pressure the Syrian regime, as being in charge of the



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camp and its refugees, in order to protect the Palestinian refugees and to lift the siege on the camp.

In the same context, the Palestinian Authority Presidency in the Occupied West Bank affirmed that they have been making 'intensive' contacts with several Arab, international and humanitarian actors to save the Yarmouk residents, in the southern of Damascus, from the tragedy befalling them.

The Palestinian Presidency in a statement called not to drag Palestinians in Syria's Yarmouk Refugees Camp in fighting among various armed groups. The statement also affirmed that it is necessary for Palestinians not to be embroiled in the ongoing fighting as well as not interfering in the internal affairs of Arab states.

The statement added that the presidency praised efforts made by the Palestine Liberation Organization to alleviate the suffering of the residents of the camp and to stop the gross interference in the camp by groups that will lead to destroy the camp and displacement of its residents.

Numbers and Statistics till 4/4/2015

- At least 27933 Palestinian Syrian refugees have reached Europe during the last 4 years.
- The Yarmouk Camp: Siege, imposed by the Regular Army and PFGC, continued for 637 days respectively. In addition, power cuts continued for more than 717 days, water was cut for 207 days



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respectively. The number of victims due to the siege has reached to 173 victims.

- 80,000 Palestinian Syrian refugees escaped from Syria to the neighboring towns, including 10,687 refugees in Jordan, 51,300 in Lebanon and 6,000 refugees in Egypt, according to UNRWA statistics till February 2015.
- Al Husayneyya Camp: Regular Army is still preventing the residents of the camp to return back to their houses for 538 days respectively.
- Al Sheina Camp: Regular Army is still preventing the residents of the camp to return back to their houses for 508 days respectively.
- Handarat Camp: Residents have left the camp for 710 days after the Syrian Opposition Groups controlled it.
- Dara'a Camp: It is now almost 354 days without water and 70% of its buildings were demolished.
- Jermana, AL Saieda ZAinab, Al Raml, Al Aedein Camps in Homs and Hamma: A relatively quiet situation in light of the economic crises.
- Khan Al Sheih Camp: Roads linking the camp to the city center are still closed except for Zakia- Khan Al Sheih road.