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Daily report on the situation of Palestinian refugees in Syria



"2 Palestinians from Yarmouk Camp Pronounced Dead in Idlib"

- Palestinians in Syria Refugee Camp Denounce Bread Crisis
- Palestinians of Syria Slam Tough Citizenship Conditions Set by Turkey
- Palestinian Woman Wahiba Abu Jamous Forcibly Disappeared in Syrian Jail



Victims

Two Palestinian refugees from Yarmouk Camp were killed in the northern Syrian province of Idlib after they fought alongside the Syrian opposition groups against government forces. Their names have been kept secret by AGPS over security concerns.

AGPS has documented the death of 1,444 Palestinian residents of Yarmouk Camp since the outbreak of hostilities in Syria.



Latest Developments

Residents of Khan Dannun Camp for Palestinian refugees in Rif Dimashq continue to denounce the poor-quality bread sold in the area, saying worms and insects have been spotted inside bread loafs.

The locals said bread is unfit for human consumption, holding the government's quality control staff and Ministry of Supply responsible for the crisis and calling for serious action in response.

Living conditions in Khan Dannun have sharply deteriorated due to the lack of financial resources and high unemployment rates wrought by the raging warfare. A transportation crisis has added bad to worse.



Upon more than once occasion, civilians have railed against the mounds of trash and debris piled up in civilian neighborhoods and around the main access roads to the camp, resulting in bed smells and the spread of life-threatening diseases and rodents.

After eight years of conflict, Palestine refugees continue to be one of the most vulnerable groups in Syria with immense humanitarian needs.

In another development, the Turkish government stipulated that Palestinian refugees with Palestinian travel documents wishing to obtain Turkish citizenship must be owners of a property worth 250,000 USD, have a fixed investment capital of 500,000 USD, and deposit a sum 500,000 USD in Turkish banks.

Palestinian refugees from Syria said such criteria can never be met by the Palestinian refugees who have been struggling for survival due to the dire humanitarian conditions they have gone through.

Unofficial statistics indicate that 8,000 Palestinians from Syria have sought shelter in Turkey, where they have been facing squalid socioeconomic conditions and denied access to the local labor market.

Turkish embassies continue to prevent Palestinian refugees from Syria from obtaining visas. As a result, hundreds of Palestinians have embarked on life-threatening journeys via illegal immigration roads to reach Turkey.

Meanwhile, Palestinian refugee Wahiba Muhy AlDeen Abu Jamous, from Yarmouk Camp, has been enduring a mysterious fate in Syrian government prisons for nearly five years.



Wahiba along with her husband and two kids were kidnapped by Syrian security forces at AlAridha checkpoint on November 13, 2015, on her way back from Lebanon to Syria.

The family took shelter in Ein AlHilweh camp, south of Lebanon, fleeing war-torn Syria, to which they attempted to return thorough illegal routes. Their condition and whereabouts have been unknown.

AGPS documented the secret detention of 1,780 Palestinian refugees in Syria's state-run jails, including 108 women and dozens of minors.

