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"Palestinians from Syria Launch Cry for Help as Fresh Clashes Hit Ein AlHilweh Camp"



- Palestinian Families Displaced from Jilin Enduring Dire Conditions
- Residents of AlSbeina Camp Denied Access to Their Homes Via Gov't Checkpoints for 1,240 Days Running

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Latest Developments

Thousands of Palestinian families sheltered in Ein AlHilweh Camp, south of Lebanon, have sounded distress signals over the security turmoil rocking the shelter.

On Friday, a round of fresh clashes flared up between the security force in the camp and the remaining members of Jund AlSham and Fatah AlIslam militias. A number of civilians sustained wounds and material damage was wrought on a number of homes, commercial shops, and cars.



Several families fled the camp in the hunt for a safer shelter. At the same time, UNRWA schools along with public and private schools in Sidon shut down their doors.

A statistics-based study conducted by the Union of Islamic Relief Organizations in early 2016 found out that 870 Palestinian families from Syria have been taking cover in Ein AlHiwleh Camp. Recent statistics pointed out that the number has shrunk back to 726 families.

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Meanwhile, dozens of Palestinian families displaced from Jilin, in southern Syria, have been enduring dire conditions due to the simmering hostilities between the different warring parties.

Jilin residents have also run out of much-needed food items and medicines due to the unabated shelling and offensives rocking the area.

Dozens of Palestinian and Syrian families sheltered in Yarmouk Basin, in Daraa's western outskirts, fled the area for fear of being killed in the simmering hostilities between ISIS militias and the opposition outfits.



Most of those displaced from the area have sought refuge in Yarmouk River while others headed to AlMuzeireeb, Zizoun, and Amouriya, fleeing ISIS-led zones.

Located 25 kilometers away from northwestern Daraa city center, Jilin is home to 500 families, mostly displaced from Palestinian territories occupied in 1948. A number of other families are from the occupied West Bank and the blockaded Gaza Strip. Tseil town, northwest of Daraa, provides provisional refuge to some 120 Palestinian families.

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In a related development, residents of AlSebeina Camp for Palestinian refugees in Rural Damascus have been denied access to their homes via government-run checkpoints for 1,240 consecutive days.

Bloody hostilities between the government troops and the opposition battalions in and around AlSbeina forced dozens of families to seek shelter elsewhere. The clashes culminated in a tighter cordon by the regime squads on all corners of the shelter.

According to eye-witnesses, 80% of Daraa buildings have been subjected to partial or total destruction, particularly in the area stretching from Muadh Ibn Jabal Mosque to the Kurds Oven, which makes the western entrance to the shelter.

High rates of unemployment and lack of financial resources have added insult to injury for AlSbeina displaced community.

AlSbeina residents appealed to the Syrian regime army and its war accomplices to allow them a safe access into their homes, as has been the case with the residents of AlHusseiniya Camp.

Palestinians of Syria: April 8, 2017 Statistics:

- At least 3,476 Palestinians, including 455 women, were killed in war-torn Syria.
- 1,183 Palestinian refugees, including 86 women, are incarcerated in Syrian government lock-ups.

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- Yarmouk refugee camp has been blockaded by the Syrian regime army and Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine General Command (PFLP-GC) for 1,386 days in a row.
- 195 Palestinians died of undernourishment and medical neglect in the blockaded Yarmouk Camp.
- Water supplies cut off in Deraa and Yarmouk camps respectively for 1,092 and 900 days.
- Residents of Handarat Camp, in Aleppo, denied access to their homes for 1,436 days. Government battalions have been holding sway over the camp for more than 170 days.
- Nearly 85,000 Palestinian Syrian refugees fled to Europe until mid 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.