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Daily report on the situation of Palestinian refugees in Syria



"Amid the siege, a Palestinian resident of Yarmouk camp dies after the regime refuses his exit for treatment"

- Sharp conflict among the ranks of ISIS in Yarmouk camp and Al-Hajar Al-Aswad
- Shelling and violent clashes between ISIS and the opposition groups in south Syria
- An assassination incident in Al-Muzayrib raises a state of anxiety among the residents
- Palestinian 85-year-old woman lost in Damascus
- Palestinians in Syria Relief and Development Association distributes meat aid in the suburbs of Aleppo



## **Latest Developments:**

AGPS's correspondent reported the news of the death of the Palestinian refugee "Marwan Abdullah Al-Saad" (Abu Shady), due to the lack of medical care and the siege imposed on Yarmouk camp by the regime and the Palestinian factions loyal to it.

Medical sources in the southern region confirmed to our correspondent that "Saad" suffered from stomach cancer and needed treatment in the hospitals of Damascus. However, the Syrian regime refused to allow him to leave the region unequivocally, despite the intervention of a number of dignitaries and parties of reconciliation in the town of Yelda. As a result, the cancer spread throughout his body amid a complete inability by medical centers in the southern region to save his life.



According to the Action Group's statistics, 202 Palestinian refugees have died because of malnutrition and the lack of medical care, most of which were in Yarmouk camp.



In the meantime, AGPS's reporter in Yarmouk camp stated the occurrence of divisions and conflict among the ranks of ISIS in Yarmouk and Al-Hajar Al-Aswad, as a result of the recent decisions taken by ISIS to appoint leaders of Al-Hajar Al-Aswad, dividing power and limiting the joints of the decisions between them.

ISIS excused the Palestinian factions affiliated to it in Yarmouk camp of these decisions and removed them from any positions or authorities within it.

Exclusive sources to AGPS said that: "There are sharp differences and internal divisions among the leaders of ISIS that have reached the alert level, after the nominations and the new decisions taken by leaders of Al-Hajar Al-Aswad.

The sources pointed to the existence of sharp divisions in the ranks of ISIS, as a consequence of the understandings and agreements between ISIS and the Syrian regime.

During the month of September 2017, ISIS witnessed large splits in its ranks, which witnessed a return of Al-Ansar Groups, located on and around Street 15, which were known to have split from Al-Nusra and its allegiance to ISIS.

In a similar context, AGPS's correspondent in south Syria reported bombardments and violent clashes between Khaled ibn Al-Walid battalion, affiliated to ISIS, and the Syrian armed opposition groups in the western Yarmouk basin, which includes camps and Palestinian gatherings.



Our correspondent said that the clashes took place yesterday after the Syrian opposition forces targeted an armored tank, which was protecting members of ISIS. The clashes included rocket launchers, artilleries and light weapons and led to several injuries among the two sides.

The Palestinian refugees remaining in the area live in a difficult situation between shelling and clashes on one hand, as well as ISIS's tightening procedures, the lack of financial resources, the spread of unemployment, the interruption of aid and the poor health conditions on the other hand.

The area of the western Yarmouk basin has seen a wave of displacements due to the intensified fighting between ISIS and the armed opposition factions. The Khaled ibn Al-Walid battalion, affiliated to ISIS, has taken control of several areas of the Yarmouk basin, including the towns of Tasil, Jileen, Sahm and Tal Al-Gomoua.

Also in the western Yarmouk basin, our correspondent reported that residents of Al-Muzayrib woke up yesterday to the news of the assassination of a young man from the eastern Karak area, raising a state of fear and anxiety among the Palestinian refugees and the people of the region, because of the continuing series of assassinations in the region.

Our correspondent added that an unknown group was traveling in a white Toyota Hilux car and assassinated "Bassil Khalifa," fleeing without knowing the identity of the perpetrators.



The areas controlled by the opposition in general, Al-Muzayrib in particular, are witnessing an increase in the level of assassinations targeting the residents. One of the residents described it as threatening to the town, especially that the perpetrator and the party behind it are unknown, in light of the security chaos witnessed by the region.



Activists are accusing the Syrian security of being behind the assassinations and placing improvised explosive devices in the areas controlled by the opposition. Others attributed it to a standoff with armed opposition groups, while other activists accused the foreign intelligence agencies, which are active in southern Syria, according to the activists.

In another context, 85-year-old Palestinian "Latifa Amayri" from Khan Al-Sheih camp disappeared five days ago, on her return from Al-Mezzeh area in Damascus, to her area of residency in the area of Rokn Al-Din. No news or information about her have been revealed until the publishing of this report.



AGPS's statistics reveal that the number of Palestinian refugees who have disappeared since the outbreak of war in Syria has reached 303 people.

## **Local Work Committees:**

The Palestinians in Syria Relief and Development Association distributed its meat aid among the displaced Palestinians and Syrians, in the northern suburbs of Aleppo. In cooperation with Khair Umma charity, the Foundation slaughtered one hundred sheep from one of the donors, covering the areas of Idlib, Yelda, north Aleppo and Ghouta.

Hundreds of Palestinian families were displaced to north Syria, after fearing the bombardments and siege that affected their camps in Syria, or they were forced to emigrate, as what happened in the Khan Al-Sheih refugee camp in rural Damascus.





## Palestinians of Syria: November 9, 2017 Statistics:

- The total number of victims documented by the Action Group is 3608, including 462 women
- 1640 Palestinians are locked up behind Syrian government's bars, 105 of which are women
- Yarmouk refugee camp is under the Syrian regime army and Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine's siege for 1,576 days in a row
- 203 refugees, mainly in Yarmouk Camp, have died due to lack of medical care and malnutrition
- Water supplies have been cut off Deraa Camp for 1313 days,
  and 1153 days in Yarmouk Camp
- Residents of Handarat Camp, in Aleppo have been banned from their homes for 1,649 days. Government troops have taken over the camp for more than 400 days.
- Approximately 85 thousand Palestinian-Syrian refugees fled to Europe by the end of 2016
- 31 thousand refugees are located in Lebanon
- 17 thousand refugees are sheltered in Jordan
- 6 thousand refugees are in Egypt
- 8 thousand refugees are staying in Turkey
- One thousand refugees are present in Gaza