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"Palestinian Factions Affiliated with the Syrian Regime Recruit Refugees to Fight against the Opposition"



- A PLA Member Dies in Damascus Suburb
- 70% of Buildings in Handarat and Sbeina Camps and 40% of Yarmouk's Buildings Are Destroyed
- Jordan and Turkey Continue to Prevent the Palestinians of Syria to Enter their Territories and Lebanon Tightens its procedures

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Victims

The Palestinian refugee, Waseem Mohammed Asaad Mansour, a PLA officer, and originally from Safed city in Palestine, died on 8-9-2016 during the ongoing confrontations between the regular army and the Liberation Army on the one side, and the armed opposition groups on the other side. The confrontations broke out at Adra area in Damascus suburb.



The total number of PLA victims has reached 183, according to the AGPS statistics, excluding those who split from the PLA and joined the armed opposition groups and were killed during clashes with the regime, or those who died due to torture in the prisons of the Syrian regime.

Recent Updates

Private resources confirmed to the AGPS that some Palestinian factions in Damascus are recruiting the Palestinian youth in the Palestinian camps and compounds in order to fight alongside the Syrian regime forces against the Syrian armed opposition groups. They also send some youth away from their camps.

The PFGC, Fatah Al-Intifada, Alsaeqa, Free Palestine Movement, and the Popular Struggle are recruiting youth, while they are spread at the

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entrances of the besieged Yarmouk camp, Khan Dannon, ALsayeda Zainab, Husseneia, and Jaramana, in addition to camps controlled by the Regime forces; such as Al Aedein camp in Homs, Hama, Neirab camp in Aleppo, and ALraml camp in Lathakeia.



Residents of the Palestinian compounds are accusing those factions of cooperating with the Syrian intelligence and provide them with information about the Palestinian youth. In addition, they help the security of prosecuting the wanted youth under the pretext of not joining the obligatory military services or cooperating with the opposition groups or rejecting the regime.

The refugee, Khalid- a nick name- works with a group of a Palestinian faction, reported that there is no convince to work with the regime, yet there are no options. The salary of 35,000 SYP is my only source of living, noting that I have never harm anyone, we only open fire in the air for money. He also confirmed that there are some people fight alongside the armed groups supported by the Zionist entity.

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A number of refugees talked about some pro-regime Palestinian groups who manipulate the deteriorated economic conditions, he scarcity of financial resources, and the widespread of unemployment, in light of the ongoing war events and the displacement of thousands of Palestinian refugees. They attract young people with monthly salary.

On the other hand, the Syrian regime continues to target the Palestinian camps that are spread all over the country with warplanes, tanks, explosive barrels, and mortars which resulted in massive destruction in houses and properties, in addition to the death of thousands of victims and injuries among the Palestinian refugees.

Eye witnesses estimated that more than 70% of buildings in Deraa province are almost completely destroyed by explosive barrels and Syrian warplanes, forcing thousands of refugees to fled towards the adjacent areas or to outside Syria.

In Damascus suburb, eye witnesses estimated that more than 70% of buildings in Sbeina camp are almost completely destroyed, especially the area that extends from Moaz Bin Jabal mosque till the Kurds bakery, which forms the western entrance of the camp.

In the south of Syria, estimates indicated that more than 70% of buildings in Handarat camp are almost completely and partially destroyed due to missiles and explosive barrels under the pretext of targeting the armed opposition groups.

In the Yarmouk camp south of the capital Damascus, almost 40% of its buildings were partially and completely destroyed due to the war machine, where eye witnesses confirmed that the entrance of the camp is

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the most affected area for being a confrontation line among the Syrian regime and the armed opposition groups.

It should be noted that the other Palestinian camps and compounds was also targeted with explosive barrels, artillery shells, and missiles, which resulted in severe destruction in houses, in addition to victims among children and women.

on the other hand, the Jordanian and Turkish authorities continue to prevent the entry of Palestinian refugees from Syria to their territories despite all international conventions stated that all neighboring countries are obligated to receive the displaced people from war zone ad not to hinder their movement.

Meanwhile, the Turkish embassy stopped issuing entry visas for the Palestinians of Syria for more than 3 years, without any reasons, in case the Jordanian government issued an official decision to prevent the entry of the Palestinian refugees from Syria to Jordan for any reason.

However, the Lebanese authorities are tightening the procedures of the Palestinians of Syria entry to its territory. Several resources confirmed to the AGPS that the entry of the Palestinian refugees to Lebanon is very difficult and moody, since some refugees are allowed to enter while some others are prevented despite that most cases are holding tall required papers by the Lebanese border guards.

Palestinians of Syria; Numbers and Statistics until 10\09\2016

• 15500 Palestinian Syrian refugees are in Jordan

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- 42.500 Palestinian Syrian refugees are in Lebanon
- 6000 Palestinian Syrian refugees are in Egypt, according to the UNRWA statistics till July 2015
- 8000 Palestinian Syrian refugees are in Turkey
- 1000 Palestinian Syrian refugees are in Gaza
- More than 79,000 Palestinian Syrian refugees have reached Europe till mid -2016
- The Yarmouk Camp: siege, imposed by the Regular Army and PFGC groups, continued for 1180 consecutive days. Power cut continued for more than 1241 days, water was cut for 730 days respectively. The number of siege victims is 187.
- Al Sbeina Camp: Regular Army is still preventing the residents of the camp to return back to their houses for 1033 days respectively.
- Handarat Camp: All Residents have left the camp for about 1225 days after the Syrian Opposition Groups controlled it.
- Dara'a Camp: It is now almost 884 days without water and almost 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.