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Daily report on the situation of Palestinian refugees in Syria



"Palestinian Activist Tortured to Death in Syrian Jails"

- Family of Palestinian Refugee Ammar AlToubeh Appeal for Information
- Khan Dannun Schools Launch New Academic Year
- Free Medical Checks Offered to Patients with Bone Diseases in AlSayeda Zeinab Camp
- Palestinian Refugee Yahya AlBash Held in Syrian Jail since 2012



Victims

Palestinian refugee Mohamed Deib Mahmoud Abu AlRuz, nicknamed Abu Ram, died under torture in Syrian government dungeons.

Abu AlRuz, the maestro of the Bisan musical band and a member of Fidaa Association, was arrested in 2013 at the Batikha checkpoint on his way out of Yarmouk Camp. He was a resident of AlHajar AlAswad area.



According to AGPS data, 556 Palestinian refugees were tortured to death in Syrian government prisons, where 1,695 others, among them 106 women and girls, have also been enduring mysterious fates.

Latest Developments

The family of the Palestinian refugee Ammar Omar AlTobeh has appealed to the human rights institutions to urgently intervene and work on disclosing the fate of their son who has gone missing for over three years.



In letters emailed to AGPS, the family said Ammar headed for Turkey with his friends in an attempt to reach Europe. However, his relatives have failed to keep in touch with him from the moment he had reached Bab AlHawa area.

The mother said she was once told that Ammar was admitted at a hospital in Reyhanli; Others said he got hospitalized in Antakya; Another source told her that her son entered a hospital for prenatal care.



The mother added that she received medical reports confirming her son's death and burial, before she found out that the report was fake.

The mother expressed concerns that her son might have been killed, kidnapped, or robbed, saying he was holding over \$3,000.

Voicing her deep sorrow, the mother urged the Turkish authorities to immediately launch a fact-finding probe to reveal her son's fate.

Over 300 Palestinian refugees have disappeared since the outbreak of the Syrian warfare, including 38 women and girls. Most of the missing Palestinians were residents of Yarmouk Camp, south of Damascus.



Meanwhile, the administration board of the AlKhalisa and AlHawala schools in Khan Dannun refugee camps announced, in a statement posted on Facebook, the advent of the new school year following reconstruction works carried out at the two schools.

Admins at AlKhalisa School said classes are slated to kick off as of Sunday and Monday 07:00 a.m until 12:00 a.m. On Wednesday and Thursday classes are to be started at 12:00 a.m. and wrapped up at 04:00 p.m. Classes at AlHawala School will operate conversely.

Meanwhile, the Commission of Civil Action in AlSayeda Zeinab Camp announced the launch of a free medical campaign in favor of children and adults with bone diseases and deformities.

Check-ups were carried out for about three hours, during which over 50 patients received free diagnosis and medical prescriptions.



AlSayeda Zeinab Camp, held by the Syrian government forces and their affiliated popular committees, has been gripped with dire socio-economic conditions as a result of the high rates of unemployment. Several residents have fled the camp while others have been forced to join pro-government battalions.



In the meantime, Palestinian refugee Yehya Ahmad AlBash, born in 1960, has been incarcerated in Syrian government prisons for six consecutive years.

He was kidnapped by the government forces on October 5, 2012 and dragged to an unknown location. His fate and whereabouts remain mysterious.

AGPS documented the imprisonment of 1,695 Palestinian refugees, among them 108 women and girls, in Syrian government lock-ups.