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"Palestinians of Syria slam underway attempts to drag them into simmering warfare"



- Palestinian refugee Salah Rabiie dies of torture in Syrian jails.
- Resident of Yarmouk camp killed in stepped up hostilities.
- Deraa camp hit by mortar shells and tanks.
- Shilka self-propelled tanks strike civilian homes in Khan Al-Shih.
- Violent clashes burst out in Yarmouk camp.

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Victims

49-year-old Salah Rabiee, a resident of Al-Neirab camp in Aleppo, was tortured to death in a Syrian regime lock-up. Salah was kidnapped last year on allegations of helping civilians move to Turkey. Regime co-conspirators have often transferred civilians to Turkey in return for cash.



Seething hostilities also took away the life of the Palestinian refugee Taher Mahmoud Ali, sheltered in Yarmouk's Al-Maghareba neighborhood. Taher's death brings the number of Palestinian refugee casualties in war-torn Syria to 3,378 so far, according to AGPS latest statistics.

Latest Developments

Speaking in memorandums recorded by AGPS reporters, Palestinian refugees voiced their firm rebuff of any attempt to drag them into ongoing hostilities between the regime militias and opposition squads. The memorandums were issued after reports emerged on a meeting between



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delegates of the Palestine Liberation Army (PLA), Palestinian groups allied with the Syrian regime, so-called national defense committees, and representatives of Iran's Revolutionary Guard Corps. The meeting discussed possible ways to send military reinforcements to Dierkhabiya Front after several fighters from the 4th Armored Division, affiliated with the regime, died in ongoing fighting.

The Palestinian refugee community urged the Palestine Liberation Organization(PLO), the PLA, the General Command, the Fatah Al-Intifada, and the Al-Nidhal Front, along with the Popular and Democratic Front to cease bloodshed against the nonaligned Palestinian youths.



At the same time, the PLA continues to send youths captured in campaigns of mandatory military conscription to flashpoints so as to stand as bulletproof vests in bloody battles against opposition outfits. Regime abettors have also forced a number of Palestinian refugees into compulsory military enlistment, taking advantage of the dire socioeconomic conditions endured in refugee camps.



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Moving southwards, the Syrian army struck the Deraa refugee camp with mortar shells and tanks, resulting in heavy material losses.

According to AGPS on-the-spot reporters, living conditions in Deraa camp have taken a turn for the worse due to the unbroken blitzing. Water has also been cut off in the camp for 926 days running while 80% of its buildings have been razed to the ground.



Meanwhile, the regime-led Shilka tanks deployed in Al-Kabousiya Hill targeted civilian homes in Khan Al-Shih's western corners with randomly-shot spates of machinegun fire, resulting in serious material damage. A state of panic overwhelmed women and children in the process. Regime fighter aircrafts also struck the adjacent ranches and towns with a wave of explosive barrels.

According to an AGPS news correspondent, violent clashes erupted in the area between opposition outfits and the regime squads after the latter attempted to roll into the territory and hold sway over it.



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Residents of Khan Al-Shih have often sounded distress signals over the intense human and material damage inflicted by shell fire discharged from the regime's military outpost in Al-Kabousiya Hill.

In a related development, sporadic clashes erupted near the Yarmouk municipality and Al-Tadhamun between Al-Karain battalion on the one hand, and the Syrian regime and its Palestinian allies on the other, using various types of light and medium weapons.

The blockade slapped by the Syrian regime and the daily crackdowns carried out by ISIS hordes have made life unbearable in Yarmouk camp, in southern Damascus.

Palestinians of Syria: October 24, 2016 Statistics:

- There are 15,500 Palestinian-Syrian refugees in Jordan.
- 42,500 Palestinian-Syrian refugees are in Lebanon.
- 6,000 Palestinian-Syrian refugees are sheltered in Egypt, according to UNRWA figures covering the period from July 2015 backwards.
- 8,000 Palestinian-Syrian refugees are taking shelter in Turkey.
- 1,000 Palestinian-Syrian refugees reside in the blockaded Gaza Strip.
- Over 79,000 Palestinian Syrian refugees fled to Europe until mid 2016.
- Yarmouk refugee camp has been blockaded by the Syrian regime army and Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine General Command PFLP-GC for 1,224 days in a row. Electricity and water



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supplies have been cut off, respectively, for 1,285 days and 744 days. The number of those killed due to the blockade has hit 190.

- Sbiena refugee camp: Refugees could not go back to their homes as a result of the blockade slapped by the Syrian regime forces since 1,077 days running.
- Handarat refugee camp: All refugees left the camp since 1,269 days after opposition outfits grabbed hold of the area.
- Deraa refugee camp: Water has been cut off for 927 consecutive days while 70% of its buildings have been knocked down.
- Homs camp, Hama camp, Jaramana camp, al-Sayda Zeinab camp, Al-Raml camp: A of State of relative calm has been reported in the abovementioned areas. However, economic crises have been on the rise.
- Khan al-Shih refugee camp: All access roads to the camp have been closed off, except for the Zakia-Khan Al-Shih passageway.