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"After 22 Months of Detention, the Egyptian Authorities
Transfer Two Palestinian Syrian Refugees to the Prison of
Deportation to Gaza"



- Warplanes target the vicinity of Khan Al Shieh Camp
- Clashes in Yarmouk, and the Syrian Regime still Besieging the Camp for 1080 Consecutive Days
- Palestinian Students in Syria Leave their Camps to Perform the High School Exams

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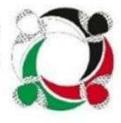
The AGPS correspondent reported that the Egyptian Authorities transferred the two Palestinian Syrian refugees, Fadi Sharif Hawarna, 47 years, and Alaa Abdulwahab Durgham, 24 years, who were detained at Al Qanater prison in Cairo, to one of the Egyptian prisons allocated to deport the detainees to the Gaza strip, according to their families.

The Egyptian security has transferred them previously to Al Areesh prison in 11-3-2015, and tried to deport them to the Gaza strip, yet an UNRWA official in Jordan intervened and prevented them to be departed, in addition to the refusal of the Palestinian authorities.



The detainees' families expressed their resentment regarding the negligence of humanitarian and human rights institutions, the UNHCR, and the Palestinian embassy, as they called for action and move to release the detainees from Egyptian prison and to end their ongoing tragedy for more than a year and a half.

Ala and Fadi had traveled from Syria to Egypt under an official visa on Thursday 10/07/2014, days after they tried to travel illegally through the



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"sea boats" in an attempt to get to Europe, but they failed, where the Egyptian Coastguards arrested them with a group of travelers. A deportation ordered was issued to deport them from Egypt in a deadline for only 15 days.

For being Palestinian Syrians, all countries refused to give them entry visa and they stayed in Shubrakheet prisons hoping that the UNHCR would intervene and solve their problem. After 40 days, every detainee was released except for them. They lost hope, and they were transferred to a prison in Ismailia city in 14-2-2015. After the authorities failed to deport them to the Gaza strip, they were transferred to Al Qanater prison in Cairo in 24-8-2015 till now.

Refugees' lawyer has confirmed earlier, they had been held for a year and seven months without any crime and without being sentenced of any court ruling and added «the only charge that plastered them is illegal immigration charge and there is no law criminalized it. He appealed to the Egyptian authorities to release the two young Palestinian men for being war victims in Syria, like other Syrian refugees".

It is noteworthy that thousands of Palestinian refugees fled the ravages of the Syrian war and the targeting of their camps to neighboring countries and European, many of whom had been detained during attempts to reach Europe, such as Egypt, Libya, Tunisia, Thailand, Malaysia, Turkey, Macedonia, Slovenia, and Serbia.

The Syrian regime aircrafts carried out a number of raids at the adjacent areas and farms of the outskirts of Khan Al Shieh camp in Damascus



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suburb. The raids targeted Al Darkhabeia area, and provoked a state of panic among residents, especially children for fear of being targeted.



Meanwhile, the regular army checkpoints are still closing all roads connecting between the camp and the center of the capital, Damascus, which led to a worsening of living conditions, and the loss of many varieties of medicines and food, and the high prices of others.

In the south of the capital Damascus, clashes broke out in the besieged Yarmouk camp between ISIS and Nusra since yesterday; clashes centered on Masbah Albasil area, which was targeted by a missile fired by ISIS towards an area controlled by Nusra coincided with news of new negotiations between the two parties to stop the fighting.

In addition, the regular army and GC groups continue the Yarmouk refugee camp for the day (1080), respectively, while power cut for more than (1141) days, and water cut for 630 days, while the number of siege victims has reached (187) victims.

The besieged and displaced residents of Yarmouk are still suffering due to the ongoing conflict and ISIS's restrictions in the clashes areas with



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Nusra, and due to the prevention of the Syrian Regime to enter food and medical supplies, as well as the prevention of the residents' return to their houses.

Despite the serious and the deteriorated security situation in their camps, tens of Palestinian students in Syria headed to perform the high school exams for 2015-2016. The students of the Yarmouk camp headed to Saed Bin Alaas Center for girls and Palestine middle school for boys at Al Ameen neighborhood, despite the ongoing clashes between ISIS and Nusra.



Students of Khan Al Shieh camp headed to centers at Al Kiswa town, and some of them went to the Vocational training center of the UNRWA in the Mezze district of Damascus to stay in it because of the large tightening by the Syrian regime forces on the only road, which is bombed almost daily and many victims and wounded died there.

The AGPS correspondent reported that the Student League, in cooperation with the Charity Committee for the Relief of Palestinian



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People, transferred the high school students from NAirab camp to the exams centers in Aleppo city.

It should be noted that UNRWA had earlier announced on its website that there is a large percentage of the Palestinian students in Syria have been forced to leave their schools, because of the increasing poverty and unemployment levels, the inability to pay for food, and the difficulty in finding an alternative place to live. Poverty prevailed Palestinian refugee community, under the constant of fear and uncertainty to know their fate, especially that the ongoing conflict in Syria awakened old painful memories of being refugees since 1948, and that their situation was not solved for many years. The Agency noted that the departure of professional teachers from Syria affected negatively on the quality of education in schools that follow the national curriculum approved by the Syrian Ministry of Education.

Palestinians of Syria; Numbers and Statistics till 30\05\2016:

- 15500 Palestinian Syrian refugees are in Jordan
- 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 71.2 thousand Palestinian Syrian refugees have reached Europe till the End of December 2015



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- The Yarmouk Camp: siege, imposed by the Regular Army and PFGC groups, continued for 1080 consecutive days. Power cut continued for more than 1141 days, water was cut for 630 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 934 days respectively.
- Handarat Camp: All Residents have left the camp for about 1 125 days after the Syrian Opposition Groups controlled it.
- Dara'a Camp: It is now almost 787 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.