

“A Flower is worth 100 smiles”
AHA personal project
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Our campaign:

“A flower is worth 100 smiles” is the name of our campaign that we launched this summer 2014. Look around us there are millions of refugees whether they are Palestinians, Syrians or Iraqis that are suffering. Not everyone is living a happy life and is able to eat, get educated and have a family. Not everyone around us is living the same life we are living. So we thought of something simple that does not offend anyone and rather put a smile on suffering refugees in hospitals and give them hope that there is someone out there to think of them and of their happiness. There is someone who is not so self concerned of himself or herself but rather think of them, there is someone that restores their faith in humanity out there in this world.

Our aim:

We aimed to put a smile on suffering refugees especially Palestinians that were suffering from the Gaza bombardment at the time. These children adults of all ages needed someone to stand by their side and we were able to do that by giving them a rose that put a smile on their faces and made them forget the suffering at least at that moment.

What did we do?

Here is what we did:

First of all each of us baked cookies and cake in order to sell them to our neighbors, people in the streets and friends in order to gather up an amount of money being JD20 for us to buy some roses to give to suffering Palestinian refugees in Al-Khalidi Hospital here in Amman.



The staff of Al-Khalidi Hospital were kind enough to welcome us into the hospital and help us give out some flowers to suffering Palestinians that came in from Gaza during the tragic events they faced this summer before the seize fire.

Each member's role and contribution:

Tara Mirza: I baked and sold cookies gathered up 8jds, I took pictures in the hospital and I was responsible for arrangements with Al Khalidi Hospital.

Ruby Mahmood: I baked and sold cookies gathered up 5jds bought the flowers and handed out some of the flowers in the hospital.

Jude Al-Aloul: I baked and sold cookies gathered up 7jds and gave out flowers in the hospital.