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Humanitarian Aid for IDPs in Kurdistan

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ZOA is a Christian international non-governmental organisation and supports people who suffer because of armed conflict or natural disasters, in helping them to rebuild their livelihoods. We want to contribute to bring real, sustainable change, Signs of Hope and restoration. ETTC as an international NGO works in the fields of migration and return, on 13th August 2014 started its support campaign for IDPs in Erbil. So far the ETTC has distibuted more than 31.5 tons of foods and NFIs among the IDPs in Kurdistan region of Iraq.
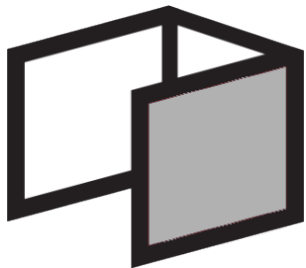
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The crisis in Middle East has resulted in lots of terrorist attacks, political conflicts, economic fluctuations as well as the displacement of people and fleeing to safer places. Some of the IDPs and refugees have been obliged to flee more than once. Despite of tens of thousands of civilians have been killed because of their name or thnicity.

Today more than 1.5 million IDPs and Refugees have fled to the Iraqi Kurdistan region in less than two years. Which is above the capacity of the KRG to provide them; accommodation, medicine, education and daily needs.

Kurdistan is a four season country and it has a cold rainy winter with lots of snow at the mountains and a hot dry summer. In spite of a number of Camps and shelters for refugees and IDPs there is a huge number of families living in uncompleted buildings, tents and self-made shelters as well as some are sharing rent for house.

ZOA and ETTC have accomplished a project for aiding IDPs with Insulation and winterization materials. The items have been distributed among the IDPs in both Rwanduz district and Khalifan sub-district of North-East Erbil.

200
Families have received Insulation materials (Carpet 12m²/family and extracted polystyrene)

590
Families have received winterization materials (Shoes, Sweaters, Hygiene kits, blankets, rechargeable lights)