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*Dedicated to ...*

*Victims of the Yazidis'  
genocide*



# *Translator*

## *Introduction*

Why did I translate this very short story collection?

In the beginning, I would like to point out that many non-Kurds may not have a correct and clear picture of the truth of what happened to the Yazidi Kurds during the control Isis fore Sinjar and the surrounding areas.

It was and still remains on the Kurdish parties concerned,

which despite the existence of a huge amount of documents, evidence and data, what happened over time from the tragedies and woes of the Kurds in general and the Kurds Yazidis in particular, but these parties did not deal with evidence and evidence to the world as it should. As we see in every occasion and memory to revive what happened, we find that most of the Kurdish media explain and publish what happened from the events and disasters of the



Kurds in Kurdish, as if not much to provide a real picture of what suffered the original part of the Kurdish people in other languages, The world was like an internal Kurdish affair.

These very short stories are realistic stories, not fiction or far from the truth, but they are the truth itself, and it is the tip of the iceberg of what happened to Sinjar and its peaceful people.

Khairi BOZANI, through his job position, as a general

manager of the Yazidis affairs in the Ministry of Endowments and Religious Affairs in the Kurdistan Region, is trying to understand the suffering of the followers of his religion more than others, and on the same time he is a short storywriter. What motivates me to translate this collection into Arabic and English to in these very short stories, is that t what has happened to the Yazidis is should be considered as one

of the most heinous crimes  
known in humanity history.

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*Briefly..*

*WAVE OF BLACK SAND*: The wave of the rotten thought, the wave of the predatory monsters and the wave of thieves and bandits.

*WAVE OF BLACK SAND* is a collection of very short stories. It consists of some convulsions and reflections of what the terrorist invasion have left behind in Sinjar region. In addition to several other stories that reflect the social,

political and humanitarian cases.

I put this collection between your hands, with apologizing of any lapse.

**Khairi BOZANI**

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When they raised their  
black flag ..

The urbanization has  
ruined.

\*\*\*\*\*

At night he put his head  
on the pillow:

"O my God, have mercy  
on us"

In the morning ... with  
the word (Allah Akbar -  
God is Great) he woke up  
and there was

Escape.. Cutting heads..  
Captivity.. Looting.

\*\*\*\*\*

The infant was not crying for milk, and his small body was not hurting, but his mother's cry when they cut off his father's head was the cause of his crying.



\*\*\*\*\*

They asked a child:

- Where is your mother?
- Isis took her.
- Where is your father?
- Isis cut off his head.
- Then with whom do you live?
- With my troubles!.

\*\*\*\*\*

Post, that all of his family has been kidnapped by Isis, he returned home to see their pictures on the wall. But when he arrived, he even did not find the wall.

\*\*\*\*\*

A survivor from the Isis:

*They used to slaughter  
sheep in their feasts;  
nevertheless they killed  
us every day.*

*\*\*\*\*\**

*She wanted to know  
only one truth, was she a  
virgin or non-virgin, a  
widow, or a divorced!!  
When she failed to do so,*

I spat on both the earth  
and the heaven.

\*\*\*\*\*

When Isis killed and  
kidnapped all of his  
relatives, he was a little  
child and not aware to  
cry, but when felt  
aware, he found himself  
selling tissues to live.

\*\*\*\*\*

The Isis Bulling bullets  
were ashamed to  
penetrate the breasts of  
women and children,  
but they were so  
terrified of Isis's horror  
that they did not dare  
to become cool.

\*\*\*\*\*

In the name of Allah he  
passed his knife on his

neck ... and in the name  
of Allah, he lost the soul  
of who has been created  
by Allah.

\*\*\*\*\*

After the wolves licked  
his puppet.. they bit and  
tore her, He once again  
hugged and flushed her  
then lived with her.

\*\*\*\*\*

She was always crying.  
However, her tears did  
not fall on the ground  
where her father and  
her brothers were killed,  
and she was raped.

\*\*\*\*\*

After his son was  
survived from Isis, the  
son said to him: Father I

love you so much, and I  
hope that Allah loved too  
thus you have to  
pronounce The shahada\*  
and pray !.

\*: The Shahada is an  
Islamic creed, one of the  
Five Pillars of Islam,  
declaring belief in the  
oneness of God  
(TAWHID) and the  
acceptance of



Muhammad as God's  
prophet.

\*\*\*\*\*

They put an ember on  
the heart of a father  
whose daughter was  
captured by Isis, and  
they waited ... at the  
end, the ember put out  
and his heart did not  
burn anymore!

\*\*\*\*\*

He searched in all the dictionaries; he did not find a word uglier than the (decapitation).

\*\*\*\*\*

Three children:

- When I grow up I will become a doctor.

- And I will become a teacher.

- So I'll be a pilot.

After several months, the three of them saw each other in the alleys of homelessness.

\*\*\*\*\*

Monsters are  
everywhere, in the  
house, in the alleys, in  
the workplaces, they are  
all monsters. Even the  
non-monsters have  
turned into monsters.  
They hope to become  
angels after death.

\*\*\*\*\*

The Isis's Farman (The decree) has separated two brothers, one of them died under a tent of the displaced; the other was killed by Isis.

\*\*\*\*\*

Under the tent, every night he slept in his mother's lap, he woke up in the morning to see

that his head was on the  
ground and the pillow in  
his lap.

\*\*\*\*\*

Those who were  
displaced, they looked at  
the black sky from by a  
tent hole, and then they  
realized the meaning of  
"Allah u Akbar".

\*\*\*\*\*

A duvet feet child asked  
a shop owner:

- Are this pair of shoes  
suitable for me?
- Yes, it is fit to your  
feet..

He ran to tell his mother  
to buy it for him, but in  
the middle of the way he  
remembered that he is  
an orphan parent.

\*\*\*\*\*

If the winter feels shame,  
it would delay its coming  
till the displaced return  
to their homes.

\*\*\*\*\*

The sons of the traitors,  
where guiding each  
other to the camps of  
the displaced people.

\*\*\*\*\*



When he was kidnapped,  
he was calling his  
mother (Ma, for the sake  
of God, don't leave me) ,  
then when he escaped  
from the kidnappers'  
hands, he said to his  
mother (cover your  
hair).

\*\*\*\*\*

He wished to go to  
school, study in a class,  
play in a schoolyard and  
eat biscuits in its shop.  
Now, he sells biscuits at  
the gate of a village  
school where his family  
displaced to it.

\*\*\*\*\*

A group of displaced  
people: Come; come on,  
to hold a wicked party

on the shoulders of the  
false angels. Come, hurry  
up to hold a drunk prom  
on (perwestyarana), yes,  
come on ... so that we  
can defile all that is  
called holy, everything is  
lies and nonsense, The  
truth is what we see ..  
Killing.. Kidnapping..  
Destruction.. Looting  
and displacement.

\*\*\*\*\*

*Displaced: My tent is  
white, the snow is white,  
the sky is white, but my  
luck is black.*

\*\*\*\*\*

*At the Ferman, a drop  
of water was too rare to  
everyone, but the blood  
was running as rivers.*

\*\*\*\*\*

When his head cut off  
and went to (Khudê), he  
filed a complaint against  
(Allah).

\*\*\*\*\*

She had written on a  
scrap of worn-out paper  
- I would commit suicide  
because it was too hard  
for me to accept a

monkey vomiting on me  
without my will.

\*\*\*\*\*

I realized when he took  
pictures with his closed  
gun and spread them,  
my grandchildren would  
call me the Coward.

\*\*\*\*\*

*He was waiting to  
receive his bride, but he  
never realized that  
instead of the wedding,  
groans would fall on him.*

\*\*\*\*\*

A member of Isis:

- What do you worship?

A Sinjari guy:

- I worship Khodê..

- Then go to him.. Allah  
u Akbar.. And he cut off  
his head.

\*\*\*\*\*

A people slept at night ...

At the morning, it  
confronted killing,



kidnapping, robbing and  
displacing.

\*\*\*\*\*

An Iraqi took of his  
lovely daughter by force,  
and he sold the mother  
to Tunisian by 50  
dollars.

\*\*\*\*\*

In the slaves market..  
A virgin girl 14 years..  
graceful.. beautiful by 60  
dollars.

- To me.
- Mother with her child  
by 100 dollars.
- To me ..

\*\*\*\*\*

At the gambling table a  
people was eliminated.

\*\*\*\*\*

At the first, America  
said about the situation  
in the village of Kuju:  
Nothing will happen, the  
situation is under  
control ... Then said: We  
are concerned ... Finally  
said: What happened  
was against human  
principles !!.

\*\*\*\*\*

When he get married his  
beloved, he loved  
another one.

\*\*\*\*\*

He takes out all the goals  
and success from his  
dictionary and puts the  
dreams and hopes  
instead.

\*\*\*\*\*

When he pulled the TNT  
belt in order to blow  
himself up among  
people, he saw people in  
a state of combustion.

\*\*\*\*\*

They forgot all of their  
pains and turned into  
Facebook activists.



In my troubled room,  
everything before my  
eyes turns into ghosts,  
tickles me, and every  
part of my body goes in  
its own way and resorts  
to the neighbors' rooms.

\*\*\*\*\*

A hot water vial saved  
five lives from death,  
and a hot bullet

*destroyed the lives of five  
others.*

\*\*\*\*\*

*A donkey, a dog, and a  
shepherd ... They shall  
feed a thousand sheep  
and sheep,*

\*\*\*\*\*



He made all his time and  
his potential to make  
them happy, but they  
spent most of their time  
and energies to bury  
him!

\*\*\*\*\*

For years he  
accompanied the war  
and the snow fought  
against the opponents ...

On a ready-made dish,  
the antagonists  
sprinkled the sand on his  
eyes and the sword cut  
off his head.

\*\*\*\*\*

Antichrists and  
misguided people,  
blending truths and lies  
together.

\*\*\*\*\*

I addressed the big tree,  
the little tree, and said: I  
am taller and bigger  
than you.

I replied: But know that  
our roots are planted in  
the ground, but our  
heads must be cut.

\*\*\*\*\*

His 60 years, his coarse hands, the smell of his foul mouth and his foul words ... made Nazdar finish her twenty-first year.

\*\*\*\*\*

The poem, which he wrote with his heart's blood, did not exhort even the likes.

Shedding his eyes with  
tears, walked a long  
way, until the edge  
reached.

\*\*\*\*\*

I am in the sea day and  
at night sterile.

\*\*\*\*\*

The pockets of the  
powerful became the  
Bermuda Triangle.

\*\*\*\*\*

In the excavations found  
the archaeologist, the  
heads of square spears  
address people: your  
ancestors have died  
killed.

\*\*\*\*\*

I did not distinguish the  
fragrance of roses from  
the horror of concerns.

\*\*\*\*\*

I was born in the dark,  
in black I hugged her,  
blinded her life, in the  
end she wore her white  
palm.

\*\*\*\*\*

They were at night  
fighting in the Berne,  
these day their  
companies steal.

\*\*\*\*\*

Tomorrow is Eid, we will  
visit the graves.

\*\*\*\*\*



- My father ... Why is the grave of my grandfather not in the cemetery of Qarya?

- My dear son, his grave in the grave of the infidels ..

- What ?? What!!

- Nothing .. What are these many questions, my son !?

\*\*\*\*\*

Ma .. How did you come  
to this world? My son is  
calling you from the  
door of a mosque.  
Since that time, life has  
been preferred to  
wander around alleys  
and streets.

\*\*\*\*\*

Smoked his cigar .. Filled  
faces of the board  
bruises.

\*\*\*\*\*

When she pressed the  
keyboard buttons to  
write, she called the pen  
to the other friend.

\*\*\*\*\*

Light sweating removed  
the makeup of her face  
to beautify her beauty.

\*\*\*\*\*

They did not buy a bike  
for him in his childhood.

He did not secure a  
wheelchair for him when  
he was old.

\*\*\*\*\*

In winter he lit  
firewood.. In the summer  
he lit.

\*\*\*\*\*

If you come to another  
ball, let your coming on  
relentlessly, be careful  
not to feed on the When  
As you come back again,  
let's be memories, call

them muted in her  
death. If you do not  
come out of my heart, so  
that my memories will  
not wake up.

\*\*\*\*\*

She gave him her flower,  
he gave her his seeds, she  
gave her fruits to them.

\*\*\*\*\*

A light voice whispered  
in his ear: What's  
happen? Why do you sell  
so expensive? It is a sin.

\*\*\*\*\*

When he lost his hope  
that the sky would not  
fall the rain. He dropped  
his tears.

\*\*\*\*\*

With his dirty legs he kneaded the dough, he took out his bread from the oven and left old mother and immigrated to Europe. When she died, he set up her consolation on Facebook.

\*\*\*\*\*



Doctor: I have two things to tell you, one of them is a joyful, the other is sad. The joyful is that you are not crazy. The sad one is please leave the insane hospital !.

\*\*\*\*\*

They said to him: Even if you are not suitable for a job, we tomorrow will

appoint you as a guard  
for oil wells. When we  
became oil owners,  
foreign guards did not  
even allow him to submit  
an application to the  
director for  
appointment as a guard.

\*\*\*\*\*

I left her to live without  
me, but by her death she  
killed me.

\*\*\*\*\*

He: No matter whatever  
you go or come back, be  
away or come closer, you  
will return back to my  
lap. I am your nest.

\*\*\*\*\*

Your cold hands and  
lukewarm lips will not be  
able to turn my hot  
breath into mist and no  
clouds will form from it,  
our land forever will  
remain fallow.

\*\*\*\*\*

Wake up, it's not sleep  
time, it's shame for you  
to move forward.

\*\*\*\*\*

In this place everything  
grows up, everything is  
born and becomes  
double, only the mind  
becomes tiny bit.

\*\*\*\*\*

They did not like to  
extinguish the fire that  
broke out in their house,  
they feared that they  
would die of thirst in the  
Summer.

\*\*\*\*\*

The Story of Man...  
Start: Crying.

*Content: worries, hard  
work, joys and sighs.*

*The end: crying.*

*\*\*\*\*\**

*When the Fall has come  
after the Arab Spring,  
we realize that the Arab  
peoples are sterile.*

*\*\*\*\*\**

Who killed you?  
I committed suicide.  
Who killed you?  
I burned myself.  
You are now in the house  
of truth, say who killed  
you?  
He made me commit  
suicide ... They made me  
burn myself.  
\*\*\*\*\*



Hello, beautiful girl, is  
there anyone at home?

No, just me and my  
mother are at home.

\*\*\*\*\*

O my son, do not go out  
of the house except at  
night, because in the day  
time you will either be  
stolen or killed.

\*\*\*\*\*

*Our guards are busy  
chatting and Facebook !.*

\*\*\*\*\*

*At the age of young he  
was destitute does not  
find a bite to eat, at the  
age of the elderly he is  
having cholesterol  
tablets.*

\*\*\*\*\*

She did not want to give  
her daughter a ring ...  
when her granddaughter  
grew up she gave her  
that ring.

\*\*\*\*\*

The darkness of the  
night never ever frighten  
me ... but the darkness of  
the hearts dismayed  
me!.

\*\*\*\*\*

Cigarette: I will burn  
myself for you sake.  
Smoker: I'll kill myself by  
you!

\*\*\*\*\*

My son published in  
Facebook, all my  
children's toys and cars  
made of wire, tin and  
plastic.

\*\*\*\*\*

Before burying the dead,  
they were all as  
custodians talk the good  
only. After the  
cemetery, they were  
competing on saying bad  
words about the dead.

\*\*\*\*\*

When all the birds could  
not imitate a twitter...  
they dazed his head by  
their crowd voices.

A glass of wine is the  
best Psychiatrist.

\*\*\*\*\*

Good bye mam, I'm  
going to my school and  
do not worry about. I'm  
not worried about you;  
just call me back when  
you arrived there.

\*\*\*\*\*

When they slaughtered  
the big cock, thousands  
of cocks shouted.

\*\*\*\*\*

I was in the elevator,  
entered a girl and said:

- Hi, How are you?

- Hi, welcome...

My face whistled when I  
noticed that she was  
talking through

Bluetooth with someone  
else!.

\*\*\*\*\*

Why do you demolish  
your house?  
- I just participate in the  
demolition!

\*\*\*\*\*



The only hope of his  
pillow is sleep a night  
without tears.

\*\*\*\*\*

- But I'm your husband!!
- Uh, that's not mean to  
be a military officer in  
your orders.

\*\*\*\*\*

- Baba, is there in the paradise mobile and laptop?
- Sure, even you will not need the balance or the charger.

\*\*\*\*\*

After the monkey has made the number of beautification... It becomes such a bear!!

\*\*\*\*\*

The more her lips are  
reddened the more black  
words come out of her.

\*\*\*\*\*

To gaze more with his  
eyes, he wore a black  
glasses.

\*\*\*\*\*

- Mama, why the whale  
is so fat?
- O my dear, because he  
swallowed the moon.

\*\*\*\*\*

Bring me a helmet, I  
told the truth.

\*\*\*\*\*

When his brain got  
drunk by wine, he sang a  
song and slept.

When his brain got  
drunk by word, he blew  
himself up and died.

\*\*\*\*\*

The hard hearted man  
thinks that even at night  
he is revenging.

\*\*\*\*\*

They asked the shoe:  
Who is less important  
than you?  
He said: Who throws me  
at the other person?

\*\*\*\*\*

He used to hide the  
money he was stealing  
behind the picture of the

great leader hanging on  
the wall above his head.

\*\*\*\*\*

Students, I ask each of  
you write a topic about  
suicide.

They all painted a  
picture of a terrorist.

\*\*\*\*\*

The rich has many  
problems: millions of  
dollars, thousands of  
factories, houses,  
apartments, cars and ...

Four wives, fifteen  
children and....

The poor has a few  
problems: a piece of  
bread and a quilt.