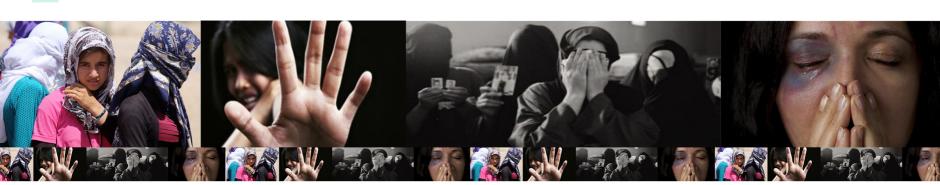
## Violence against Woman



# An example of violence against women in Iraq is embodied in the witness of a former Detained in Iraq's prisons; the journalist Zainab al-Kaabi

I was detained upon a plot carried out against me by «Dawa Party», led by the former Prime" Minister Nuri al-Maliki •

I was beaten by the party forces who arrested me, and by the interrogators who subjected me and kept beating me with electricity till fainting, they even threatened to kidnap my daughter to force me to sign false confessions of taking bribes.

Most of women prisoners detained on charges of Article 4, and are accused of terrorism or other crimes are subjected to systematic rape on a regular basis in government prisons Of the eighty detained who were with me at prison, fifty had been raped.

A considerable number of women charged with terrorism have been subjected to various types of torture, such as beatings with sticks and electric shocks, having their hair shaved, being burnt in different parts of the body and having their faces distorted by being burnt with fire.

#### Violence leads daily to 90 Iraqi widows

to 90 A UN report says, quoting Iraqi officials and civic organizations that between Iraqi women become widow every day as a result of the killings, sectarian vio- 100 lence, and organized crime in Iraq. The UN Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs in Geneva, adds that these figures may be lower than what they are in Indeed, if we take into account the hidden murders that are mostly neither recorded nor counted.

#### Yazidi women under the oppression of Daesh

a Yazidi organization provided Human Rights Watch ,2014 In September of the names and ages of Yazidi people abduct- 3133 with a database by ed or killed by Daesh, or they were missing since the attacks of Daesh in early August, according to the organization. The database was based on interviews with displaced Yazidi people in Iraqi Kurdistan. The women and girls who fled from the grip of Daesh reported to Human Rights Watch the repeated rape and sexual violence and other abuses they were subjected to while being detained at Daesh.

#### Women and their children in prisons

for women in Baghdad on 9 After its visit in Iraq to the prison of (Alsidfor Hammurabi Organization for Human Rights ,2012 of this year , 20 October 20 aged between ,414 said that the number of women prisoners reached years, some of whom are sentenced to death, and among them 65 and children with 21 there was an Ethiopian and three Syrian women, and their mothers, all of whom complain of big neglect and violence in various ways.

### Fifty women " compensation" to resolve a tribal conflict

Basra Governorate Council revealed that about 50 women, some minors, were given as" compensation "in villages north of Basra, after an armed dispute between two tribes resulted in deaths and injuries in both parties in the beginning of the year 2015.

