

Mourning the Tragic Loss of our Colleague Abubaker Abdalah

Läkarmissionen (LM International) with profound sorrow and a heavy heart share the tragic news of the untimely passing of our valued colleague, Abubaker Abdalah. Abubaker served as a watchman in Siriba locality, West Darfur, Sudan, and his life was tragically cut short on 27th July 2023, amidst the inter-communal clashes that swept through the region.

Abubaker's dedication, commitment, and kindness left an indelible mark on our organization. Beyond his role, he was a loving father to six children - three cherished girls and three cherished boys. His eldest son, a 19-year-old young man, now shoulders the responsibility of carrying on his father's legacy.

It is with deep regret that we acknowledge the delay in communication that prevented LM International from learning about Abubaker's passing until 12 days after the heart-wrenching event. This delay underscores the communication challenges faced in conflict-ridden areas, where vital information struggles to reach the humanitarian community in a timely manner.

We extend our most heartfelt condolences to Abubaker's grieving family, friends, and loved ones. Our thoughts and prayers are with them during this incredibly difficult time. We stand in solidarity with them and share in their profound grief.

This tragic loss serves as a reminder of the urgent need to end the cycle of conflict and violence. We strongly implore all parties involved to immediately halt the ongoing hostilities and refrain from targeting innocent civilians and humanitarian workers. Such acts of violence only perpetuate suffering and hinder our collective efforts to alleviate the plight of vulnerable communities.

LM International renews its unwavering commitment to serving those affected by crises, despite the heartrending losses we endure. Our determination to provide assistance, support, and hope remains steadfast.

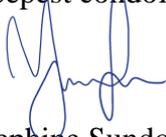
In the face of this heartbreaking loss, we also take this moment to urgently appeal to the international community. We implore global leaders and organizations to do everything in their power to end the ongoing conflict in Sudan. The situation has worsened the humanitarian crisis, leading to immeasurable suffering for innocent lives.

Additionally, we emphasize the critical need for urgent funds to support the millions of individuals and families affected by the war. The dire circumstances demand swift and substantial financial assistance to provide essential aid and support for those who are struggling to survive.

Let us unite in a powerful call for an end to the bloodshed and a restoration of peace in Sudan. We appeal to the humanity of all conflicting parties to lay down their arms, spare innocent lives, and work towards a future where peace prevails.

In memory of Abubaker Abdalah and all those who have tragically lost their lives, we dedicate ourselves to advocating for a world free from violence and to tirelessly pursuing a safer and more just future for all.

With deepest condolences,



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