MEET RANI

Today you'll step into Rani's shoes as he makes the difficult decision to leave his home.



Rani's 17 years old. He grew up in a large village near Idlib in northern Syria. He left school at 16 and has spend the past year working with his older Brother, Ali, helping him with his carpentry business.

He's bright and sensible (and a little on the cautious side). He has a strong sense of responsibility. People say he's wise beyond his years and that the war forced him to grow up too fast.

He had a happy childhood, with a nice home and lots of loved ones. He spent lots of time playing with his cousin, Abdul, but they were split up when violence intensified in Idlib. and Abdul's family fled to Europe.

Rani used to be really into technology and gadgets. Since the war started, he just wants a simple, safe life. Family, health, and freedom are what matters most to Rani.

He dreams of Syria returning to normal so he can study for a diploma, set up his own business, and start a family.



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Country Code: SYR

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Given name/Prenom: RANI

Given name/Nom: BEERI

Mother name/Nom du mère: ABOUD

Birth date/Date de naissance: 23/8/2001

Birth place/Lieu de naissance: IDLIB

Sex/Sexe:





Hey Rani!

Greetings from Germany! It's cold here but good so far.

I'm starting school soon and mum says I can get a phone.
I'll text you when I do!

Hope you're good. Abdul x

1	Kani	+	family

121 Street Road

Town



Ali (21) and your niece Lara (3) November 2015

Ali's your older brother and he never lets you forget it. He thinks he's the head of the family. He has a heart of gold, but he's also rash, impulsive, and proud. He's desperate to protect his daughter, Lara, from the horror that's happening in their country.

He works as a carpenter and he's a huge Manchester United fan. He talks about how he'd love to visit Old Trafford one day, but this is almost the first time he's left his home village.



Your cousin Mia (26) July 2018

Mia's pregnant. She's living in a refugee camp with her son, Rafiq. Her husband was kidnapped during the conflict - he hasn't been seen since.

Breing pregnant and alone so far from home has been traumatic for Mia. She's angry that this is her life now, but she's determined to stay positive and keep fighting to reunite her family.



Home











- Camp 4, Beqqa Valley, Lebanon
- From Syria
- Born: 16 July 1992
- Joined on April 2006





Mia shared a memory

6 July 2018

Happier times at home





Lina ► Mia 4 March 2018

Just heard your news. Congratulations!

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Homs, Syria

From Syria

Born: 19 April 1992

Joined on May 2004





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Ali shared MET News' post 12 March 2018

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