



i'm maui from the UK, and on the 21st of july, i'm setting out on the scottish west highland way, from glasgow to the top of ben nevis, to raise survival funds urgently needed by my friend Amin Naeem, in occupied palestine. i will be solo hiking 120 miles (almost 200km), climbing the UK's tallest mountain, and wild camping for about a week, and i'm asking you to donate what you can to help me gather a meaningful contribution to Amin's family's living & medical costs.

as a british citizen, i watch in deep shame and horror, as my government refuses to back down from its historic collaboration in the erasure, mass murder, & criminal occupation of the palestinian people and land. when our government refuses to respect our voices in protest, our democracy or international law, we must organise amongst ourselves within our communities, and stand together for the people whose annihilation is paid for by our taxes. please help me with this collective effort to send a flicker of hope and solidarity to our earthly neighbours, who are suffering under horrific oppression & brutalisation in gaza.

Amin is 24 and worked as a marketing representative before war turned his family's lives upside down. he has lost his home, job, university, and all stability and safety, while continuing to support a family of 7, including children and his mother. his sister is seriously injured after being shot near the heart by occupying forces, and the family need money for food and medical supplies urgently. Amin's instagram has been verified through the Butterfly Project mutual aid programme, which vets the legitimacy of accounts seeking donations in gaza, and i have spoken in depth and received many photos and updates from him.

please let's do what we can to give them a hand, donate via the links to his gofundme page and direct paypal, and share this linktree page with anyone you think might be able to contribute or raise awareness. if you want to show your support as part of a collective, include the message '#highlands2gaza' with your donation so Amin can feel our community presence.

i will be giving updates on my hiking expedition through the scottish wilderness, on my instagram story @eyeofmaui from monday july 21st. thank you so much everyone for your humanity and collaborative power.