

# SYNOPSIS



## Lebanon/Syria - A Lost Generation

### Libanon/Syrien - Die verlorene Generation

Most of the people who would be the greatest help in rebuilding Syria after the war are not able to read or write. A feudal system established by the chiefs of the unofficial refugee camps is forcing children as young as eight to work in order to pay off the debts of their families. Since the camp bosses bear the families' transport, food and accommodation costs, the families are compelled to provide cheap labour in return. The difficulty of breaking out of this dependency is illustrated by children who have to undertake heavy labour every day to ensure their families' survival.

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**Run-Time:** 1 x 30 min.

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**Languages:** German (ORIGINAL)

**Format:** 16:9

**HD**

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