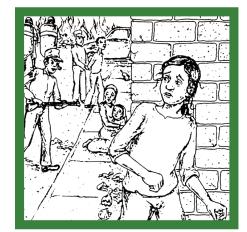
## **Refugees Picture Story**

Brainstorm words for each picture, then listen to the story and take dictation.



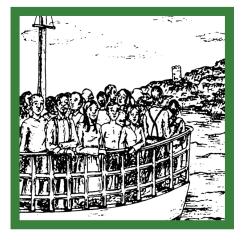
discrimination

overcrowded

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confusion

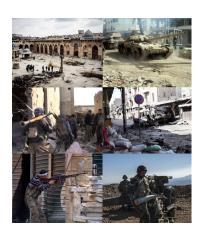
gratitude





Read about poverty then take dictation for two photos.

A **refugee** is someone who leaves home because of a dangerous situation. Refugees believe they will be harmed because of **race**, **religion**, or opinion. They are sometimes forced to leave their countries due to war and violence. In 2015, 19 million people became refugees, most escaping from Syria. About 20% of the Syrian population became refugees. After waiting a long time in crowded camps, most traveled to Europe to find a better life. While refugees leave their country, there is a second kind of refugee who leave their home but stay in their country. They are called IDPs—"**internally displaced** persons." There are about 22 million IDPs in the world.



<u>civil war</u>

<u>refugee camp</u>

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