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FEATURING THE MUSIC OF

DYLAN CONNOR



SATURDAY, MAY 23

8:00 PM (EST)

FOLLOWED BY A LIVE ZOOM HANGOUT @ 9:00 PM

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Dylan Connor has been composing and singing songs inspired by the Syrian crisis since 2011. He has performed at dozens of rallies and fundraisers for Syria including events in Washington DC, Los Angeles, Manhattan, Toronto, and Chicago. These events have helped raise well over \$1,000,000 for Syrian relief.

Connor released a charity CD in 2014 called Blood Like Fire (Songs for Syria), from which 100% of the proceeds go to educating displaced Syrian children via Karam Foundation's Zeitouna program. That same year he travelled to the Al Salam School in Reyhanli, Turkey to provide music classes to Syrian refugee children. As Chair of Mission for the Syrian American Council, he led a mission to Jordan in 2018 to provide aid to displaced Syrians on the border after major assault by Russian and Assad forces drove 300,000 people from their homes. He again traveled to Turkey in 2019 and 2020 to bring aid and solidarity to displaced Syrians along the border.

Dylan composed the song "Man of Peace" for the Oscar contending film "Little Gandhi" about Syrian peace activist Ghiyath Mattar. Finally, his newest song "If Only You'd Listen," written from the perspective of a child living with war, has over 3 million views.