

THE TURKISH STORY

POOR PEOPLE

2011. This date was more different than a date for 2 million people. This year wasn't an ordinary year they did their routines. This year, under the modern name, was the sad truth of the people who could do any hypocrisy.

This date was war for Syria. It was only one of the bloody bottles throughout the history. It could be a war of different politics but it wasn't the war of the girl who died while fleeing at 2 years old or the child killed by the hydrogen bomb at the age of 7 when he went to school. And while these events were happening we continued to call to human ourselves. There was a law on the agenda of the World. There was no justice.

Fortunately, they were people who escaped from this war and human traffickers. They were refugees.

Yasemin was only one of them. She arrived Turkey as a refugee. She was 20 and she was a doctor when she was in Syria. Her mother Meryem was the only one who stayed with her during the war. Her father and brother had already been victims of this bloody civilization. They were here for 2 months but there was no time for Yasemin. She was looking at her father's and brother's photo.

This tragic and important issue is reflected in the Turkish media. Journalist Anil was taking photos of the refugees for the newspaper.

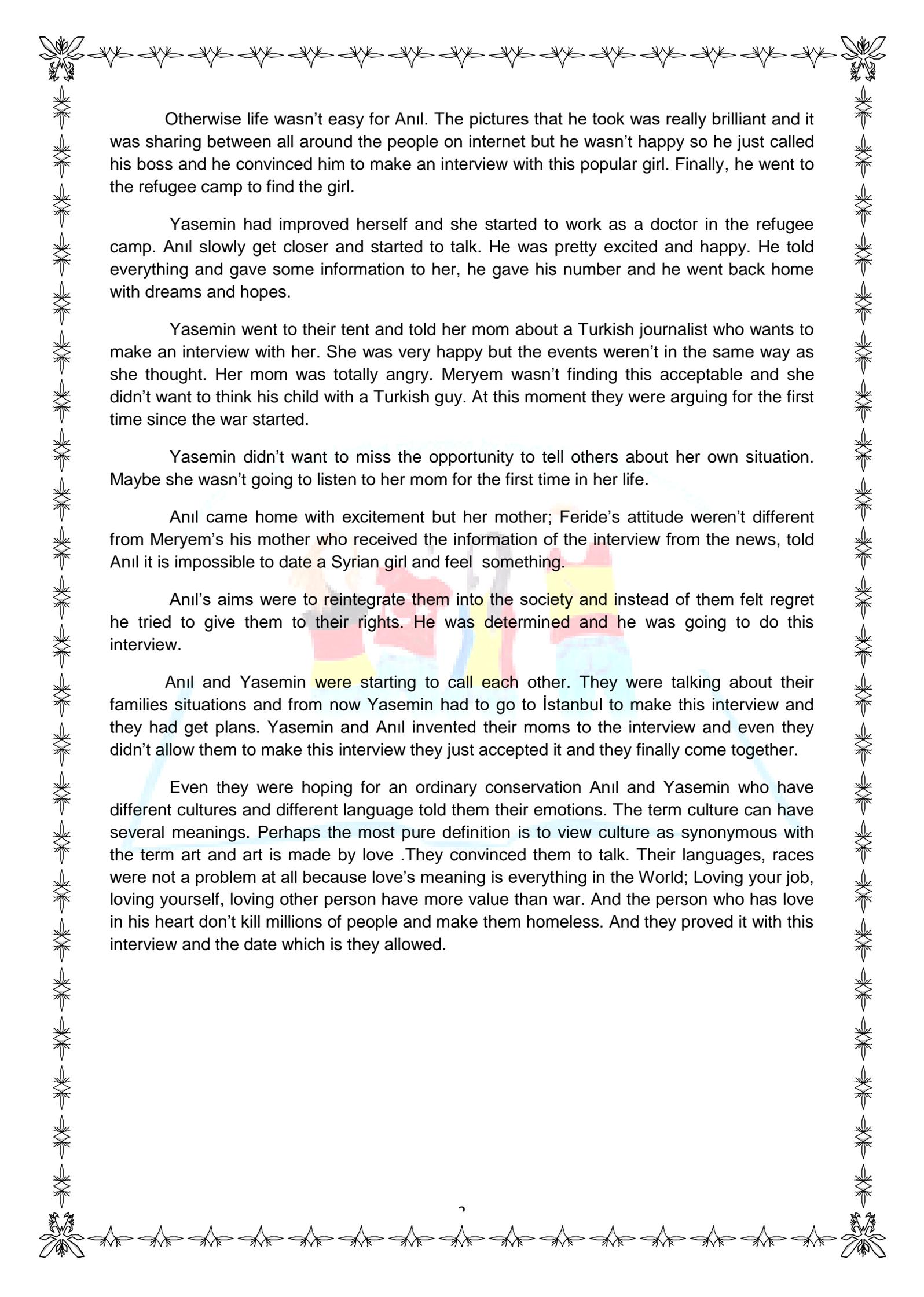
Anil was influenced by Meryem.

The story finally began

He took a few more photos and he took some notes for the news and he just left. Yasemin and her mother weren't aware of the things going on but Anil was looking at that photo since he went back home. He didn't move anywhere for hours. His mom Feride was wondering her son and finally she went in and she started to ask about what's going on. There was nothing important but Anil was speaking so much nervously. She didn't want to push him and she just left the room. A few hours later she saw her son while sleeping against the computer. When Anil woke up he got a phone call from his boss about the news. He tried to explain but he didn't deny his responsibilities. He finished the call and he went to the kitchen to take some coffee.

Yasemin was working with a huge passion. She was feeling responsible about the country which saved their lives but she had to learn Turkish before starting her job because in order to live together, people need to communicate and understand one another's culture and language so she joined a course to learn it and started to work hard.

Her mom Meryem was a hardworking person too so she started to do sewing and selling the products for help her girl about the money stuff. The things they lived was hard but they had to confuse their life.



Otherwise life wasn't easy for Anil. The pictures that he took was really brilliant and it was sharing between all around the people on internet but he wasn't happy so he just called his boss and he convinced him to make an interview with this popular girl. Finally, he went to the refugee camp to find the girl.

Yasemin had improved herself and she started to work as a doctor in the refugee camp. Anil slowly get closer and started to talk. He was pretty excited and happy. He told everything and gave some information to her, he gave his number and he went back home with dreams and hopes.

Yasemin went to their tent and told her mom about a Turkish journalist who wants to make an interview with her. She was very happy but the events weren't in the same way as she thought. Her mom was totally angry. Meryem wasn't finding this acceptable and she didn't want to think his child with a Turkish guy. At this moment they were arguing for the first time since the war started.

Yasemin didn't want to miss the opportunity to tell others about her own situation. Maybe she wasn't going to listen to her mom for the first time in her life.

Anil came home with excitement but her mother; Feride's attitude weren't different from Meryem's his mother who received the information of the interview from the news, told Anil it is impossible to date a Syrian girl and feel something.

Anil's aims were to reintegrate them into the society and instead of them felt regret he tried to give them to their rights. He was determined and he was going to do this interview.

Anil and Yasemin were starting to call each other. They were talking about their families situations and from now Yasemin had to go to İstanbul to make this interview and they had get plans. Yasemin and Anil invented their moms to the interview and even they didn't allow them to make this interview they just accepted it and they finally come together.

Even they were hoping for an ordinary conversation Anil and Yasemin who have different cultures and different language told them their emotions. The term culture can have several meanings. Perhaps the most pure definition is to view culture as synonymous with the term art and art is made by love .They convinced them to talk. Their languages, races were not a problem at all because love's meaning is everything in the World; Loving your job, loving yourself, loving other person have more value than war. And the person who has love in his heart don't kill millions of people and make them homeless. And they proved it with this interview and the date which is they allowed.