

A woman wearing a patterned headscarf and a light-colored shawl sits on a patterned sofa in a room that has been severely damaged. She is holding a young child who has a pacifier in their mouth. The room is filled with debris, including broken furniture and scattered items on the floor. A doorway in the background shows a glimpse of another room, also in a state of disrepair. The overall atmosphere is one of hardship and displacement.

# it's great to be a refugee

They have no idea how much work it takes to keep a house clean. Scrubbing floors. Washing windows. Endless loads of laundry. But a refugee wouldn't know. Their homes have been ransacked, doused in gasoline and torched to the ground. They've now got other things on their mind. None of which involve cleaning a lint tray.



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