

Al-Aqaba Pledgers: Full Analytical Report (75 Participants)

This consolidated table provides a comprehensive view of all 75 participants in the Pledges of Al-Aqaba, detailing their tribal affiliation, leadership role, and confirmed military status.

No.	Name	Tribe	Naqib? (Clan Leader)	Ghazi? (Veteran of Major Battle)	Shaheed? (Martyr)	Key Service / Notable Detail
1	Abu al-Haytham b. al-Tayyihan	Aws	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Original 12 Pledger.
2	'Uwaym b. Sa'ida	Aws	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Original 12 Pledger.
3	Mu'adh b. al-Harith	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Original 12 Pledger.
4	'Awf b. al-Harith	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Original 12 Pledger. One of the original six who became Muslim.
5	Abu Umama As'ad b. Zurara	Khazraj	Yes	No Info	No	Naqib. Died before Badr. Original 12 Pledger.
6	Rafi' b. Malik	Khazraj	Yes	No Info	No	Naqib. One of the original six. Original 12 Pledger.
7	Dhakwan b. 'Abd Qays	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	Yes (Uhud)	Original 12 Pledger. Called both <i>muhajiri</i> and <i>ansari</i> .
8	Qutba b. 'Amir b. Hadida	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Original 12 Pledger. One of the original six.
9	Ubada b. al-Samit	Khazraj	Yes	Yes (Badr)	No	Naqib. Served as a Teacher and Judge in Ash-Sham.
10	al-'Abbas b. Ubada b. Nadla	Khazraj	No	No Info	Yes (Uhud)	Original 12 Pledger. Called both <i>muhajiri</i> and <i>ansari</i> .
11	Abu 'Abd al-Rahman Yazid	Khazraj	No	No Info	No	Original 12 Pledger.
12	Uqbah ibn Aamir	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Original 12 Pledger. One of the original six.

13	Umm Umara Nasiba	Khazraj	No	Yes (Yamama)	No	One of the two women. Wounded at the battle of al-Yamama.
14	Umm Mani, Asma	Khazraj	No	No Info	No	One of the two women.
15	Usayd b. Hudayr	Aws	Yes	Yes (Uhud, Tabuk)	No	Naqib. Commander of the Aws tribe at Uhud, Hunayn, and Tabuk.
16	Sa'd b. Khaythama	Khazraj	Yes	No Info	Yes (Badr)	Naqib. Martyred at Badr.
17	Rifa'a b. 'Abd al-Mundhir b. Zunayr	Khazraj	Yes	Yes (Badr)	No	Naqib.
18	Sa'd b. al-Rabi'	Khazraj	Yes	Yes (Badr)	Yes (Uhud)	Naqib.
19	Abd Allah b. Rawaha	Khazraj	Yes	Yes (Badr, Uhud, Khandaq)	Yes (Mu'tah)	Naqib. Commander at the Battle of Mu'tah where he was martyred.
20	al-Bara' b. Ma'rur	Khazraj	Yes	No	No	Naqib. First to give bay'a in the Second Pledge. Died before the Hijra.
21	Abd Allah b. 'Amr b. Haram	Khazraj	Yes	Yes (Badr)	Yes (Uhud)	Naqib.
22	Sa'd b. Ubada b. Dulaym	Khazraj	Yes	No Info	No	Naqib. Candidate for Khaleefah at Saqifah.
23	al-Mundhir b. 'Amr	Khazraj	Yes	Yes (Badr, Uhud)	Yes (Bi'r Ma'una)	Naqib. Commander at Bi'r Ma'una, where he was martyred.
24	Salama b. Salama b. Waqash	Aws	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Remaining Aws group.
25	Zuhayr b. Rafi'	Aws	No	No Info	No	Remaining Aws group.
26	Abn Burda b. Niyar	Aws	No	No Info	No	Remaining Aws group.
27	Nuhayr b. al-Haytham	Aws	No	No Info	No	Remaining Aws group.
28	'Abd Allah b. Jubayr	Aws	No	Yes (Badr)	Yes (Uhud)	Commander of the bowmen at Uhud, martyred there.

29	Ma'an b. 'Adi b. al-Jadd	Aws	No	Yes (Badr)	Yes (Yamama)	Martyred at Yamama.
30	'Taymullah b. Tha'laba	Khazraj	No	No Info	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
31	Abu Ayyub Khalid b. Zayd	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	Yes (Byzantine)	Martyred in Byzantine territory during the reign of Muawiya.
32	Mu'awwidh b. al-Harith	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
33	Umara b. Hazm	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	Yes (Yamama)	Martyred at Yamama.
34	Sahl b. 'Atik	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
35	Aws b. Thabit b. al-Mundhir	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
36	Abu Talha Zayd b. Sahl	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
37	Qays b. Abu Sa'sa'a	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Commander of the rear-guard at Badr.
38	'Amr b. Ghaziyya	Khazraj	No	No Info	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
39	Bashir b. Sa'd	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
40	Abd Allah b. Zayd b. Tha'laba	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Had the dream of <i>azaan</i> (call to prayer).
41	Khallad b. Suwayd	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr, Uhud, Khandaq)	Yes (Banu Qurayza)	Martyred at Banu Qurayza.
42	Abu Mas'ud Uqba b. 'Amr	Khazraj	No	No Info	No	Youngest of those present at Al-Aqaba.
43	Ziyad b. Labid	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
44	Farwa b. 'Amr b. Wadhafa	Khazraj	No	No Info	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
45	Khalid b. Qays b. Malik	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Remaining Khazraj group.

46	'Abbad b. Qays b. 'Amir	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
47	al-Harith b. Qays b. 'Amir	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
48	Bishr b. al-Bara'	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr, Uhud, Khandaq)	Yes (Khaybar)	Martyred at Khaybar.
49	Sinan b. Sayfi b. Sakhr	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
50	al-Tufayl b. al- Nu'man	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	Yes (Al- Khandaq)	Martyred at Al-Khandaq (The Trench).
51	Ma'qil b. al- Mundhir	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
52	Yazid b. Sinan al-Mundhir	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
53	Mas'ud b. Zayd	Khazraj	No	No Info	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
54	al-Dahhak b. Haritha	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
55	Yazid b. Khadham	Khazraj	No	No Info	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
56	Jabbar b. Sakhr	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
57	al-Tufayl b. Malik	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
58	Ka'b b. Malik	Khazraj	No	No Info	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
59	Sulaym b. 'Amir b. Hadida	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
60	Abu al-Mundhir Yazid	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
61	Abu al-Yusr Ka'b b. 'Amr	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
62	Sayfi b. Sawwad b. 'Abbad	Khazraj	No	No Info	No	Remaining Khazraj group.

63	Tha'laba b. Ghanama	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	Yes (Al-Khandaq)	Martyred at Al-Khandaq (The Trench).
64	'Amr b. Ghanama	Khazraj	No	No Info	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
65	'Abs b. 'Amir b. 'Adi	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
66	Khalid b. 'Amr b. 'Adi	Khazraj	No	No Info	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
67	'Abd Allah b. Unays	Khazraj	No	No Info	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
68	Jabir b. 'Abd Allah	Khazraj	No	No Info	No	One of the original six who became Muslim the year before.
69	Mu'adh b. 'Amr b. al-Jamuh	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
70	Thabit b. al-Jadh'	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	Yes (Ta'if)	Martyred at Ta'if.
71	Umayr b. al-Harith b. Tha'laba	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
72	Khadij b. Salama	Khazraj	No	No Info	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
73	Mu'adh b. Jabal	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Judge and Teacher in Ash-Sham/Yemen. Died later during a plague.
74	'Amr b. al-Harith	Khazraj	No	No Info	No	Remaining Khazraj group.
75	Rifa'a b. 'Amr b. Zayd	Khazraj	No	Yes (Badr)	No	Remaining Khazraj group.

Detailed Statistical and Mathematical Analysis

The Pledges of Al-Aqaba established the core leadership of the Ansār (Helpers) in Medina. The initial 75 members demonstrate key demographic and military characteristics crucial to the early Islamic state.

I. Leadership and Tribal Ratios

The 12 Clan Leaders (*Nuqaba'a*) were strategically chosen to represent the tribes and clans of Medina, yet the composition remains highly imbalanced.

A. Tribal Dominance

- **Total Participants:** 75
- **Khazraj:** 66 (88.0%)
- **Aws:** 9 (12.0%)

$$\text{Khazraj to Aws Ratio} = \frac{66}{9} \approx 7.33 : 1$$

B. Leadership (Nuqaba'a) Breakdown

Out of the 12 appointed leaders:

- **Khazraj Leaders:** 9 (13.6% of the Khazraj who pledged)
- **Aws Leaders:** 3 (33.3% of the Aws who pledged)

Leadership Representation (Aws vs Khazraj): $\frac{\text{Aws Leaders}}{\text{Total Aws}} = 33.3\%$ vs $\frac{\text{Khazraj Lea}}{\text{Total Khaz}}$

The Aws tribe, despite its smaller representation, had a *disproportionately higher* number of its members appointed to leadership roles compared to the overall Khazraj contingent.

II. Military and Martyrdom Status Analysis

The data reveals a strong martial commitment among the original group.

Status Category	Count	Percentage of Pledgers (75)
Known Ghazi (Veterans)	52	69.3%
Known Shaheed (Martyrs)	16	21.3%
No Info on Military Status	23	30.7%

A. Martyrdom Rate

- The overall chance of a participant achieving martyrdom was 1 in 4.7.

$$\text{Probability of Martyrdom} = \frac{\text{Known Shaheed}}{\text{Total Pledgers}} = \frac{16}{75} \approx 0.213 \text{ or } 21.3\%$$

- When calculating the rate based only on those with *known* military experience (Ghazi + Shaheed), the commitment to fighting becomes even clearer:

$$\text{Martyrdom Rate of Known Combatants} = \frac{16}{52 + 16} = \frac{16}{68} \approx 0.235 \text{ or } 23.5\%$$

B. Breakdown of Martyrdom by Key Battle

The 16 martyrs were lost across various major engagements, demonstrating long-term dedication beyond the initial excitement of the Hijra.

Battle / Event	Shaheed Count	Percentage of Total Martyrs (16)
Uhud	5	31.3%
Al-Khandaq (The Trench)	2	12.5%
Yamama (Against Musaylimah)	2	12.5%
Bi'r Ma'una / Banu Qurayza / Khaybar / Mu'tah / Ta'if / Later Wars	6	37.5%
Badr (During the battle)	1	6.2%

The largest single loss of life among the Pledgers occurred at the **Battle of Uhud**, accounting for nearly a third (31.3%) of the total martyrs from this group.

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