# C U R I O S I T I E S

### **Famous Singers**

Music in Jordan is diverse and rich, reflecting the blend of cultures and traditions in the country. There is a strong influence of traditional Arabic music, which includes genres like Dabke, a folk dance often accompanied by live music.

In recent years, the pop music scene has grown significantly, with artists like Adham Nabulsi, Siilawy, Zeyne, and Nedaa Shraara gaining popularity both in Jordan and other Arab countries. These artists often combine modern rhythms with lyrics that address contemporary themes, allowing them to connect with a younger audience

#### **Famous Sports Men**



Jordan stands out in football, with clubs such as Al-Faisaly and Al-Wehdat, and the national team has competed in several Asian Cups. In basketball, his team has participated in international tournaments. In taekwondo, he has achieved Olympic medals, consolidating himself as a strong sport in the country.

Sports in Jordan play an important role in the country's cultural and social life. Football is the most popular sport, with an active national league and a national team that has shown improvement in international competitions. Basketball, athletics, and taekwondo are also widely practiced, with Jordan earning Olympic medals in taekwondo. The government and the royal family, especially Prince Ali bin Al Hussein, have promoted sports development by supporting young athletes and building modern facilities.

For tourists, sports offer a unique way to experience Jordanian culture. Football matches provide lively local experiences, and the country is perfect for outdoor sports like hiking, rock climbing, and cycling in iconic places such as Petra, Wadi Rum, and the Dead Sea. Jordan also hosts international events like the Dead Sea Marathon. For adventure lovers, Jordan is a great destination with exciting opportunities and breathtaking landscapes.

# **JORDAN'S FAMOUS SINGERS**



nedaa sharara



adam nabolsi





Lobo Ismail

zeyne

# JORDAN'S FAMOUS SPORTS MEN



## NOOR AL-RAWABDEH



AL AWADI



AHMAD ABUGHASH



**IBRAHIM SAADEH** 

# ALL ABOUT JORDAN

### **Famous Actors**

#### <u>Ribal Haj</u>

Ribal Al Haj is a Jordanian actor known for his roles in films and TV shows, including Star Wars: Episode IX - The Rise of Skywalker.

#### Nadim Sawalha

Nadim Sawalha is an actor who has been in many movies and TV shows, including "The Living Daylights" and "The English Patient".

#### <u>Yasser Al-Masri</u>

Yasser Al-Masri was a Jordian actor who was famous for his roles in "The Covenant" and "Underground".

#### <u>Saba Mubarak</u>

Saba Mubarak has starred many films and series like "The Stranger" "Hidden Worlds".

## **Royalties**

**Abdullah II:** ascended to the throne on February 7, 1999, following the death of his father. Born in 1962, he has a second wife, Princess Muna, of English origin. The King is married to Queen Rania and has four children: Princes Hussein, Iman, Salma, and Hashem.

**Queen Rania** is the queen consort of Jordan. Rania is the patron of numerous organizations working for children's rights, healthcare, women's rights, and education.

**Prince Hussein** Prince Hussein was born in 1994. The prince studied history at Georgetown, is a captain in the Jordanian army, and chairs a foundation supporting Jordanian youth. In the summer of 2023, Prince Hussein married Princess Rajwa.

**Princess Iman** studied at the Amman International Academy (AIA). On June 4, 2014, she graduated from the AIA and received first prize in women's athletics in her category. She is currently an assistant professor at Georgetown University in Washington, DC, the same university where her brother, Crown Prince Hussein, studied.

# **JORDAN'S FAMOUS ACTORS**



**Ribal Haj** 



Nadim Sawalha



Yasser Al-Masri



Saba Mubarak

# **JORDAN'S ROYALTIES**



Abdalá II



Rania



Hussein



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# ALL ABOUT JORDAN

## Technology

Jordan is a country that is beginning to digitalize in many ways and, in fact, is one of the leaders in nanotechnology advances. Technology and science have been gaining increasing importance, with startups emerging and universities investing heavily in innovation. Companies like Maktoob and ArabiaWeather have demonstrated that Jordan has the potential to compete in the global technological arena. Furthermore, scientists like Omar Yaghi have established the country's reputation with research that is revolutionizing nanotechnology. It's not just a country with a rich history.

### Science

Jordan is a country that is advancing in various scientific fields and, in fact, is making significant progress in nanotechnology and renewable energy. Science has been gaining increasing importance, with research institutions expanding and universities focusing on innovation. Projects like SESAME and initiatives in water desalination have shown that Jordan has the potential to contribute to global scientific advancements. Furthermore, scientists like Omar Yaghi have strengthened the country's reputation with discoveries that are reshaping materials science.







## TECHNOLOGY AND SCIENCE OF JORDAN



Omar.

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Iman

# Hussein

#### curiosities of Jordan

1 The ancient city of Petra: Petra, one of the New Seven Wonders of the World, was the capital of the Nabataean Kingdom. It is famous for its impressive facades carved into the pink rock. Petra was rediscovered by Swiss explorer Johann Ludwig Burckhardt in 1812 and is one of Jordan's most important tourist destinations.



2 The Dead Sea: Jordan is one of the countries that shares the shores of the Dead Sea, known for its high salinity that allows people to float effortlessly. Additionally, the Dead Sea is the lowest point on Earth, about 430 meters below sea level.



#### **Trave to Paradise**



- 1.80% of the city is still buried
- 2. It was inhabited for 1400 years and later forgotten
- 3. Petra was built based on the sky
- 4. The theater of Petra, devastated by an earthquake
- 5. It was baptized as "the city for tomorrow"
- 6. It is an oasis in the desert
- 7. At the top of the city there is an altar for sacrifices
- 8. Little Petra. Also called Siq al-Barid, the cold canyon



Mansaf ( en árabe منسف) es un plato tradicional de la <u>cocina</u> <u>jordana, Gastronomía de Siria</u> y <u>cocina turca</u>, tan popular que se puede decir que es el <u>plato</u> <u>nacional</u> de <u>Jordania</u>.



In Jordan you can find many street food stalls



Travel to Paradise