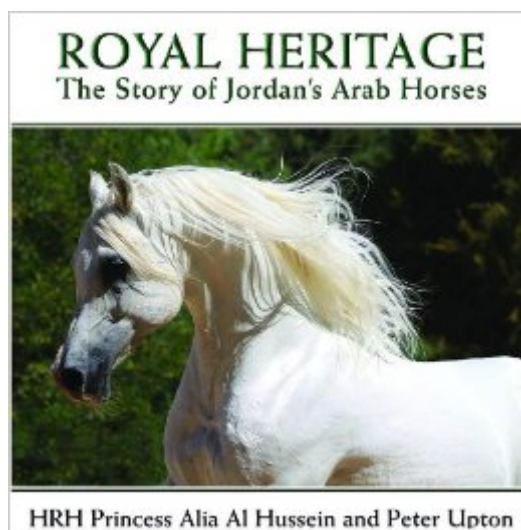


The book was found

# Royal Heritage: The Story Of Jordan's Arab Horses



## Synopsis

Co-authored by HRH Princess Alia, the eldest daughter of the late King Hussein of Jordan, and the artist and author Peter Upton, Royal Heritage tells the story of the Arab horse in Jordan, from the early days of the Bedouin tribes to the 21st century, a story closely associated with the Hashemite family of Jordan, direct descendants of the Prophet. The account also tells of the Arab Revolt of 1916, in which the Emirs Ali, Abdullah, Feisal and Zeid, with T E Lawrence, drove the Ottomans out of the region, and how some of the Hashemite mares became the foundation stock of the Royal Stud in Jordan. Royal Heritage covers many other adventures including the traumatic events which nearly led to the loss of the Stud's precious mares and describes how, despite these setbacks, the Royal Stud has flourished. In 1987 Princess Alia, Director of the Royal Stud, organised the first Arab horse show to be held in Arabia entitled 'The Arab Horse at Home'. It was an event which inspired other Arab countries to organise horse shows of their own. Princess Alia includes many fascinating personal reminiscences: about the horses she holds so dear, the people involved in the Stud through the years, the famous and infamous, family and friends, heads of state and handlers. The work is richly illustrated with paintings, drawings and rare photographs from old archives and private collections, as well as up-to-date portraits of the Stud and its horses. Peter Upton gives an in-depth account of the horses themselves; the breeding, lineage and preservation of the hugely important Jordanian bloodlines. A story of legend, romance and war, Royal Heritage tells with passion for the first time the remarkable saga of the Arab horse in Jordan.

## Book Information

Hardcover: 312 pages

Publisher: Medina Publishers (March 30, 2011)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 0956417043

ISBN-13: 978-0956417046

Product Dimensions: 8.5 x 1.2 x 8.6 inches

Shipping Weight: 2.7 pounds

Average Customer Review: 5.0 out of 5 stars [See all reviews](#) (1 customer review)

Best Sellers Rank: #2,648,062 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #121 in [Books > History >](#)

[Middle East > Jordan](#) #980 in [Books > Science & Math > Biological Sciences > Zoology >](#)

[Mammals](#) #1974 in [Books > Crafts, Hobbies & Home > Pets & Animal Care > Horses > Riding](#)

## Customer Reviews

A wonderful book about the Arabian horses of the Hashemite royal family of Jordan! Very nicely bound. Great pictures! A well told story of the Hashemite family and their history and association with the Arabian horse. Lightly touches on the family association with "Lawrence of Arabia." This book belongs in the library of every serious Arabian horse enthusiast. Lots of info. that is usually very hard to find.

[Download to continue reading...](#)

Royal Heritage: The Story of Jordan's Arab Horses  
Rocking Horses: The Collector's Guide to Selecting, Restoring, and Enjoying New and Vintage Rocking Horses  
Horses Don't Lie: What Horses Teach Us About Our Natural Capacity for Awareness, Confidence, Courage, and Trust  
La conexión espiritual con los caballos / Connecting with Horses: Lecciones de la vida que podemos aprender de los caballos / The Life Lessons We Can Learn from Horses (Spanish Edition)  
The Jordan Memorial: Family Records Of The Rev. Robert Jordan And His Descendants In America  
JORDAN Country Studies: A brief, comprehensive study of Jordan  
Flesh and Blood: a John Jordan Mystery Book 3 (John Jordan Mysteries)  
Blood of the Lamb: a John Jordan Mystery Book 2 (John Jordan Mysteries)  
Blood Oath: a John Jordan Mystery Book 11 (John Jordan Mysteries)  
The Fires of Spring: A Post-Arab Spring Journey Through the Turbulent New Middle East - Turkey, Iraq, Qatar, Jordan, Egypt, and Tunisia  
King Hussein and the Challenge of Arab Radicalism: Jordan, 1955-1967 (Studies in Middle Eastern History)  
Collector's Guide to Royal Copley Book II: Plus Royal Windsor & Spaulding, Identification and Values  
Collecting Royal Copley plus Royal Windsor & Spaulding. Identification and Value Guide  
The Royal Touch: Simply Stunning Home Cooking from a Royal Chef  
Annals of the Royal Vancouver Yacht Club 1903-1965: History of the Club's founding; granting of the Royal Charter; prominent early yachtsmen; racing ... and Gulf of Georgia, British Columbia, Canada  
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES Country Studies: A brief, comprehensive study of United Arab Emirates  
A Royal Christmas Wedding (Royal Wedding Series)  
Planning the Past: Heritage Tourism and Post-Colonial Politics at Port Royal  
The Russian Heritage Cookbook: A Culinary Heritage Preserved in 360 Authentic Recipes  
The Hidden Galleon: The true story of a lost Spanish ship and the legendary wild horses of Assateague Island

[Dmca](#)