



# AL JASSIMYA FARM

## A GLOBAL LEADER IN ARABIAN HORSE BREEDING AND SHOWING

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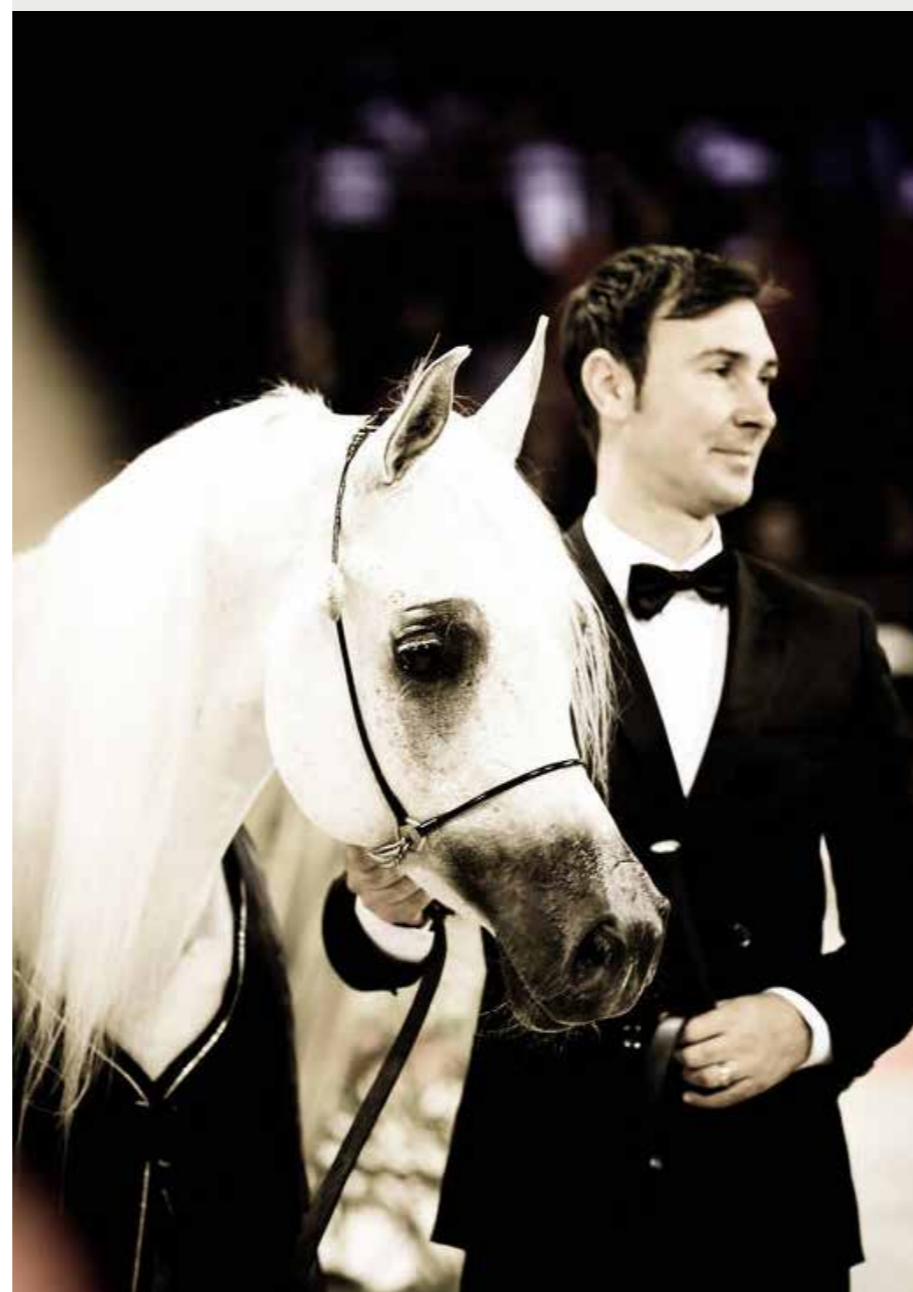


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Aljassimya Farm, established by Sheikh Jassim Bin Khalifa Al Thani, has gained international recognition for its exceptional contributions to Arabian horse breeding, merging tradition with innovation to uphold the breed's heritage. Based in Qatar, with operations also in California, the farm has become a leader in the Arabian horse world, excelling in global competitions and initiatives.

Sheikh Jassim's passion for Arabian horses began more than a decade ago, but it was the 2011 World Champion Mare title of CR Jasmeenah **(WH Justice x Forget Me Not)** that marked his rise on the international scene. Since then, Aljassimya Farm has consistently reached new heights, producing a series of World Champion horses. Notable champions include Minwah, the 2013 World Champion Yearling Filly **(by Kahil Al Shaqab)**, Mona Lisa Aljassimya, the 2019 World Silver Champion **(by Equator)**, and Perfecta Aljassimya, the 2021 Reserve World Champion Yearling Filly



**(by Picasso di Mar)**, all of which highlight the consistent quality of the farm's breeding program.

Beyond these famous names, Aljassimya Farm is dedicated to developing a distinctive lineage.

Early successes came with homebred champions such as Ghazwan Aljassimya **(by Marwan al Shaqab)** and Mai Aljassimya **(by FA El Rasheem)**.

In 2018, Om El Aisha Aljassimya **(by WH Justice)** continued the legacy, winning the World Silver Champion Mare title, while her yearling son, Arraab Aljassimya **(by Al Ayal AA)**, also claimed a Silver title.

In 2022, two homebreds born the previous year brought further success: Bandar Aljassimya **(by Picasso di Mar)** earned the World Bronze Champion Yearling Colt title, and Baz Aljassimya **(by Exxalt)**, owned by Akmal Stud, became World Champion Yearling Colt. In the following year, Baz's maternal brother, Maayer Aljassimya, was crowned US National Champion.

The breeding success at Aljassimya is strongly influenced by the legendary stallion WH Justice, a



key figure in the program, alongside foundational mares such as Om El Aisha Aljassimya, Saskia RJ, and Toscana PGA. Through careful selection of elite bloodlines, Aljassimya Farm has established a distinctive look and type that stands out in the Arabian horse community.

A unique feature of Aljassimya Farm is its dual-location operation. The breeding program originally began at 100 Oaks Ranch LLC in the scenic Santa Ynez Valley, California, while the primary facility is now in Qatar. This allows Sheikh Jassim to stay personally connected to his horses, overseeing their training for international competitions and ensuring an ideal environment for breeding and raising the next generation of champions. Aljassimya's homebred horses have excelled in a variety of disciplines, with champions in Halter, Western, and Hunter Pleasure classes. Under the guidance of Sheikh Jassim's eldest son, Sheikh Khalifa, the farm has expanded into the world of show jumping. Sheikh Khalifa's dedication has

already resulted in impressive achievements, with wins in both Qatar and Italy.

Sheikh Jassim's dedication to the Arabian horse extends beyond breeding. He is committed to promoting the breed and attracting new audiences through initiatives such as the farm's annual Open House events. Held at Aljassimya's equestrian facilities, these gatherings bring together breeders, families, and honored guests to showcase the latest foal crop and highlight the farm's

cornerstone breeding horses. The events further solidify Aljassimya's reputation as a leader in the Arabian horse world.

In 2015, Aljassimya Farm launched the "Aljassimya Amateur Challenge," a signature initiative aimed at engaging new participants in the Arabian horse community. Starting with just three events, the challenge expanded to include ten countries, offering both halter and performance classes that have attracted hundreds of new handlers

and enthusiasts.

Even during the disruptions caused by the 2020 global pandemic, Aljassimya Farm adapted by organizing a series of online competitions. These virtual events allowed horses from around the world to compete via video submissions, with judging conducted through a custom app. This innovative approach not only entertained a global audience but also reinforced Aljassimya's role as a leader in utilizing technology to connect the global Arabian horse community.

Aljassimya Farm stands as a global leader in the Arabian horse world, excelling in both breeding and promoting the breed. Through its top-tier breeding program and pioneering initiatives, the farm continues to champion the Arabian horse and inspire new generations of enthusiasts, leaving an enduring legacy on the international stage. 