

**I don't imitate Fares KARAM ...**

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**Hadi NJEIM :**

**I don't want to enter to a Company of Prestige, and be neglected "**

Young artist with a great ambition to penetrate in the art stage with his voice, his presence , style with different looks, .... He stopped his university studies because he considers that "Art " is sacred..... He has a strong voice, with a breath of folk, and mountain style... . He presented the song: " Law halafo Neswan" and " Nezlet Tetsabah Al Bahr" and other....

Hadi Njeim, the young man who made his first steps in the singing field ... He is twenty years old and he has the look, the voice and the charisma..... what does he say about his new work?..... what does he regret ? Is it right that he imitates the singer Fares Karam?

Walid

-How do you introduce yourself to people?

-I am Hadi NJEIM, I decided to enter the art stage,I am twenty years old,... I issued three songs: : " Ma elhom aman" , " Nezlet Tetsabah Al Bahr" and " Baadek Lahalla Nayme" . and I am promising the audience to present new songs . I studied business for one year and a half and then stopped because of singing, and actually I am studying music with professor Richard NAJEM.

-Are you aware that you are sacrificing your job for the benefit of art that may betray you ?

- I didn't sacrifice my job, but actually I am giving my time to the art, and I will follow my studies to get my degree. ...

- Do you know the concessions you will be forced to make and how much money you need to produce the song on your own account?

- Every field requires sacrifices and risks to present business.

-To what extent are you ready to present material concessions to reach your goals.

- " Everything " Except my dignity .... I may do material sacrifices like selling anything to have the money to produce songs.

-If an important person, like a princess for example offers to produce a song for you against special things you present to her... Do you accept?

- Of course no, .... It is very easy to get the short ways in work, but it is difficult to go on your own in a straight way especially in the world of Art.

I will take the straight good way. Actually I am looking for a production company.

- Is your financial situation good?

- Thanks God... I have produced a complete album on my own charge .

- What did encourage your family to provide you big amounts of money to execute and produce your album?

- Of course, their faith in my talent .... My family stays with me and is supporting me.

-How much did it cost you to produce the album?

- About 150.000 \$

- Didn't you think about participating in an amateur program, so you shorten your way, to reach the fame?

- Most of the talented persons who participated in amateurs programs are staying home ,confronting problems in finding convenient production companies, I've shorten the way by producing my own album on my own charge.

- On which company door did you knock?

- I did not knock any door .... But I received several offers that I am studying.

- Which company are you seeking for?

- I am seeking for the audience heart... I don't want to deal with a company of Prestige that will neglect me later.

- Between us, don't you dream to be in Rotana?

- Each artist dreams to get into Rotana .... But the offers should be carefully studied.

- What If you receive similar offers from different production companies as " Rotana" , Melody, of Alam el Fan?

- "Pass" ... I will choose the three of them. It is impossible because they cannot give the same offers. Each company has its weak and strong points.

- When someone hears the song " Law Halafo El Neswan", it is obvious that you are imitating the "Singer Fares Karam" ?

- What do you think, am I imitating " Fares KARAM", this kind of mountain songs is perfectly good for my voice, but my album in addition to

Gulf songs, Egyptian songs and popular songs, I am not imitating Fares KARAM .... Anyone who follows the others steps will definitely fail.

- Is it a shame to tell you that you're imitating " Fares KARAM" ?

- "Is it a shame? .... Imitating is a difficult and awful word ... I can perform any kind of songs and any dialect.

- Do you like Fares Karam and his songs?

- I like him and I perform this songs during parties, in addition to the songs of the famous musician " Melhem BARAKAT" and the famous singer Wadiah EL SAFI".

- Why "Dimitri" your business manager didn't arrange you a meeting with the musician " Melhem BARAKAT" due to their friendship.

- He already arranged a meeting with his Business manager ..... and would like to meet him to know where are my weak points to work on them and improve.

- Do you have space on the Art stage?

- I don't need a space among the artists, I just need space in the audience heart.

- Do you think that you can realize the stardom and get the audience admiration?

- My first song " Ma elhon Aman" was acceptable and the second song merged into the audience heart , although it was supported only by one radio station... while the third was acceptable.

