

# Al-Waleed bin Talal Quotes

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I'm telling you, you can't compare Saudi Arabia to other countries.

~Al-Waleed bin Talal

I'm not panicking, and I'm not scared, I've been through the Gulf War, the Asia crisis, and the Russian crisis.

~Al-Waleed bin Talal

You cannot play with fire.

~Al-Waleed bin Talal

Nowadays, anyone who cannot speak English and is incapable of using the Internet is regarded as backward.

~Al-Waleed bin Talal

You know, Saudi Arabia has a lot of poverty also. Regardless about what you hear about the viceroy and people being rich, et cetera.

~Al-Waleed bin Talal

If I'm going to do something, I do it spectacularly or I don't do it at all.

~Al-Waleed bin Talal

It is my responsibility to take advantage of my position to make the world a better place

~Al-Waleed bin Talal

My own center, my Kingdom Center, which is the highest priced tower in Saudi Arabia, was vacated twice because of terrorist attacks, terrorist threats.

~Al-Waleed bin Talal

I own almost 100 hotels in North America. Some of them are only in management, but some of them we have some small stakes in them.

~Al-Waleed bin Talal

No company should depend on one person no matter how that person is smart or genius, whether it's Apple or News Corp, or Citibank or any other company in the world.

~Al-Waleed bin Talal

Some countries, like Saudi Arabia, where the population growth is very high, whereby you don't have the mortgage low yet. Still the demand outstrips supply by much.

~Al-Waleed bin Talal

My wheels are running. My investments are local, regional and international.

~Al-Waleed bin Talal

I will always serve my country in any capacity, but I'm very happy with what I'm doing right now.

~Al-Waleed bin Talal

I would love to be a corporate leader.

~Al-Waleed bin Talal

In Riyadh, there's going to be a huge project that will house at least 12,000 units with inhabitants of approximately 150,000 people. It's like a city within a city.

~Al-Waleed bin Talal

The lesson is that, No. 1, this management has to be at the highest class possible. No. 2, they have to have a succession plan.

~Al-Waleed bin Talal

One of my biggest personal holdings is Rotana. That company has a very dominant force in the Middle East. It has around 45% of all the movie industry and around 75% of all the music.

~Al-Waleed bin Talal

Ethics to me is very important.

~Al-Waleed bin Talal

Well, clearly Apple is a role model of the American innovation whereby it produced all these products - iPod, iPhone, iPad - that are really now dominating all the technology arena in the world.

~Al-Waleed bin Talal

I believe the government of the United States should re-examine its policies in the Middle East and adopt a more balanced stance toward the Palestinian cause.

~Al-Waleed bin Talal

I definitely believe that the so-called American decline is greatly exaggerated.

~Al-Waleed bin Talal

The legacy of Steve Jobs and the strength of Steve Jobs is that he established a company that's clearly firing on all cylinders and clicking very well.

~Al-Waleed bin Talal

So, if you look at what's common among some of the companies I have, including the Four Seasons, NewsCorp, George V, the Plaza, these are all irreplaceable brands in their own fields.

~Al-Waleed bin Talal

You know, in Saudi Arabia, there is a body of 40 people - 34 people exactly, that once the succession comes, they will meet and they will elect a king in there.

~Al-Waleed bin Talal

Our Palestinian brethren continue to be slaughtered at the hands of Israelis while the world turns the other cheek.

~Al-Waleed bin Talal

The issue of Palestine has been there since more than 60 years. But more important since 1967 when the war was, ended in the defeat of some Arab countries.

~Al-Waleed bin Talal

The potential for Twitter is spectacular and great.

~Al-Waleed bin Talal

Kingdom Holding will continue to achieve strong results and to distribute dividends

~Al-Waleed bin Talal

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