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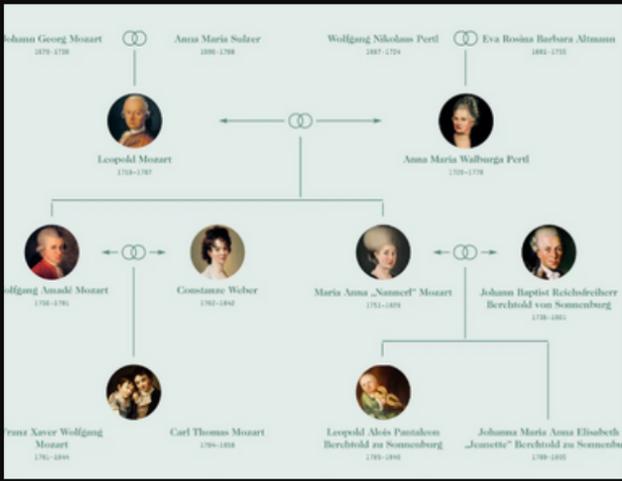
Mozart was a composer from the classicism. He wrote a lot of beautiful melodies and he was an excellent performer. Now, we are going to learn something about him:

Biography

He was born the 27 of January of 1756 in Salzburg (Austria)

When he was only five or six years old, he started to travel in a concert tour. Due to that fact he had become famous after he was listened by the courts of Salzburg. He traveled for years until 1773.

He continued composing for the rest of his life until he death the 5 December 1791.



His family

The family of Mozart was:

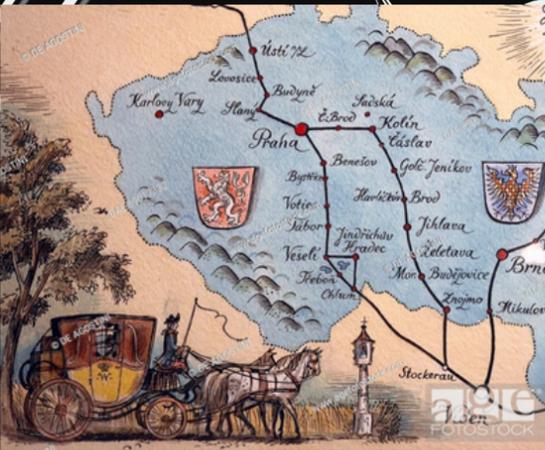
- His father Leopold Mozart. He was a productive composer and violinist. He taught him how to play the violin and the piano.
- His mother Anna Maria Mozart.
- His sister Maria Anna Mozart. She was a very good pianist like her brother.
- His wife Constance. She got married with him in 1783. She was a talented singer.
- His sons, Carl and Franz Mozart.



Instruments he played

Mozart was a very good performer. When he was only 6 years old, he learned to play the piano and the violin.

Besides, there were some instruments more in his house, for this reason, nowadays, people think that he could play them, like the clavichord, the viola or the fortepiano.



Towns he visited

When Mozart was only a child he started to travel in Europe in a musical tour of Europe. In that journey, he visited a lot of countries:

- Paris (1763).
- London (1764-1765).
- Netherlands (1765-1766)

Then, after all of this time out Salzburg, he came back in 1766, but in 1769 he made other to Italy trip until 1773.



His death

Before Mozart's death, he was writing a requiem (it's a funeral march for people who die). Then, he became ill, and he died. For this reason, he couldn't finish the requiem.

One of his students finished it and used it to Mozart's funeral.

A lot of people ask themselves what the exactly reason of his death was. Nobody knows it, there are lots of theories about Mozart's death but these are not confirmed.

