

Muhyiddin And Wife Extend Condolences To Ahmad Jais' Family
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KUALA LUMPUR, Oct 12 (Bernama) -- Deputy Prime Minister Tan Sri Muhyiddin Yassin and wife Puan Sri Norainee Abdul Rahman extended their condolences to the family of singer Datuk Ahmad Jais on the demise of the iconic crooner.

"His demise is not only felt by his family but also by the fans who grew up listening to his songs," he said.

Muhyiddin said Ahmad Jais' melodic vocals were unrivalled.

Ahmad Jais was an icon of his era, with his heart-warming and at times heart-wrenching renditions of songs in such genres as asli, langgam, keroncong and pop yeh yeh.

He was popular not only in Malaysia but also in Singapore, Indonesia and Brunei.

"I hope that his family will remain strong in the face of this loss," Muhyiddin said.

Ahmad Jais, or his real name Mohd Jais Ahmad, died at 9.20am yesterday at the age of 75 at the Darul Ehsan Medical Centre in Shah Alam due to lung complications.

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