

**Levantine Arabic transcript:**

الرجل: خدمات تعليميه، خدمات طبيه، خدمات زراعيه، خدمات سياحيه، خدمات متفاوتة، هذا طبعاً إلى جانب الصناعات البسيطة الموجوده في داخل الأردن، وأيضاً الزراعة الموجوده في داخل الأردن. هذه طبعاً بشكل عام معيشة الناس بشكل عام. في الفترة الأخيرة بدت تجتذب الأردن سياحة استثماريه، والإستثمار بداخل الأردن بدأ يزداد بشكل واضح جداً، وهذا ظاهر من الاستثمارات لأصحاب رؤوس الأموال العرب بشكل عام. فالفترة القادمة في الأردن استثمارات في بناء الابراج بقيمة خمسين بليون دولار، خلال الخمس السنوات القادمة يجب ان تنجز هذه في منطقة عمان ومحيط عمان. في استثمارات هائلة جداً حالياً في داخل الاردن. طبعاً داخل الاردن منطقة متوسطة جداً، ومؤثرة جداً ما حولها، لأنو ما يحيط فيها مباشرة، سوريا، والعراق، والسعودية، وفلسطين، وإسرائيل، يحيطو في الأردن. فهذول المحيط، الدول المجاورة للأردن، متعددة الأنواع، ومتعددة الثقافات، ومتعددة أيضاً الإهتمامات.

**English translation:**

Man: Educational services, medical services, agricultural services, tourist services, disparate services. This is of course in addition to the simple industries found in Jordan, and also the agriculture found in Jordan. This is of course how people live in Jordan in general. Lately, Jordan began to attract investment tourism, and investment inside of Jordan began increasing in a very obvious way, and this is apparent in the investments of the Arab owners of capital in general. So, in the time ahead in Jordan, there are investments in building towers worth \$50 million, and within the next five years they must be completed in Amman and its suburbs. Currently, there are huge investments inside Jordan. Of course, Jordan is a very central area and very influential, because what surrounds it directly is Syria and Iraq and Saudi Arabia and Palestine and Israel -- they all are neighboring Jordan. The neighboring countries to Jordan are multi-class, and multi-cultural, and also multi-interest.

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