



***The greatest Brazilian
singers according to the
Rolling Stone magazine***

Antonio Carlos Jobim

Antônio Carlos Jobim, best known as Tom Jobim, was born in 1927, growing up in a family of bohemians and artists. He died in 1994.

He was a Brazilian composer, singer, pianist, guitarist, conductor and arranger.

Although music was always in his essence, Tom Jobim began to study architecture. But dissatisfied with his career, he decided to take a leave of absence from college and devote himself to his greatest passion: the music..

He is one of the singers who released the Bossa Nova in the world and became known internationally and, because of this, became increasingly famous, both nationally and internationally.

He recorded *Garota de Ipanema* with Vinícius de Moraes which was considered one of the most popular songs in the world.

Some songs written by Tom Jobim are:

- *Passarim* (1987)
- *Lígia* (1973)
- *Samba do avião* (1963)

Roberto Carlos

Roberto Carlos was born in 1941. He is a Brazilian singer and songwriter, considered the "king" of Brazilian love songs.

When he was 9 years old, he performed for the first time singing on a children program of Radio Cachoeira.

Success has been increasing every day. In 1965, he made his television debut, alongside Erasmo Carlos and Wanderleia, on a program called Jovem Guarda, which would name a new cultural movement. That same year, release the album Young Guard, with the songs Quero que tudo vá para o inferno, Lobo Mau, among others.

In addition to the program and the albums, starred in films, inspired by the Beatles and the 1960s style.

His records have sold millions of copies and hit record sales, and in 1994 he reached 70 million albums sold.

Caetano Veloso

He is a Brazilian musician, one of the creators of the Tropicalista movement in Brazil and also the most influential musicians in the country.

In 60s, his family was living in Salvador, Bahia. He won a guitar and went on to sing with his sister Maria Betânia, in bars of Salvador. He joined the Faculty of Philosophy of the Federal University of Bahia.

In 1964 he participated in the show Nós por exemplo, alongside Gal Costa, Gilberto Gil, Betânia and Tom Zé, at the inauguration of the Teatro Vila Velha.

Caetano Veloso was arrested by the military dictatorship, accused of having disrespected the national anthem and the flag. In 1979, he spent part of his exile in London.

Throughout his career, he received several awards, including the Grammy Award for Best Album of World Music, with "book", in 2000, Latin Grammy: Best singer Album: 2007, 2009 and 2013, among others.

Carmen Miranda

She was born in Marco de Canaveses, in the district of Porto, Portugal, on February 9th, 1909 and came to Brazil on the next year.

Dreaming of being an actress and singer, in her free time, she sang and danced to cheer small parties. In 1929 she was presented to the composer Josué de Barros, who soon took her to perform in some theaters and clubs.

Then, she made her first singing debut on Radio Sociedade and recorded Triste Jandaia and Iaia Yo Yo.

In 1936, Carmen Miranda debuted at the cinema in the musical comedy "Olá Olá Carnaval" Still in 1939, Carmen was invited to be one of the attractions of the show "The Streets the Paris", which would premiere on Broadway.

She took part of 14 movies in USA and six movies in Brazil, also becoming a famous movie star.

Carmen Miranda died on August 5th, 1955 due to a heart attack.