
ORDEM E PROGRESSO
FABIO
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Fabio Curtis – Biography

British English – Refined autobiographical version

My name is Fabio Curtis. I am a Brazilian artist, born in the city of Sao Paulo, Brazil, and I come from a family of Italian immigrants. My surname, however, has English origins. As a child, I attended a Catholic school where my father had also studied. Thanks to my parents' dedication and efforts, I received an excellent education and learned many valuable lessons at that institution. From a very early age, I developed a strong interest in art and music. In fact, when I was just seven years old, I took part as a percussionist in the school's symphonic band.

A few years later, I completed my education at a state school in the city. By the age of eighteen, in the mid-1980s, I had already developed a passion for drawing. I created a character called Plass Modiun and came up with the idea of printing the character on a few T-shirts and selling them to my school friends.

I never imagined that this little project would become a business. I had no particular ambition to make a great deal of money; I simply found the whole experience enjoyable. However, sales gradually increased, and before long I had another idea: to turn the character into a registered brand specializing in surf wear and skate wear. We eventually developed a complete product range, including T shirts, shorts, caps, jeans and various accessories. I began introducing the brand to small local shops, and within just two years, it had expanded throughout Brazil and even reached other countries, including Portugal .I also organized several fashion shows to promote the brand. My mother wisely managed the administrative side of the business and was always there to support me. I owe her a great deal, as I could never have achieved what I did without her help. My father subsequently opened a shop under the brand's name, and I went on to establish several more outlets in towns across the state of São Paulo. The brand remained active for approximately ten years, after which I decided to pursue other directions in life.

In 1996, I married a woman of Japanese descent whom I had met at one of my shops. This relationship brought about an opportunity to fulfil another long-held dream: forming a rock band. My wife and I decided to become a musical duo. I enrolled at a drum school, and thanks to my natural aptitude and rapid progress, I soon began teaching drums at a music school in Sao Paulo. My marriage also gave me the opportunity to travel to Japan on four separate occasions. During my time there, I worked in the warehouse department at Sony. In my spare time, I volunteered to help newly arrived Brazilian residents with everyday matters, such as grocery shopping, obtaining official documents, organizing house moves and various other practical needs.

I spent a total of three years living in Japan. It was an incredibly enriching experience, allowing me to learn about the language, culture and traditions of the Japanese people. After eleven years of marriage, we eventually divorced due to irreconcilable differences. I must admit that I went through a very difficult period, suffering from deep depression for approximately three years. Thankfully, that chapter of my life eventually came to an end. One of the things that helped me most throughout that difficult period was my faith in the biblical teachings I had learned at the Catholic school I attended as a

child. I have never forgotten a small Gospel booklet that one of my teachers gave me. She wrote a personal dedication inside it, which read:

“Walk the right path, and God will help you.”

I am not a religious person in the conventional sense, but I have a personal relationship with God and Jesus Christ. I could share thousands of testimonies and experiences of faith that I have encountered throughout my life, but that would be a very long story. For this reason, I have documented much of this journey in my autobiography, entitled Free Heart, which has already reached its fourth edition .In 2008, I managed to put together my first rock and reggae band, called Surfista de Cristo (Surfer of Christ). We performed at churches, pubs and local festivals throughout the town. Through these musical activities, I also began organizing my own events, most of which were charity initiatives aimed at helping people in need. We organized collections of food for disadvantaged families, toys for children, animal food, products for expectant mothers and support for various other social causes.

In 2009, the band changed its name to NO THANXS. From that point onwards, the other musicians and I decided to focus exclusively on rock music. During this period, we received considerable media exposure, appearing in several television reports and newspaper articles. We continued performing until 2012, when I was offered an opportunity to travel to the United States by an American pastor named Dennis Walker. He invited me to attend the Dunamis Resource Center in Las Vegas, where I could study and deepen my understanding of the Bible.

While there, I also met another Brazilian pastor, Israel Silva, who gave me the opportunity to work for his small cleaning company. Through this experience, I learned a great deal more about Christian faith and values. In my spare time, I continued pursuing music. I performed at music shops and pubs throughout Las Vegas, gave drum lessons at a church and taught private students. I also had the opportunity to perform in Mexico City. I remained in Las Vegas until the middle of 2014.

Upon returning to Brazil later that year, I had several original songs that I had written myself, and I decided it was time to record them professionally. My first album featured eight songs, three of which were recorded in collaboration with a Canadian singer named Isabelle Laparre, whom I had met at a casino in Las Vegas. This album marked the beginning of a new chapter in my musical career and gave rise to the name of my band: JESUSHED. The band began performing at both small and large festivals throughout São Paulo, while I continued organizing voluntary events to support people in need.

In 2022, I travelled to Yorkshire to attend an intensive one-month English language course. During that trip, I also had the opportunity to film a music video for my band in Edinburgh, working alongside a Scottish street performer. In 2023, I received an invitation from a Californian organization called Extreme Tour to take part in a tour across the United Kingdom. Their work is also based on social engagement and voluntary initiatives, very much in keeping with the values behind my own projects. The organization helped me with accommodation, transport and meals. To cover some of my other expenses, I sold merchandise such as T-shirts, CDs and band accessories.

The musicians who accompanied me during the performances came from the United States and Wales .I spent three months taking part in this project, travelling and performing across the UK. It was an unforgettable experience that allowed me to connect with different musicians, audiences and communities.

In 2025, I received an award in London from a British company called Heavy Music Artwork. The recognition came through my participation in an interview book featuring 70 metal bands from different parts of the world. As my family has roots in the Tuscany region of Italy, I also took the opportunity to travel there and record a new music video for one of my Portuguese-language songs, entitled A Teia (The Web).Today, I continue to develop my musical project, JESUSHED. I have released more than 60 original songs, all written by me, which are available on various digital streaming platforms. However, I am also looking for new opportunities and alternative paths for the future. The musical style I represent is not part of mainstream Brazilian culture, which makes it particularly challenging to reach a wider audience and gain recognition for my work in my own country.

Alongside my artistic career, I currently run a small, themed burger restaurant in my hometown called Gibb's Rock Burger. I personally prepare the burgers, sweets and drinks, all of which are handmade. Unfortunately, my current rental agreement is due to expire in February 2027. The property owner intends to put the building up for sale, which means that I will need to find a new direction and reconsider my professional future. At this stage of my life, I find myself at another crossroads. I have experienced different cultures, built businesses from scratch, travelled internationally, performed music in several countries, organized charitable projects and overcome some very challenging personal circumstances. I believe that every experience, whether positive or difficult, has contributed to shaping the person and artist I am today. I remain passionate about music, creativity, entrepreneurship and helping others. I am open to new opportunities, collaborations and challenges that will allow me to continue growing, sharing my work and making a meaningful contribution to the world.

My journey is far from over.

Education:

- 1974–1977 – Colégio Católico Olivetano
- 1978–1982 – Escola Municipal Luís Washington Vita
- 1983–1985 – Escola Gabriel Ortiz
- 1986 – Etapa Vestibulares

Courses and Professional Development:

- 1996 – Practical Drum Lessons
- 1997 – Music Theory
- 2001–2003 – Japanese through Comics (Speaking and Writing) and Surfboard Lamination
- 2005 – Basic HTML and CSS

- 2012–2013 – Basic Theology – Dunamis Resource Center and CVA Evangelical Community, Las Vegas, USA
- 2020 – Cultural Project Development – Government of the State of São Paulo, Fábricas de Cultura
- 2021 – Project Development and Innovation Workshop – Sebrae
- 2022 – Digital Marketing – Kultivi
- 2022 – Intermediate English – English in York, England
- 2023 – Intensive English Course – Kultivi

Software Skills:

- CorelDRAW – Graphic Design
- Sony VEGAS Pro – Video Editing
- Macromedia Fireworks – Image Editing
- Inkscape – Graphic Design
- REAPER – Audio Editing
- AmpliTube 4.0
- MT Drums plugin

Published Books:

- 2020 – Free Heart – First Edition – Autobiography in Portuguese
- 2022 – United Kingdom Mission – Portuguese and English
- 2023 – Free Heart – Second Edition – Italian and English
- 2024 – Free Heart – Third Edition – Portuguese

Music Composition:

- 2000 – Marcha do Oriente, Eternidade, Grão de Areia, Liberdade
- 2007–2011 – Surfista de Cristo, Anda Direito, Iris, Wake Up for Jesus, Gás Carbônico, Não Deixe Escapar, Ishou no Onegai, No Thanxs, Encontro, God Bless, Be Holy, Obediência, Holy Ghost, Segundo o Coração de Deus, Doação, Ester, Thanxsgiving
- 2013 – Not Yours, Jesus Freak, God Is Above All, You'll Never Be Alone
- 2014–2026 – He Paid It All, What Are You Looking 4?, Actions Speak Louder Than Words, Born Again, Falsas Promessas, A Teia, Correndo Atrás do Vento, Dry Bones, 360, Fim dos Tempos, End Times, Jerusalem, Zumbi Virtual, Supermother, Unreachable Doors, We Are Not Illegals, Jesus on Sale, Never Too Late, À Beira do Caminho, Brasil Sistema Falido, Free Heart, Knights of Lord, Invisible Enemy, Ressuscita-nos, Gotham, Starchild, José do Egito, UK Mission – Spread the Word, Marcha do Caos, Shemaiah, A New Beginning, UK Mission – Part 2, End Game, Do Mundo Não Se Leva Nada (Tribute to Silvio Santos), A.I. – Artificial Intelligence, Lovesong, Gibbs Rock Burger, The Last One.

Note: Song titles have been kept in their original languages to preserve their identity.

Vídeo Clipes (Youtube):
- 2007 - No Thanxs – Pico do Urubu – Mogi das Cruzes
- 2018 - End Times – Fábrica abandonada em Poá – SP

Confira: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lQ-PQrh0OyY

- 2020- Supermother – Toscana – Itália
Confira: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tyYDMNAqtYU

- 2020 - You ll never be alone – Casarão do Chá – MC
Confira: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wuGSWuzbph0

- 2021 - Ressuscita-nos – Haras Milagres – Suzano – SP
Confira: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=H28RZsgLv84

- 2021 - Knights of Lord – Haras Milagres – Suzano
Confira: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4ovHO-8-5lQ

- 2022 - UK Mission - Spread the word – Yorkshire - UK
Confira: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=E_IcWZbVekw

- 2023 – UK Mission Parte 2 – Inglaterra
Confira: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UG85fmYE378

Selected Events Organised:

- 1987 – Fashion Show – Victoria Pub, Jardins, São Paulo, Brazil
- 1996 – Cidade Negra Band – Danceteria Fro, MC
- 2009 – Live Rock Project – CEU, São Paulo, Brazil
- 2010 – Art Takes to the Square (Arte vai à Praça)

Check:http://www.cultura.pmmc.com.br/index.php?view=evento&id=853%3Ano&option=com_eventlist&Itemid=203

- 2011 - Abertura do Show do Rodolfo Abrantes - Suzano

- 2016 - Rock Charts - Praça da Juventude – MC
Confira: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nHxMEN7jFwg

- 2019 - Sky Rock -Centro Cultural – Mogi das Cruzes
Confira: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZqTHZCkh36c

- 2019 - Turnê Fim dos tempos – Centro Cultural – MC
Confira: https://g1.globo.com/sp/mogi-das-cruzes-suzano/noticia/2019/03/22/centro-cultural-de-mogi-recebe-a-turne-da-banda-jesushed-nesta-sexta-feira.ghtml

- 2019 – Turnê Fim dos Tempos – Ceu das Artes V. União
Confira: https://g1.globo.com/sp/mogi-das-cruzes-suzano/noticia/2019/04/26/jesushed-volta-para-mogi-com-a-turne-fim-dos-tempos-neste-sabado.ghtml

- 2020 - Turnê Supermother - Centro Cultural – MC
Confira:
http://www.cultura.pmmc.com.br/index.php?view=details&id=4684%3Asupermother-

apresentacao-das-bandas-avulsos-sa-e-jesushed&pop=1&tmpl=component&option=com_eventlist&Itemid=132

- 2021 - Jesushed in Concert - Teatro Vasques – MC
Confira: https://g1.globo.com/sp/mogi-das-cruzes-suzano/noticia/2021/11/19/theatro-vasques-em-mogi-recebe-nesta-sexta-show-com-a-banda-jesushed.ghtml

- 2021 - Not Alone Tour Open Mic - Fábricas de Cultura
Confira: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=T8JHr4XFxmE

- 2023 - Pet Rock Show - Teatro Vasques – MC
Confira: https://exibirgospel.com.br/jesushed-fara-show-de-despedida-nesta-quinta-no-theatro-vasques/

- 2024 – Pet Rock Show 2 – Centro Cultural de Mogi das Cruzes
Confira: https://portalredealtotietetv.com.br/nesse-sabado13-tem-a-2o-edicao-do-pet-rock-show-em-mogi/

- 2024 – Kids Rock Day – Centro Cultural de Mogi das Cruzes
Confira: https://noticiasdemogi.com.br/agenda-cultural-de-mogi-das-cruzes-tem-concerto-e-atividades-do-mes-das-criancas/
- 2025 – Lançamento do Projeto Hope – CEU das Artes

- 2025 – Supermother Festival Cultural – Theatro Vasques
Confira: https://www.odiariodemogi.net.br/mogi/associacao-de-voluntarios-da-santa-casa-de-mogi-recebe-doacoes-para-bebes/

- 2026 – Kids Burger Day – Street event
https://www.instagram.com/p/DeXIzUwkbZq/

Advertising and Media Coverage:

- 1989–2026 – Coverage and promotion through various media outlets, including:

- Fluir and Hardcore magazines
- Waves news portal
- O Diário de Mogi newspaper
- O Diário de Suzano newspaper
- Mogi News newspaper
- Digipress website
- TV Diário, a Rede Globo affiliate
- G1 news portal
- Rádio Metropolitana AM
- Exibir Gospel magazine
- Made in Brazil programme (Rádio Logos FM, Amazonas, Brazil)

Interviews and Media Appearances:

- 2012 – TV Diário (Festival Promessas) – Mogi das Cruzes, Brazil Watch: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bOr_-4m1u70
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- 2017 – Backstage (Rádio Over Rock) – São Miguel, São Paulo, Brazil
- 2020 – Sonia Nogueira Programme – Rádio Cristal, Mogi das Cruzes, Brazil
- 2022 – Heavy Music Art Work – Chi-Rho Book – London, England
- 2022 – White Metal 81 – YouTube
- 2023 – Café com Notícia Programme – Rádio Metropolitana
- 2023 – Bússola do Rock – YouTube
- 2023 – Moshpit Programme – Radio Cross Rhythms – Stoke-on-Trent, England
- 2024 – Projeto New Programme – Rádio Cristal
- 2024 – Jundiapeba TV Cast Podcast
- 2024 – Café com Notícia Programme – Rádio Metropolitana
- 2025 – Geração Ultra Jovem Programme – Rádio Mogi FM

Radio Programmes

- 1999 – Atarashi – Rádio Aquarius FM, Mogi das Cruzes, Brazil
- 2018–2019 – Wake Up 4 Jesus – Cristal Gospel Web Radio

Musical Equipment Used

- Gibson and Epiphone electric guitars
- Hofner steel-string acoustic guitar
- Iron Flex cables
- Dunlop guitar picks
- Killer, Santo Angelo and Jekyll & Hyde effects pedals
- Marshall CODE 100H amplifier (head and 2x12" speaker cabinet)
- Borne 150-watt amplifiers (head and speaker cabinet)
- EMG guitar pickups
- Behringer U-Phoria UMC22 audio interface
- Custom TRY CM 2000 and Shure SM58 microphones
- Ernie Ball and DR guitar strings (gauges .010 and .011)

Registered Trademarks

- 1986 – Plass Modiun Surf Design
- 2022 – Jesushed

Characters Created

- 1986 – Mr Plass
- 2018 – Ridd Mascot

Business Ventures

- 1986–1996 – Clothing Manufacturing – Plass Modiun Surf Design, São Paulo, Brazil
- 1989–1996 – Clothing Store – Penha, São Paulo, Brazil
- 1991–1996 – Clothing Store – Mogi Shopping, Mogi das Cruzes, Brazil
- 1998 – Clothing Store – Mogi City Centre, Brazil
- 1998–2000 – Mr Plass Music School – Mogi City Centre, Brazil
- 2001–2003 – Crowd Music Bar – Mogi-Bertioga Road, Brazil
- 2007–2011 – Uhulsurf Internet Café – César de Souza, Brazil
- 2014–2016 – Rock Star Brasil Store – César de Souza, Brazil
- 2010–Present – Fabio Curtis Productions
- 2025–2026 – Gibbs Rock Burger

Travel within Brazil

- 1978–1985 – Rio de Janeiro
- 1990–1991 – Santa Catarina
- 1992 – Sergipe: Aracaju
- 1986–2012 – São Paulo State Coast (Northern and Southern regions)

International Travel

- 1997, 2000, 2003 and 2004 – Japan: Aichi Prefecture, Mie Prefecture, Gifu Prefecture, Miyagi Prefecture and Tokyo
- 2012, 2013 and 2014 – United States: Arizona, Las Vegas, California and New York
- 2014 – Mexico: Mexico City and Coyoacán
- 2018 – Uruguay: Montevideo and Punta del Este
- 2019–2020 – Italy: Tuscany, Pisa, Volterra, San Giuliano and Ociático
- 2022 – United Kingdom: London, Yorkshire and Leeds
- 2022 – Scotland: Edinburgh
- 2023 – England: Stoke-on-Trent, Washington, Market Drayton, Blackpool, Tonyrefail, Swansea and Newcastle upon Tyne
- 2023 – Wales
- 2025 – Italy and London, United Kingdom

Sports

- Surfing – 1986–2012

- **Religion**
  - Christianity

- **Marriage**
  - 1995–2006 – Spouse: Luciana Setani

- **Children**
  - 1992 – Kiany Santoro de Curtis

Favourite Films

- Braveheart
- Gladiator
- The Passion of the Christ
- The Last of the Mohicans
- Van Helsing
- Highlander
- Titanic
- Conan the Barbarian
- James Bond 007 (All films)

Favourite TV Series

- Knightfall
- Gotham
- Jesus
- Joseph of Egypt
- Classic Batman
- The Waltons
- Little House on the Prairie
- I Dream of Jeannie
- Bewitched
- The Crown
- Netflix

Favourite Cartoons

- Woody Woodpecker
- Disney cartoons
- Beavis and Butt-Head
- Bible-themed cartoons
- Classic Hanna-Barbera cartoons

TV Channels

- Rede Brasil
- TV8
- Record
- RedeTV!
- Gazeta
- SBT
- Bandeirantes
- Rede Pai Eterno
- Rede Vida

Favourite Foods

- Pasta
- Pizza
- Japanese food
- Chips (French fries)
- Hamburgers
- Iceberg lettuce
- Bananas
- Grapes
- British food
- Rice and beans
- Fried eggs
- Fish
- Chicken
- Persimmons
- Broccoli
- Sweetcorn

- Peanut butter
- French bread
- Doughnuts
- Wafer biscuits
- Chocolate and coconut cake (Bolo Prestígio)
- Chocolate

Favourite Drinks

- Ginger and cinnamon liqueur
- Nescafé with milk
- Coca-Cola
- Pepsi Black
- Medium-sweet wine
- Fresh fruit juices
- English tea
- Milk

Clothing Preferences

- Black printed T-shirts
- Trucker caps
- Hoodies
- Casual shorts
- Chino trousers
- Jeans
- Skate shoes
- Sweatshirts
- Checked shirts
- Denim shirts
- Black shirts

Musical Preferences

- Rock
- Heavy Metal
- Thrash Metal
- 1980s Pop Rock

Favourite Bands and Songs

Megadeth

- Holy Wars... The Punishment Due
- Washington Is Next!
- Hangar 18
- In My Darkest Hour
- We´ll be back

Iron Maiden

- Phantom of the Opera
- Run to the Hills
- Powerslave
- The Number of the Beast

Sepultura

- Roots
- Territory

Slayer

- South of Heaven
- Raining Blood
- Seasons in the Abyss

Favourite Seasons

- Spring
- Winter

Hobbies and Interests

- Walking outdoors
- Visiting museums
- Visiting parks
- Attending rock concerts
- Exploring new cities and discovering new places

Bands Formed and Musical Projects

- 1995-1996 – Couple Rock
- 1997–2001 – Brave Heart, Mr Plass
- 2007–2012 – Surfista de Cristo, No Thanxs
- 2013 – Solo Project: Jesus Freak Rock
- 2014–Present – Jesushed

Motorcycles

- Caloi Mobilette
- Yamaha RD 50
- Yamaha RX 180
- Honda CB 400 II
- Honda CBX 150 Aero
- 50cc Scooter (USA)
- Bull 50cc Scooter
- Top Bike RCL 50cc

Cars and Vehicles

- Volkswagen Beetle
- Volkswagen Brasília
- Chevrolet Chevette
- Ford Del Rey
- Fiat Uno
- Fiat Fiorino Pick-up
- Daihatsu Mira
- Suzuki Cervo
- Towner Van
- Fiat Mobi
- Daihatsu Cuore
- Fiat Doblò
- Citroen

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