





## John Lewis Burckhardt

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Johann Ludwig Burckhardt (born 1784 in Lausanne, died 1817 in Cairo) was a Swiss traveller to the Orient. During his stays he called himself Sheikh Ibrahim ibn Abdallah. He is best known as the rediscoverer of the Nabataean city of Petra and the great temple of Abu Simbel. In addition, he was the first European to present a detailed description of the holy sites of Mecca and Medina.

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