

Dothraki Fun Facts

Did you know...?

- ...the name for the Dothraki people—and their language—derives from a verb meaning "to ride".
- ...the Dothraki have no word for "sin" or "shame".
- ...the Dothraki have four different words for "carry", three different words for "push", three different words for "pull", and at least eight different words for "horse", but no word which means "please".
- ...the literal translation of the Dothraki equivalent of the English verb "to dream" is "to live a wooden life".
- ...the word for "pride" is derived from the word for "braid".
- ...grammatically, the wind is considered to be more alive than a human girl.
- ...the words for "to fall off of", "former", "to kill" and "disgraced" all derive from the same root.
- ...the Dothraki language, like Russian, doesn't distinguish between a leg and a foot, or between an arm and a hand (or, for that matter, a fingernail and a toenail).
- ...the longest word in Dothraki is ***athastokhdeveshizaroon***, which means "from nonsense".
- ...the words for "related", "weighted net", "eclipse", "dispute", "redhead", "oath", "funeral pyre", "evidence", "omen", "fang" and "Harvest Moon" all have one element in common: ***qoy***, the Dothraki word for "blood".