

The Stockholm bomber

An Al Qaeda-linked website claims the man behind the bomb blasts in Sweden studied and lived in Britain



■ **1981:** *Taimour Abdulwahab Al Abdaly* born in Baghdad, Iraq

■ **1992:** Family moves to Sweden. Al Abdaly attends high school in Tranås, southwest of Stockholm

■ **2001:** Attends University of Bedfordshire in Luton, England. Islamist extremists based in Luton are known to have links to Al Qaeda

■ **2004:** Graduates in sports therapy. Marries – couple have three children

■ **2008-present:** Joins dating website to search for second wife. Al Abdaly's Facebook page shows so-called martyrdom videos

■ **Dec 11, 2010:** Swedish news agency TT receives email prior to blasts referring to Sweden's troops in Afghanistan and controversial cartoons of Prophet Muhammad