



# THE LEGACY OF HUMAYUN FARIDEE

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## ABOUT HUMAYUN FARIDEE

*In a country where talent, passion and greatness are often overlooked and ignored, Director Badrul Anam Saud says that, "It was Humayun Faridee's greatest misfortune that he was born in Bangladesh. It was Bangladesh's greatest fortune that Humayun Faridee was born on this land."*

Humayun Faridee's name, in our country and our film industry alike, is synonymous to the word 'best'. Whether it was television, the stage or the silver-screen, whether he was playing the hero, the villain or the comedian, the standard of acting and performance set by Humayun Faridee is yet to be matched.

The biggest names of today still speak of this legendary actor as the best this country has ever seen.

Faridee was born on May 29, 1952, in Narinda, Dhaka, to ATM Nurul Islam and Begum Farida Islam. In 1968, he passed his SSC examinations from Islamia Government High School and in 1970 he

## FILMOGRAPHY AND OTHER WORKS

### TV DRAMA

- Nil Nakshar Shandhany (1982)
- Durbin die dekhun (1982)
- Bhangoner shabdha suni (1983)
- Bakulpur koto Dur (1985)
- Dubhuboner Dui Bashinda
- Ekti Laal shari
- Mohuar Mon (1986)
- Sat Ashmaner Shiri (1986)
- Akdin hohat (1986)
- Chanmiar negative positive (1986)
- Ojatra (1987)
- Songsaptak (1987–88)
- Pathar Shomoy (1989)
- Dui bhai (1990)
- Shiter Pakhi (1991)
- Kothao Keu Nei (1992/3)
- Shomudre Gangchil (1993)
- Tini Akjon (2005)
- Pret (2005)
- Chandragrasto (2006)
- Kachher Manush (2006)
- Mohona (2006)
- Vober Hat (2007)
- J jibon hoyini japon (2007)
- Srinkhal (2010)
- Prioy Jon Nibash (2011)
- Arman vai The Gentle Man (2011)
- Rater Otithi

### CINEMA

- Hulia
- Dohon
- Shontrash
- Bachelor
- JoyJatra
- Shamolchaya
- Ekattorer Jishu
- Vondo
- Mayer Odhikar
- Bishaw Premik
- Odhikar Chai
- Teg
- Mayer Morjada
- Aha!
- Return Ticket
- Praner Cheye Priyo

- Kokhono Megh Kokhono Brishti
- Duratta (The Alienation)
- Ghatok
- Takar Ohonkar
- Utthan-Poton
- Sottru Vayonkor
- Palabi Kothai
- Azker Hitler?
- Meherjaan (2011)
- Soitan Manush
- Atto-Ohongkar
- Shukher Sorgoh
- Nil Sagorer Tire
- Shashon
- Sotru Vayonkor
- Lat Shaheb
- Kuli
- Alo Amar Alo
- Onek Diner Asha
- Hingsha
- A Desh Kar
- Sneho
- Bir Soinik
- Mittar Mrityu
- Nor Pishach
- Bhalobashi Tomake
- Tumi Shudu Tumi
- Anondo Asru
- Shukher Sorgoh
- Churmar
- Prem Mane Na Badha
- Nistur
- Taka
- Bager Taba
- Premer Jala
- Eri Nam Bhalobasha
- Palabi Kuthai
- Kalo Choshma
- Paharadar

### THEATRICAL PLAYS

- Montasir Fantasy
- Kirtonkhola
- Keramot Mongol
- Durto wee
- Shakuntala