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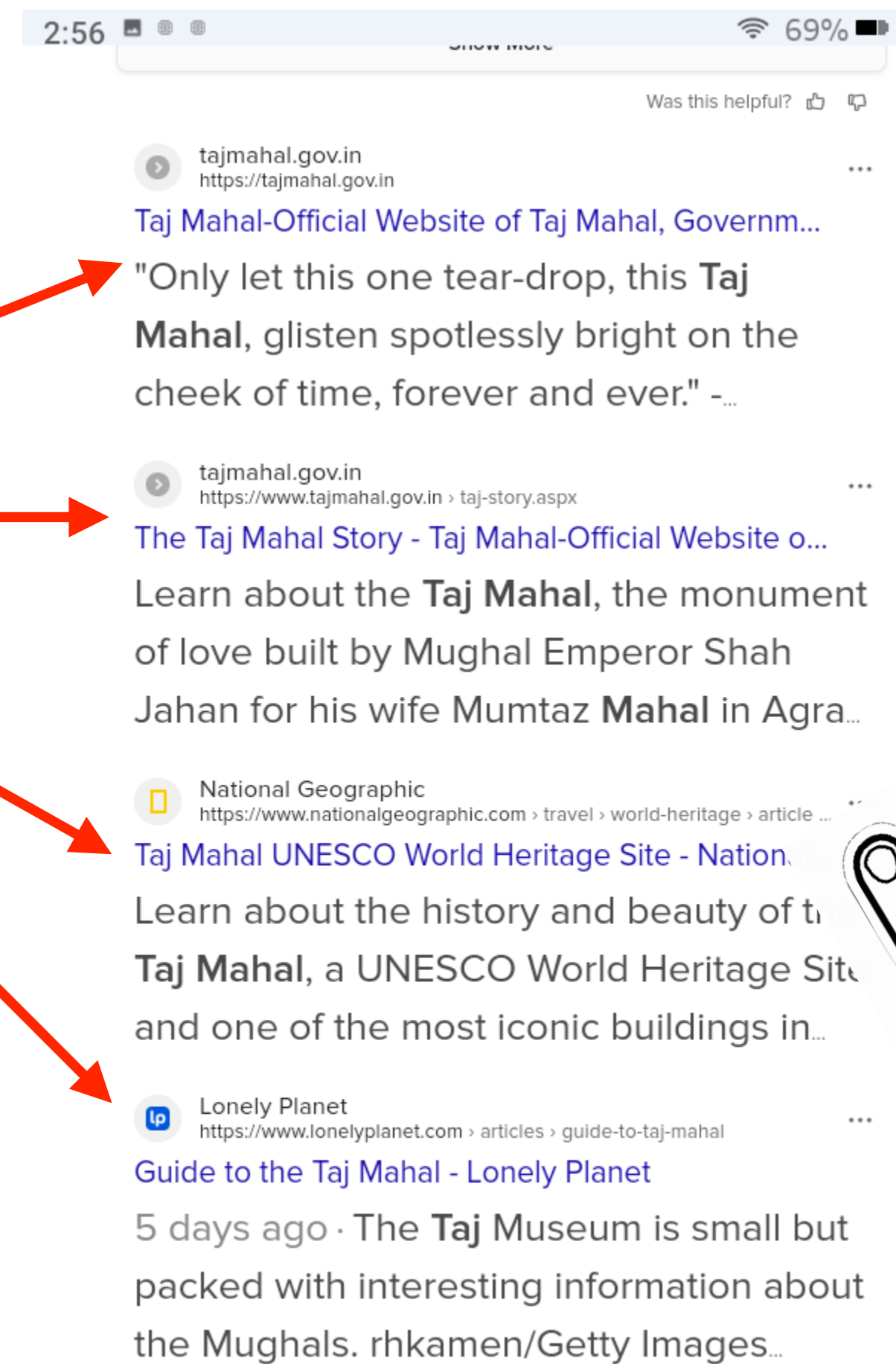
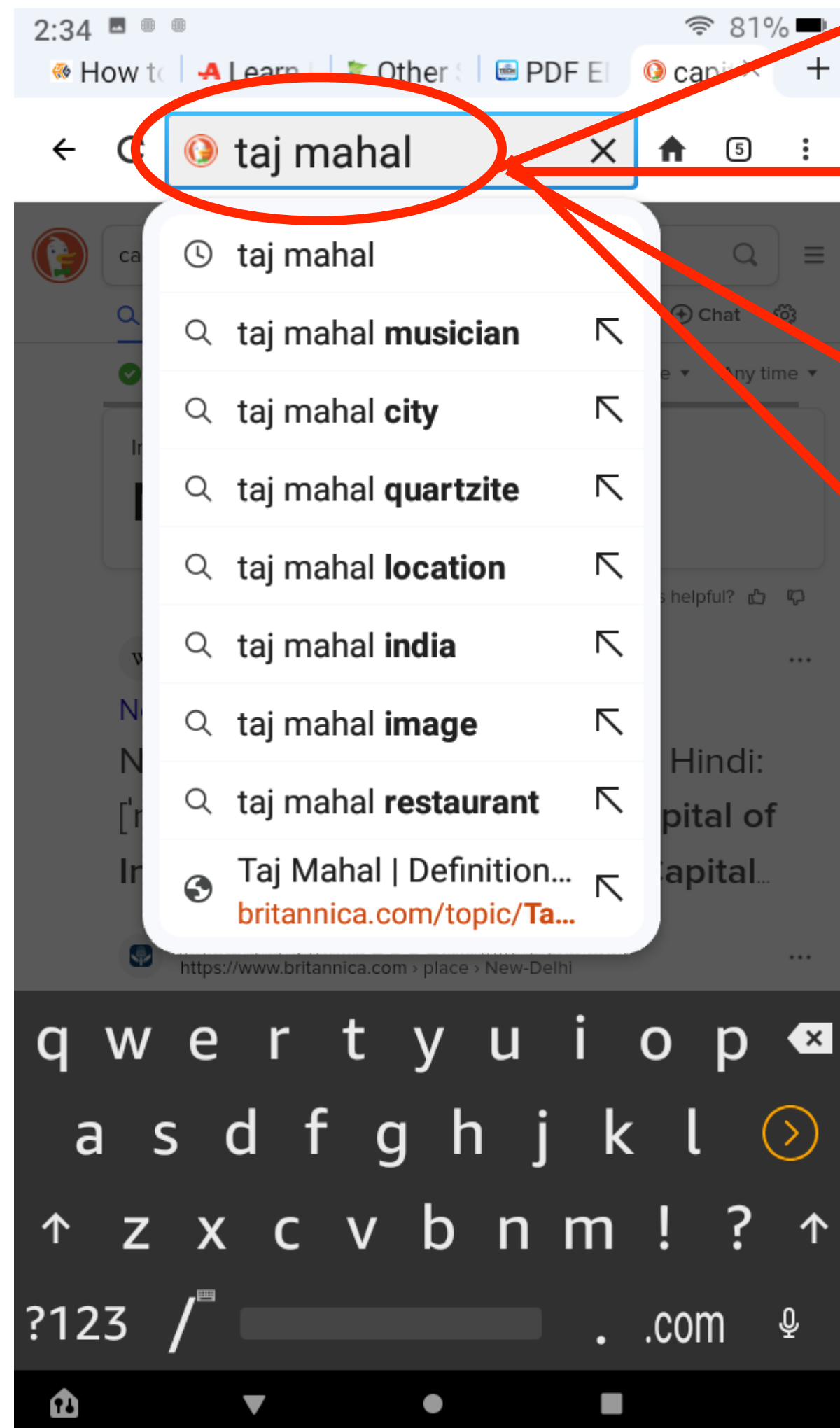


**Let's go to the Taj Mahal**

**Where would you like to go?**



Start your journey by investigating where you want to go



Your browser will search for articles with the name you select

Select one of the articles to learn more about your destination. As you explore, your browser can open new "Tabs"



New "Tabs" can also be opened by holding your finger on the the **blue titles** and selecting "Open in new tab". To move between tabs simply touch the tab.



Although it is easy to just select the first article presented, you can generally learn more and sometimes find some highly interesting details by looking into more than just the first article. Sources like National Geographic, Lonely Planet, Fodors and others are good places to look.

Here are a few places that look interesting:


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mausoleum, Agra, India

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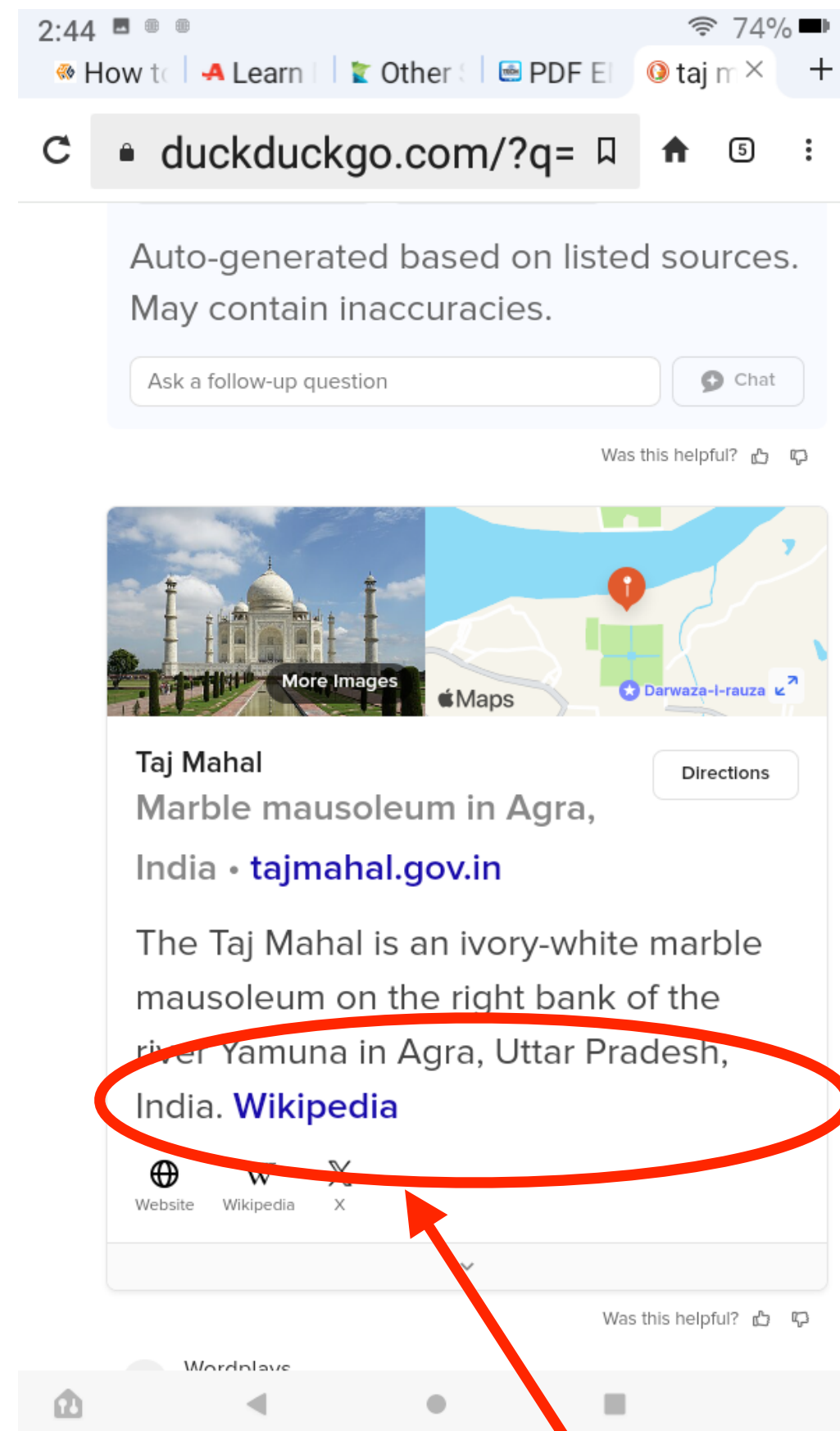
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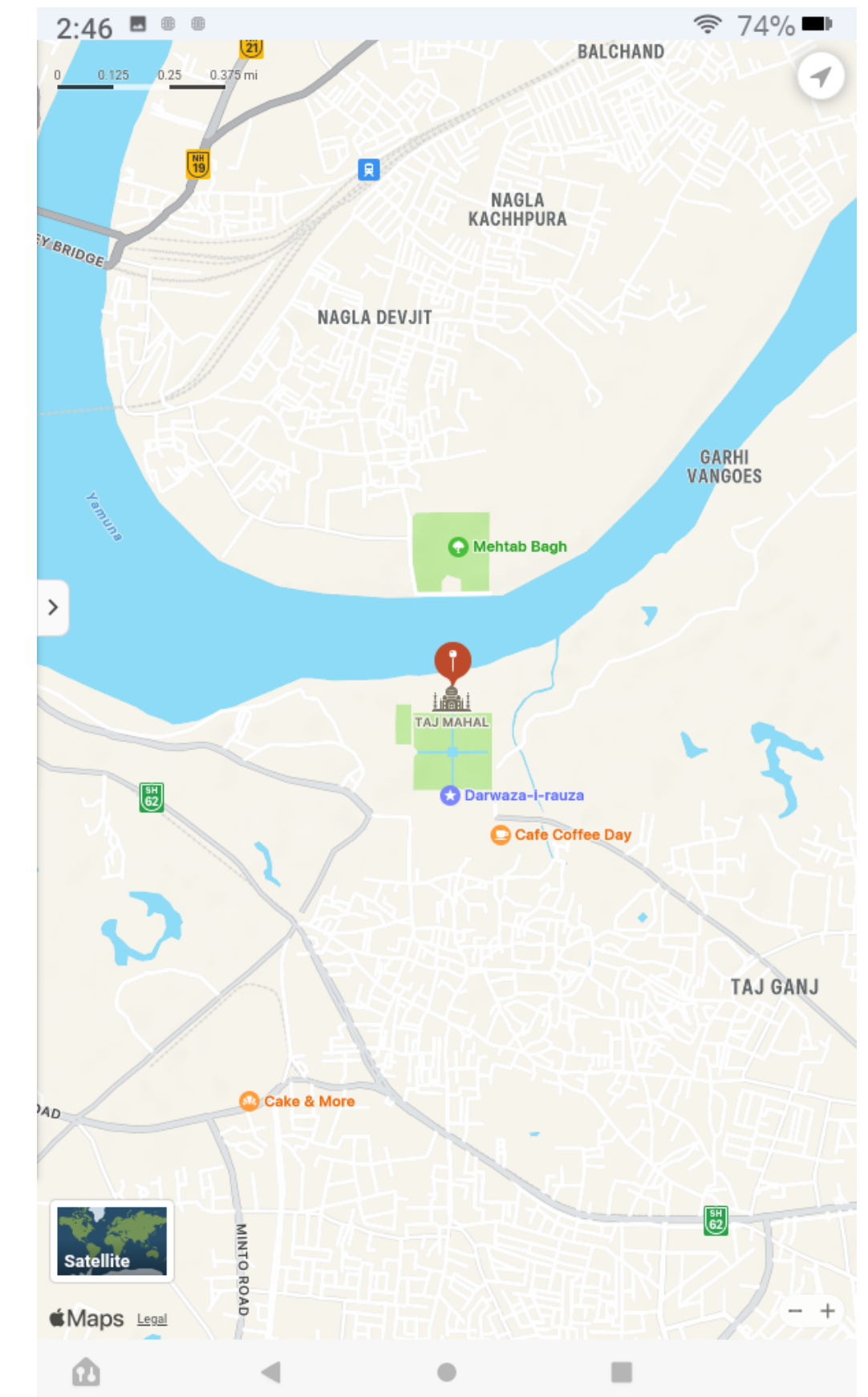
Once you find out a little about the location, you can start exploring the geography to help understand the context surrounding the events and locations around your destination.



Here we see that the Taj Mahal is in Agra, India

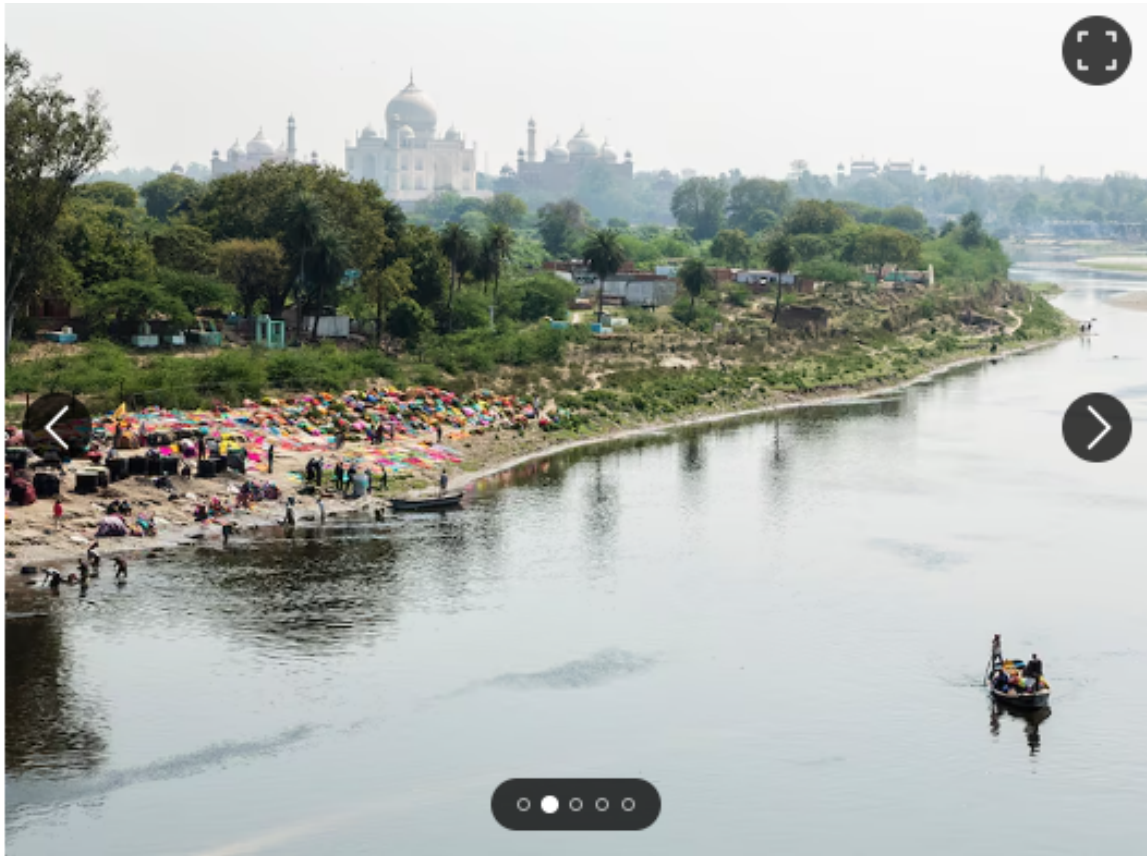


By using our fingers to zoom in and out we can get a very good idea where in the world our destination is. Further searching could tell what time it is there and what timezone it's in. Important if you are actually there but not from your chair.





Here are a few of the articles I found searching for “Taj Mahal” on the browser.  
These pictures were from the national geographic web site.



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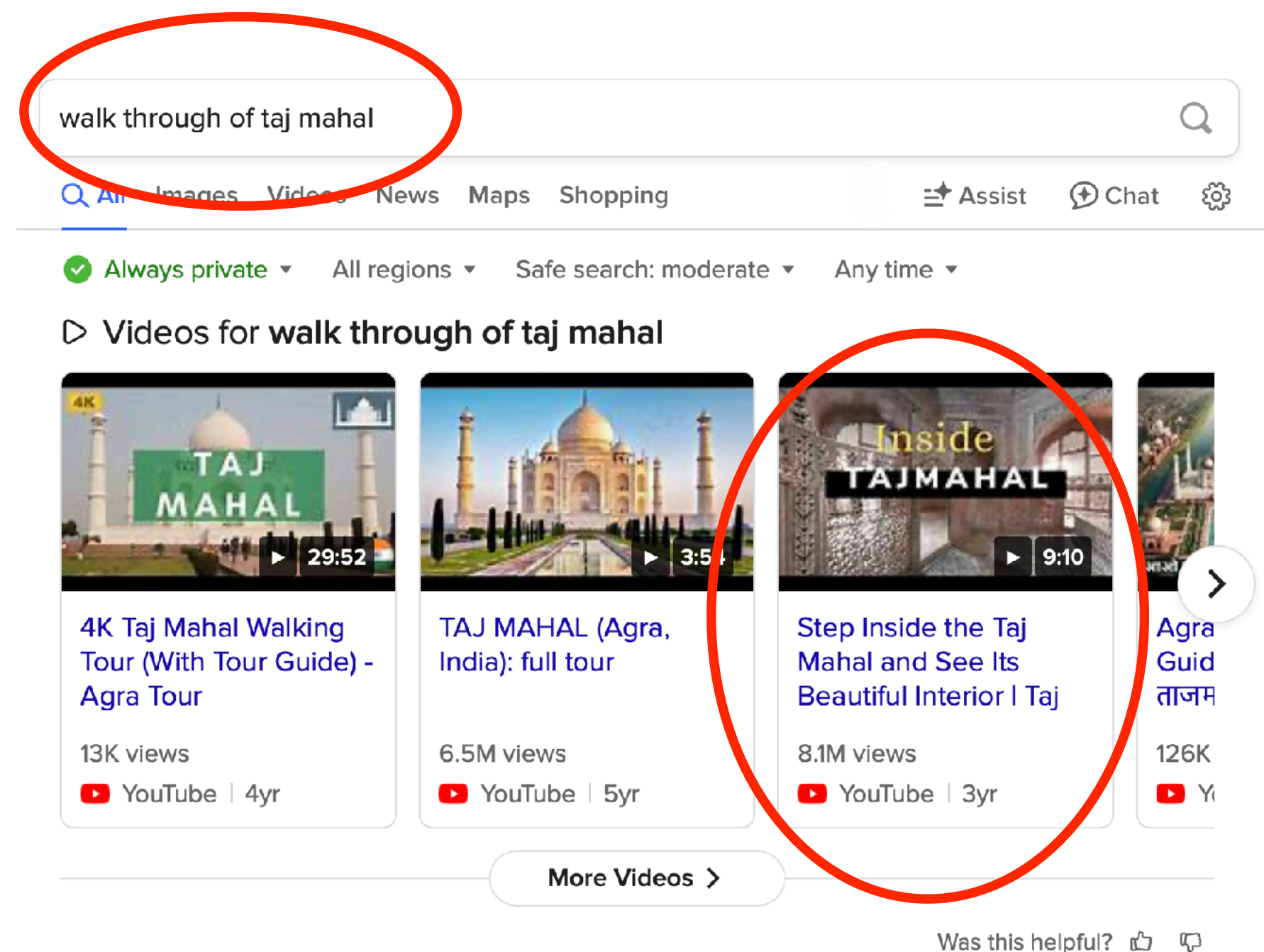


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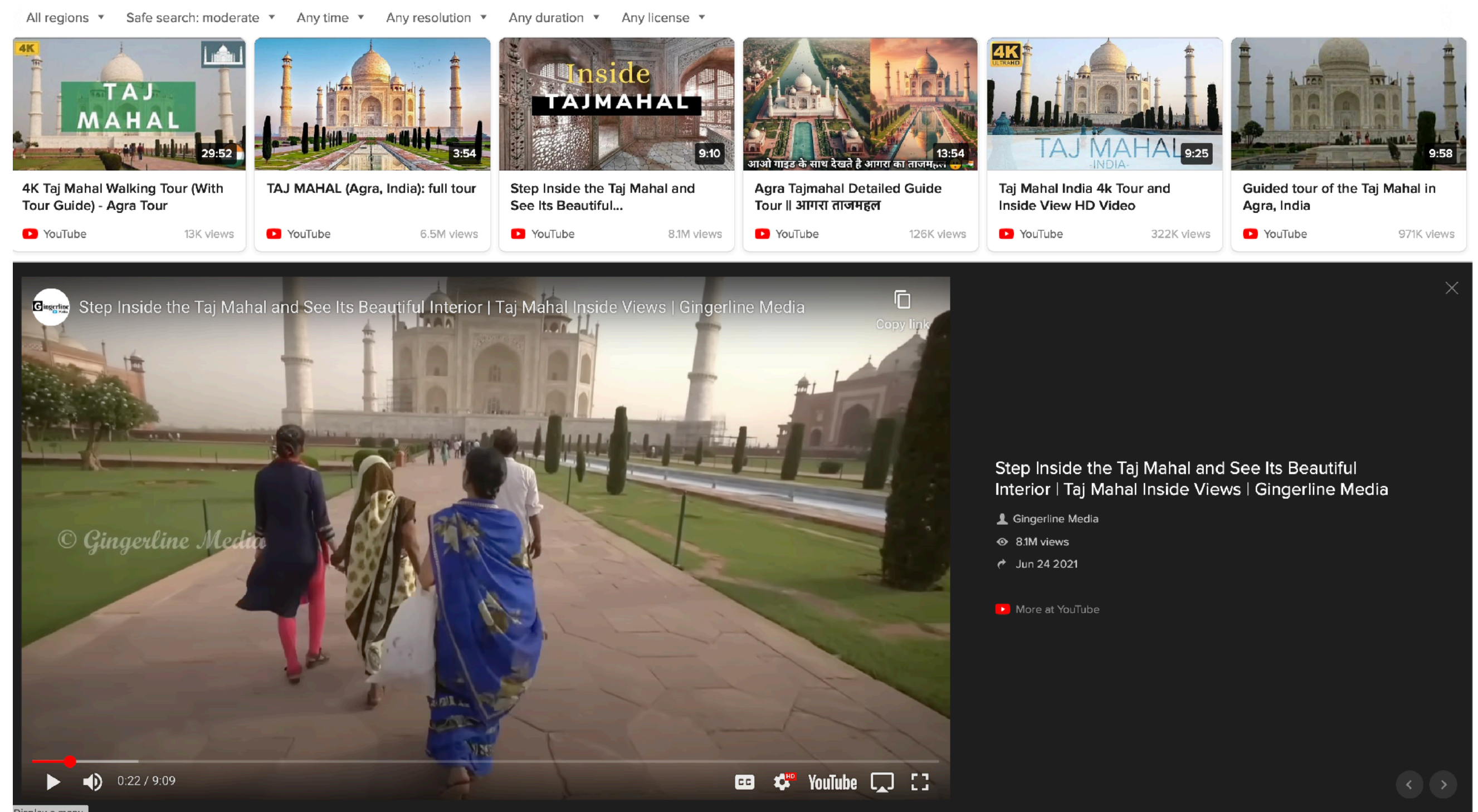
Lonely Planet  
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### Guide to the Taj Mahal - Lonely Planet

Jan 25, 2025 · The **Taj**, as it is locally called, is a bucket-list favorite with good reason, so brace yourself for the droves queuing up alongside you to see this grand gesture from the 17th century. The **Taj Mahal** memorializes Mumtaz **Mahal**, the third wife of Mughal emperor Shah Jahan, who died of...

Now that we have used our browser to learn more about the Taj Mahal; Now it's time to really see it.

The browser search engine was asked to find articles containing the words "walk through of taj mahal" and a list of videos was returned. I selected the "Step inside the Taj Mahal" video out of the suggested articles. And watched a nice tour.





**Want a quicker trip?** MapQuest can be used to quickly search for “Taj Mahal” and by using your fingers to zoom in and out and the various MapQuest ‘layers” you can explore from a birds-eye view.

