# Intensified Search Underway for Missing British Teen Jay Slater in Tenerife



**Missing British Teen Jay Slater: Search Efforts Enter Seventh Day in Tenerife**

Authorities in Tenerife are intensifying their search for missing British teenager Jay Slater, 19, who disappeared on the Spanish island after attending a music festival. Slater, an apprentice bricklayer from Oswaldtwistle, Lancashire, was last seen at a nightclub on Monday, June 17.

Slater attended the three-day NRG Festival and was last spotted at Papagayo Beach Club in Playa de las Americas. A Snapchat video sent to a relative indicated he was in Arona before heading to the club. Footage shows Slater dancing shirtless at 1 a.m. The last confirmed sighting of Slater was at 8:15 a.m. by Airbnb owner Ophelia Medina Hernandez in the village of Masca.

He reportedly traveled to a £40-per-night Airbnb with two British men after missing a bus. Slater contacted friend Lucy Mae Law at 8 a.m., stating he was "lost in the mountains with no water" and had just 1% battery remaining. His phone's last signal was tracked to the Masca gorge.

Authorities have deployed helicopters, drones, sniffer dogs, and mountain rescue units, focusing on the Teno Nature Reserve. A new potential sighting places Slater at a church in Santiago de Teide at 6 p.m. the day he disappeared, accompanied by two men.

Slater's family, including his father Warren and brother Zak, are on the island participating in search efforts. A GoFundMe page for the search has raised over £29,000.

Spanish police have declined assistance from Lancashire Constabulary, asserting they have sufficient resources. Mark Williams-Thomas, known for his investigative work on high-profile cases, has offered to aid Slater’s mother, Debbie Duncan.

The search continues with efforts focusing on small buildings near where Slater’s phone last pinged, though no further confirmed sightings have emerged.