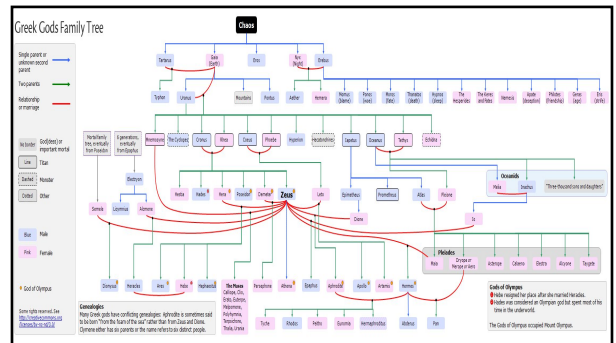


Greco-Roman



Origins and Titans

Uranus - threw children into Tartarus.

- Castrated by his son Cronus at Gaia's behest.
- Testicles created Aphrodite.
- His blood created the Furies.

Cronus - imprisoned siblings Hecatonchires and Cyclopes.

- Ate children after a prophecy except for Zeus since his mother Rhea switched him with the Omphalea Stone and put him on Mt. Ida.
- Overthrown in the Titanomachy led by Zeus including the Olympian gods he swallowed, Styx (the first to support Zeus), the Cyclopes and Hecatonchires.
- Following it, Cyclopes forged Zeus' thunderbolts and Gaia bore Typhon, father of all monsters and husband of Echidna.

Titans

Prometheus - son of Iapetus who created mankind.

- tricks Zeus into taking bones of cow while giving meat to humans.
- Helped his son Deucalion and his wife Pyrrha survive a flood by building them a chest.
- Centaur Chiron gave his immortality to him.
- Stole fire from Olympus to give to humans, which Zeus retaliated against by creating Pandora and giving her to his brother Epimetheus.
- Chained to a rock for eternity and has his liver eaten by an eagle.

Oceanus - father of Oceanids with Tethys

Helios- personification of Sun. Let his son Phaeton draw chariot but lost control.

Olympian gods

Zeus - raised on Mt. Ida by the goat Amalthea.

- Threw rebellious Titans in Tartarus and made Atlas hold up the world.
- Drew lots with Poseidon and Hades and became ruler of Olympus. Hera had sex with him to allow Greeks to win the Trojan war.
- Baucis and Philemon fed him and Hermes.
- Abducted Ganymede to make him a cupbearer. Killed Salmoneus for impersonating him.
- Killed Asclepius for reviving Hippolytus. Sent Hermes to kill Argus and rescue Iphigeneia to who had been turned into a cow

Affairs- Father Dionysus with Semele, Heracles with Alcmene, Helen and Castor with Leda as Swan, Apollo and Artemis with Leto on Delos, the Muses with Mnemosyne, Aphrodite with Dione in some sources, Persephone with Demeter, Hermes with Maia, Perseus with Danae as golden shower.

Olympian gods

Hera - married Zeus after he seduced her as cuckoo.

- Blinded Tiresias for saying women enjoy sex more. Placed eyes of Argus in her peacock tail.
- Sent a gadfly to sting Ixion.
- takes away Echo's voice.
- Sent serpents to kill Heracles.
- Offered Paris control of Asia and Europe.
- Threw Hephaestus off of Olympus after being trapped by a magical throne.
- Nicknamed "cow-eyed".
- Ixion was banished for making advances to this goddess. Created Milky way with breast milk.

Olympian gods

Poseidon - father of the cyclopes Polyphemus.

- Gave a salty spring when trying to rule over Athens.
- Built walls of Troy with Apollo.
- Raped Caenis and transformed her into Caeneus.
- Husband of Amphitrite, who transformed Scylla into a monster.
- Caused Pasiphae to fall in love with a bull.
- Killed Hippolytus on Theseus' orders.
- Fathered Neleus and Pelias with Tyro.
- raped Medusa and father Pegasus and Chrysaor. Created horses.
- Father of Otus and Ephialtes, whom Artemis killed.

Olympian gods

Phoebus Apollo - fathered the beekeeper Aristaeus, the healer Asclepius.

- Sent plague on Greeks in Iliad for capturing Chryseis.
- Gave Midas' ass's ears for siding with Pan in lyre contest.
- Killed children of Niobe with twin sister Artemis.
- Killed Python and established Oracles at Delphi.
- Served Admetus for killing Cyclopes in revenge for Zeus killing Asclepius. Daphne turned into a laurel tree to escape his pursuit.
- Killed Tityos for trying to rape Leto. cursed the prophetess Cassandra after she rejected him.
- Fathered Ion with Creusa.
- Killed lover Hyacinthus with discus.
- Rejected by Marpessa.
- Turned Cyparissus into a cyprus tree.
- Turned ravens black.
- Hermes steals his cattle.

Olympian gods

Demeter - mother of Persephone, whose kidnapping made the seasons stop.

- accidentally killed the baby Demophon while serving King Eleusis.
- Eleusinian mysteries surrounded her and Persephone.
- turned Ascalabus into a lizard.
- advised Psyche to go beg Aphrodite for forgiveness.
- Ate the shoulder of Pelops.
- Served by priest Triptolemus.
- Thesmophoria festival honored her.

Olympian gods

Persephone - Ascalaphus revealed that she ate a pomegranate seed before returning to earth while being held captive by Hades.

- Picked lilies in in Sicily before abduction.
- turned Minthe into a mint plant.
- Raised Adonis.
- may have slept with Zeus to produce her daughter Melinoe.
- Mothered Zagreus

Olympian gods

Athena - mother Erichthonius after being raped by Hephaestus.

- Sprung from Zeus' head.
- Lost a weaving contest to Arachne.
- Disguised herself as Mentor to help Telemachus.
- Called "gray-eyed". Medusa's head is on her shield, the Aegis.
- Cast the vote to save Orestes.

Olympian gods

Aphrodite - had Glaucus' horses eat him for offending her.

- Diomedes wounds her in Trojan war.
- Affair with Anchises produced Aeneas
- Hephaestus used net to catch her sleeping with Ares.
- mother of Eros. lover of Adonis.
- worshipped at Cythera.
- Promised Paris Helen of Troy for being called the most beautiful.
- Mother of Harmonia.
- Owned a belt making the wearer irresistible.

Olympian gods

Ares - Heracles slew his son Cyncus.

- Hephaestus gave cursed necklace to his daughter with Aphrodite, Harmonia, whom with he also fathered Demos and Phobos.
- Acquitted of killing Halirrhothius after his daughter Alcippe was raped.
- Father of Romulus and Remus as well as Ismenian dragon which Cadmus killed.
- Turned Alectryon into a rooster.
- Captured by Otus and Ephialtes in a jar.
- Owned the Stymphalian birds.
- Wounded by Diomedes.

Olympian gods

Dionysus - his mother Semele was killed for asking to see Zeus' full glory, after which Zeus stitched him into his thigh.

- His followers were the Maenads who killed Pentheus.
- Pirates attempting to kidnap him were turned into dolphins.
- His other form of Zagreus was devoured by Titans, which caused the growing of pomegranate trees.
- Grandson of Cadmus and Harmonia.
- His companion Silenus asked him to give Midas the golden touch.
- Drove Lycurgus insane for trying to capture the Maenads.
- Went to India in the Dionysiaca.
- Replaced Hestia among the Twelve Olympians.
- Rescued Ariadne.
- Fathered Priapus with Aphrodite.
- Dedicattee of dithyrambs

Olympian gods

Artemis - born on Mt. Cynthus.

- sent the Calydonian boar after King Oeneus forgot to venerate her.
- Recused Althema from Alpheus.
- Agamemnon sacrificed Iphigenia to her.
- Struck the boastful Chione down.
- Actaeon was turned into a stag and devoured by his dogs for watching her bathe.
- The Ceryneian was sacred to her.
- Tricked Otus and Ephialtes into killing themselves.
- Zeus disguised himself as her to seduce Callisto.
- Killed daughters of Niobe.
- Cyclopes Brontes tried to rape her.
- Had a cult at Brauronia.

Heroes

Heracles - son of Zeus and Alcmene who performed the 12 labors after killing his wife Megara.

- helped Atlas steal apples from the Hesperides though tricked him into continuing to hold the earth.
- Husband of Hebe. killed his music teacher Linus.
- defeated a pair of snakes sent by Hera at birth.
- he travelled with the Argonauts where his friend Hylas was kidnapped.
- served Omphale while wearing women's clothes for killing Iphitos after Eurystus refused to give him Iole.
- killed the sons of Laomedon except for Priam for refusing to give him the reward of divine horses.

Heroes

Heracles -

- killed the Egyptian king Busiris.
- wrestled the river god Achelous to marry Deianira who gave him a poisoned shirt given to her by Nessus after he slayed him.
- Wrestled Thanatos to save Alcestis.
- Mocked by the Cercopes.
- Gave his arrows to Philoctetes.
- Freed Prometheus.

Heroes

Theseus - Ariadne helped him slay the Minotaur where he laid a piece of string in the labyrinth to find his way out.

- His father Aegeus, King of Athens put sandals under a rock that he found after performing six labors including killing Procrustes by dismembering him, and killing Sinis and Sciron.
- Aegeus later killed himself after Theseus forget to change the sail.
- Heracles rescued him but not Pirithous from the Chair of Forgetfulness in Hades after they tried to kidnap Helen and Persephone.
- Castor and Pollux kidnapped his mother.
- Fathered Melanippus with Perigune and Acamas with Phaedra.
- Thrown off of a cliff by Lycomedes.

Heroes

Theseus -

- Asked Poseidon to kill his son Hippolytus.
- Killed the Marathonian bull and the Pallantides.
- Medea almost tricked Aegeus into giving him a poisoned drink.
- Killed Eurytus in the Centauromachy.
- slew the Crommyonian sow

Heroes

Perseus - conceived when his mother Danae is impregnated by Zeus as golden shower.

- Grandfather Acrisius attempts to kill him by putting him in a chest to avoid a prophecy, but he accidentally kills Acrisius with a discus.
- Slew the Gorgon Medusa on the order of Polydectes (whom he kills) with Athena's shield, Hermes sandals, and Hades' invisibility cap.
- Husband of Andromeda.
- Raised by the fisherman Dictys on Seriphos.
- Steals the eye of the Graeae to find the Hesperides.
- kills the monster Cetus in Ethiopia and takes Cepheus as his wife.
- Father of Electryon.
- Traded kingdoms with Megapenthes.

Heroes

Jason - led the Argonauts to capture the Golden fleece (owned by King Aetes of Colchis) on the order of his usurping brother Pelias of Thessaly.

- Fathered kids with Hypsipyle on Lemnos.
- Phineas told him to send a dove through the Symplegades.
- Married Medea who helped him plow a field with fire breathing oxen, plant dragon's teeth, and kill the warriors that sprung from the ground.
- On the way back, Orpheus outsang the Sirens.
- When in Corinth, he married Glauce, whom Medea gave a poisoned dress, and then killed Apsyrtus.
- He wore a single sandal after losing one in a river while helping a disguised Hera.

Heroes

Odysseus - He kills Polyphemus after visiting the Lotus Eaters and stays with Circe for helping him get past the Laestrygonians.

- Tiresias tells him to avoid the cattle of Helios while he's in the underworld.
- Crew eats the cattle of Helios on Thrinacia and gets stuck with Calypso for 7 years.
- He tells his story to King Alcinous and then gets home to Ithaca, where he kills the suitors of Penelope with Telemachus.
- Him and Ajax fight for Achilles armor.
- Kills King of Rhesus with Diomedes.
- One leg of his bed is an olive tree.

Heroes

Odysseus -

- Hermes gives him moly to escape Circe and warns about Scylla and Charybdis.
- Palamedes threw Telemachus in front of his plow to prove he was feigning madness.
- Killed by his son Telegonus whom he had with Circe.

Heroes

Aeneas - son of Aphrodite and Anchises.

- Nearly killed by Diomedes before being taken away by Aphrodite while his charioteer Pandarus is killed.
- Survived sack of Troy, fled to Carthage where he married Dido who killed herself.
- He killed Turnus of Rutuli in a fight for Lavinia after Turnus took the belt of Pallas.
- Fathered Ascanius, who founded Alba Longa and prophesied with Creusa.
- Killed Lausus, angering Mezentius.
- His descendent Brutus founded England while his descendants Romulus and Remus founded Rome.
- Found the Golden Bough to descend to the underworld.
- Wet nurse was Caieta.

Trojan War

- King Priam's prophecy.
- Judgment of Paris at wedding
- Greek's going to Troy and plague
- Achilles feud with Agamemnon
- Patroclus' death
- Achilles rage and slaying of Hector
- Philoctetes
- Destruction of Troy
- Aeneas