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current scholarly theories this volume will serve as an excellent companion to any introduction to greek mythology showing a side of the greek gods to which most students are rarely exposed detailed enough to be used as a quick reference tool or text and providing a readable account focusing on the oldest most widespread and most interesting religious practices of the ancient greek world in the archaic and classical periods ancient greek cults surveys ancient greek religion through the cults of its gods and goddesses heroes and heroines jennifer larson conveniently summarizes a vast amount of material in many languages normally inaccessible to undergrad students and explores in detail the variety of cults celebrated by the greeks how these cults differed geographically and how each deity was conceptualized in local cult titles and rituals including an introductory chapter on sources and methods and suggestions for further reading this book will allow readers to gain a fresh perspective on greek religion gregory nagy here provides a far reaching assessment of the relationship between myth and ritual in ancient greek society nagy illuminates in particular the forces of interaction and change that transformed the indo european linguistic and cultural heritage into distinctly greek social institutions between the eighth and the fifth centuries b c included in the volume are thirteen of nagy s major essays all extensively revised for book publication on various aspects of the hellenization of indo european poetics myth and ritual and social ideology the primary aim of this book is to examine the greek language as a reflection of society with special attention to its function as a vehicle for transmitting mythology and poetics nagy s emphasis on the language of the greeks and on its comparison with the testimony of related indo european languages such as latin indic and hittite reflects his long standing interest in indo european

linguistics the individual chapters examine the development of hellenic poetics in the traditions of homer and hesiod the hellenization of indo european myths and rituals including myths of the afterlife rituals of fire and symbols in the greek lyric and the hellenization of indo european social ideology with reference to such cultural institutions as the concept of the city state a path breaking application of the principles of social anthropology comparative mythology historical linguistics and oral poetry theory to the study of classics greek mythology and poetics will be an invaluable resource for classicists and other scholars of linguistics and literary theory a full authoritative and wholly engaging account of these endlessly fascinating tales and of the ancient society in which they were created greek myths are among the most complex and influential stories ever told from the first millennium bc until today the myths have been repeated in an inexhaustible series of variations and reinterpretations they can be found in the latest movies and television shows and in software for interactive computer games this book combines a retelling of greek myths with a comprehensive account of the world in which they developed their themes their relevance to greek religion and society and their relationship to the landscape contexts sources meanings describes the main literary and artistic sources for greek myths and their contexts such as ritual and theater myths of origin includes stories about the beginning of the cosmos the origins of the gods the first humans and the founding of communities the olympians power honor sexuality examines the activities of all the main divinities heroic exploits concentrates on the adventures of perseus jason herakles and other heroes family sagas explores the dramas and catastrophes that befall heroes and heroines a landscape of myths sets the stories within the context of the mountains

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and rome is full of unforgettable stories all the stories of the greek tragedies oedipus medea antigone are there all the events of the trojan wars and of odysseus and aeneas epic journeys the founding of athens and of rome these are the strangest tales of love war betrayal and heroism ever told and while brilliantly retelling them this book shows how they echo through the works of much later writers from chaucer and shakespeare to camus and ted hughes full of attractive illustrations and laid out in eighteen clear chapters the titles include dangerous women and heroes dr jennifer march has written a fascinating quide to the myths of classical civilization that is as readable as a novel a collection of greek myths for children a survey of the religious beliefs of ancient greece covers sacrifices libations purification gods heroes the priesthood oracles festivals and the afterlife in ancient greek society communication was largely oral and visual the contributors explore the ways in which word and image interact in greek culture throwing new light on their many and related functions the greeks in dr johnson s phrase shock the mind by ascribing effects to non entity the culture of ancient greece was thronged with personifications in poetry and the visual arts personified figures of what might seem abstractions claim our attention this study examines the logic the psychology and the practice of greeks who worshipped these personifications with temples and sacrifices and addressed them with hymns and prayers emma stafford conducts case studies of deified abstractions such as peitho persuasion eirene peace and hygieia health she also considers general questions of greek psychology such as why so many of these figures were female modern scholars have asked did the greeks believe their own myths this study contributes importantly to the debate by exploring widespread and creative popular theology in the historical period this is

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<u>Mitos griegos / Greek Myths</u>

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desde el olimpo zeus vigila atento al bribón de hermes mientras en la tierra el valiente perseo logra derrotar a medusa con la ayuda de atenea dioses y héroes de los grandes mitos griegos se entremezclan en estas pequeñas historias para derrotar a los monstruos más espantosos english description from mount olympus zeus watches over hermes the rascal meanwhile on earth the brave perseus manages to defeat medusa with athena s help gods and heroes of the great greek mythology intermingle in these little stories to defeat the most frightening monsters

Mitos Griegos

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this book presents 16 greek myths including pandora s box king midas and jason and the golden fleece the colorful illustrations abound in this oversized anthology

The Complete World of Greek Mythology

2011

publisher description from the first millennium bc onwards greek myths have been

repeated in an inexhaustible series of variations and reinterpretations nowadays they can be found in film television and computer games this book combines a retelling of greek myths with a comprehensive account of the world in which they developed throughout the author draws upon the latest research into ancient greek story telling presenting the material in an attractive accessible and authoritative style

Structure and History in Greek Mythology and Ritual

1982-11-08

tantalizingly rich this is a splendid book greece and rome burken relegates his learned documentation to the notes and writes in a lively and fluent style the book is recommended as a major contribution to the interpretation of ancient greek myth and ritual the breadth alone of burkert s learning renders his book indispensable classical outlook impressive founded on a striking knowledge of the complex evidence literary epigraphical archaeological comparative for this extensive subject burkert offers a rare combination of exact scholarship with imagination and even humor a brilliant book in which the reader can see at every point what is going on in the author s mind and that is never uninteresting and rarely unimportant times literary supplement burkert s work is of such magnitude and depth that it may even contribute to that most difficult of tasks defining myth ritual and religion he locates his work in the context of culture and the history of ideas and he is not hesitant to draw on sociology and biology consequently his work is of significance for

philosophers historians and even theologians as well as for classicists and historians of greek culture his hypotheses are courageous and his conclusions are bold both establish standards for methodology as well as results religious studies review

The Complete World of Greek Mythology (The Complete Series)

2004-06-28

a full authoritative and wholly engaging account of these endlessly fascinating tales and of the ancient society in which they were created greek myths are among the most complex and influential stories ever told from the first millennium bc until today the myths have been repeated in an inexhaustible series of variations and reinterpretations they can be found in the latest movies and television shows and in software for interactive computer games this book combines a retelling of greek myths with a comprehensive account of the world in which they developed their themes their relevance to greek religion and society and their relationship to the landscape contexts sources meanings describes the main literary and artistic sources for greek myths and their contexts such as ritual and theater myths of origin includes stories about the beginning of the cosmos the origins of the gods the first humans and the founding of communities the olympians power honor sexuality examines the activities of all the main divinities heroic exploits concentrates on the adventures of perseus jason herakles and other heroes family sagas explores the

dramas and catastrophes that befall heroes and heroines a landscape of myths sets the stories within the context of the mountains caves seas and rivers of greece crete troy and the underworld greek myths after the greeks describes the rich tradition of retelling from the romans through the renaissance to the twenty first century complemented by lavish illustrations genealogical tables box features and specially commissioned drawings this will be an essential book for anyone interested in these classic tales and in the world of the ancient greeks

D'Aulaires Book of Greek Myths

1962-09-19

i doubt i would have grown up to be the writer and artist i became had i not fallen in love with d aulaire s book of greek myths at the age of seven r j palacio author of wonder kids can lose themselves in a world of myth and magic while learning important cultural history in this beloved classic collection of greek mythology now updated with a new cover and an afterword featuring never before published drawings from the sketchbook of ingri and edgar d aulaire plus an essay about their life and work and photos from the family achive in print for over fifty years d aulaires book of greek myths has introduced generations to greek mythology and continues to enthrall young readers here are the greats of ancient greece gods and goddesses heroes and monsters as freshly described in words and pictures as if they were alive today no other volume of greek mythology has inspired as many young readers as this timeless classic both adults and children alike will find this book a treasure for

years to come

Ancient Greek Cults

2007 - 05 - 07

using archaeological epigraphic and literary sources and incorporating current scholarly theories this volume will serve as an excellent companion to any introduction to greek mythology showing a side of the greek gods to which most students are rarely exposed detailed enough to be used as a quick reference tool or text and providing a readable account focusing on the oldest most widespread and most interesting religious practices of the ancient greek world in the archaic and classical periods ancient greek cults surveys ancient greek religion through the cults of its gods and goddesses heroes and heroines jennifer larson conveniently summarizes a vast amount of material in many languages normally inaccessible to undergrad students and explores in detail the variety of cults celebrated by the greeks how these cults differed geographically and how each deity was conceptualized in local cult titles and rituals including an introductory chapter on sources and methods and suggestions for further reading this book will allow readers to gain a fresh perspective on greek religion

Greek Mythology and Poetics

2018-09-05

gregory nagy here provides a far reaching assessment of the relationship between myth and ritual in ancient greek society nagy illuminates in particular the forces of interaction and change that transformed the indo european linguistic and cultural heritage into distinctly greek social institutions between the eighth and the fifth centuries b c included in the volume are thirteen of nagy s major essays all extensively revised for book publication on various aspects of the hellenization of indo european poetics myth and ritual and social ideology the primary aim of this book is to examine the greek language as a reflection of society with special attention to its function as a vehicle for transmitting mythology and poetics nagy s emphasis on the language of the greeks and on its comparison with the testimony of related indo european languages such as latin indic and hittite reflects his long standing interest in indo european linguistics the individual chapters examine the development of hellenic poetics in the traditions of homer and hesiod the hellenization of indo european myths and rituals including myths of the afterlife rituals of fire and symbols in the greek lyric and the hellenization of indo european social ideology with reference to such cultural institutions as the concept of the city state a path breaking application of the principles of social anthropology comparative mythology historical linguistics and oral poetry theory to the study of classics greek mythology and poetics will be an invaluable resource for classicists and other scholars of linguistics and literary theory

Complete World of Greek Mythology

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A Handbook of Greek Mythology, Including Its Extension to Rome

2013-10

this is a new release of the original 1929 edition

Classical Mythology A to Z

2020 - 10 - 06

an encyclopedic a to z guide this beautifully illustrated volume offers hundreds of rich fascinating definitions of 700 major and minor characters creatures and places of classical mythology classical mythology a to z is a comprehensive and engrossing guide to greek and roman mythology written by annette giesecke phd professor of classics and chair of ancient greek and roman studies at the university of delaware this brilliant reference offers clear explanations of every character and locale and captures the essence of these timeless tales from the gods and goddesses of mount olympus and the heroes of the trojan war to the nymphs monsters and other mythical creatures that populate these ancient stories giesecke recounts with clarity and energy the details of more than 700 characters and places each definition includes cross references to related characters locations and myths as well their equivalent in roman mythology and cult in addition to being an important standalone work classical mythology a to z is also written designed and illustrated to serve as an

essential companion to the bestselling illustrated 75th anniversary edition of mythology by edith hamilton including 10 full color plates and 2 color illustrations throughout by artist jim tierney

Ingri and Edgar Parin D'Aulaire's Book of Greek Myths

1962

for any child fortunate enough to have this generous book the kings and heroes of ancient legend will remain forever matter of fact the pictures interpret the text literally and are full of detail and witty observation horn book the drawings are excellent and excitingly evocative the new york times

Did the Greeks Believe in Their Myths?

1988-06-15

an examination of greek mythology and a discussion about how religion and truth have evolved throughout time

A Handbook of Greek Mythology

this book greatly enhances our knowledge of the interrelationship of greek religion culture and the ancient near east by offering important analyses of greek myths divinities and terms like magic and paradise but also of the greek contribution to the christian notion of atonement

Greek Religion and Culture, the Bible and the Ancient Near East

2008-04-30

this collection offers a fresh look at the nature and development of the greek gods in the period from homer until late antiquity the greek gods are still very much present in modern consciousness although apollo and dionysos artemis and aphrodite zeus and hermes are household names it is much less clear what these divinities meant and stood for in ancient greece in fact they have been very much neglected in modern scholarship bremmer and erskine bring together a team of international scholars with the aim of remedying this situation and generating new approaches to the nature and development of the greek gods in the period from homer until late antiquity the gods of ancient greece looks at individual gods but also asks to what extent cult myth and literary genre determine the nature of a divinity and presents a synchronic and diachronic view of the gods as they functioned in greek culture until the triumph of christianity

Gods of Ancient Greece

2010-07-30

a collection of myths relating the exploits and adventures of the gods and heroes of ancient greece

Dioses y héroes griegos

1983

reconstructs the mythological histories of the divinities and the origin and destiny of mankind from ancient writings and artifacts

The Gods of the Greeks

1960

the figures and events of classical myths underpin our culture and the constellations named after them fill the night sky whether it s the raging minotaur trapped in the cretan labyrinth or the twelve labours of hercules aphrodite s birth from the waves or zeus visiting danae as a shower of gold the mythology of greece and rome is full of unforgettable stories all the stories of the greek tragedies oedipus medea antigone are there all the events of the trojan wars and of odysseus

and aeneas epic journeys the founding of athens and of rome these are the strangest tales of love war betrayal and heroism ever told and while brilliantly retelling them this book shows how they echo through the works of much later writers from chaucer and shakespeare to camus and ted hughes full of attractive illustrations and laid out in eighteen clear chapters the titles include dangerous women and heroes dr jennifer march has written a fascinating guide to the myths of classical civilization that is as readable as a novel

Handbook of Greek Mythology

1998

a collection of greek myths for children

The Penguin Book of Classical Myths

2009 - 10 - 27

a survey of the religious beliefs of ancient greece covers sacrifices libations purification gods heroes the priesthood oracles festivals and the afterlife

A handbook of Greek mythology

in ancient greek society communication was largely oral and visual the contributors explore the ways in which word and image interact in greek culture throwing new light on their many and related functions

Dictionary of Greek and Roman Biography and Mythology

1846

the greeks in dr johnson s phrase shock the mind by ascribing effects to non entity the culture of ancient greece was thronged with personifications in poetry and the visual arts personified figures of what might seem abstractions claim our attention this study examines the logic the psychology and the practice of greeks who worshipped these personifications with temples and sacrifices and addressed them with hymns and prayers emma stafford conducts case studies of deified abstractions such as peitho persuasion eirene peace and hygieia health she also considers general questions of greek psychology such as why so many of these figures were female modern scholars have asked did the greeks believe their own myths this study contributes importantly to the debate by exploring widespread and creative popular theology in the historical period

Mitos griegos para niños

this is the first book to show that the worship of heroines as well as of gods and heroes was widespread in the greek world from the eighth through the fourth centuries b c drawing upon textual archaeological and iconographic evidence as diverse as ancient travel writing ritual calendars votive reliefs and euripidean drama jennifer larson demonstrates the pervasiveness of heroine cults at every level of athenian society larson reveals that a broad range of heroic cults existed throughout the greek world encompassing not only individuals but couples pelops and hippodameia alexandra and agamemnon helen and menelaos and families such as those of asklepios and the dioskouroi she shows how heroic cults reinforced the greeks gender expectations for both women and men through ritual status iconography and narrative motifs finally larson looks at the intersection of heroine cults with specific topics such as myths of maiden sacrifice the amazons the role of the goddess artemis and folk beliefs about female ghosts

Greek Religion

1985

D'Aulaire's Book of Greek Myths

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Greek Heroine Cults

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