



The Lion



The Hydra



The Hind



The Boar



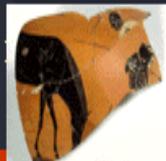
The Stables



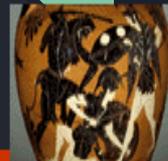
The Birds



The Bull



The Horses



The Belt



The Cattle



The Apples



Cerberus

The 12 Labours of Hercules

From the lion to the bull

The Lion

This nemean lion was so tough that an arrow couldn't make a piercing in it's skin. Somehow, Hercules grabbed it round the neck and straggled it until the lion took his last breath some people say that he skinned the lion with the beasts claws.





The Boar

The people of Mount Erymanthus shake in their boots when they hear of the boar but Hercules would do these twelve Labours whatever that might be. So he chased the wild boar up the towering mountain into a snow drift. He then took it in a net and brought to the King Eurystheus, who was frightened of the beast, so put him in a huge bronze jar.

The Hydra

*THIS EVIL SNAKE LIKE HYDRA HAD NINE HEADS AND IF ONE HAD BEEN SLICED OFF ANOTHER TWO WOULD APPEAR. HERCULES QUICKLY SLICED OFF THE HEADS WHILE HIS CHARIOTEER LOLUAS SEALED THE WOUNDS WITH A TORCH. HE MADE HIS ARROWS POISONOUS BY DIPPING THEM IN HYDRA'S **BLOOD**.*



The Ceryneian

The Goddess Artemis loved and protected this stubborn little deer which had grown gold horns.

Hercules found it a challenge to capture the delicate hind without hurting it (or making Artemis angry). After years of following the hind he safely carried it away.



The Gold Apples

The Hesperides were nymphs in their garden grew golden apples protected by a dragon with one hundred heads. Hercules struck a bargain with Atlas who held up the Earth. Hercules shouldered the Earth while Atlas, the nymphs Father took the apples.

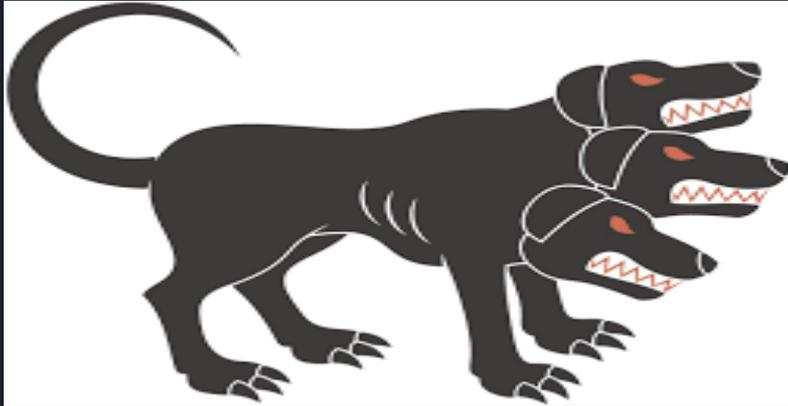


The Cattle

A winged monster called Geryon who had three human bodies had a herd of beautiful red cattle, he guarded his prized herd with the help of a giant and a vigorous two headed dog. Hercules killed Geryon the giant and the dog and brought the cattle to the king Eurystheus.



The Cerberus



HERCULES WAS ORDERED TO CAPTURE CERBERUS, THE THREE-HEADED GUARD DOG OF THE UNDERWORLD, UNABLE TO USE WEAPONS. HERCULES WRESTLED DOWN THE DOG'S UNTAMED HEADS, AND IT AGREED TO GO WITH HIM TO THE KING. CERBERUS WAS SOON REUNITED UNHARMED TO THE UNDERWORLD

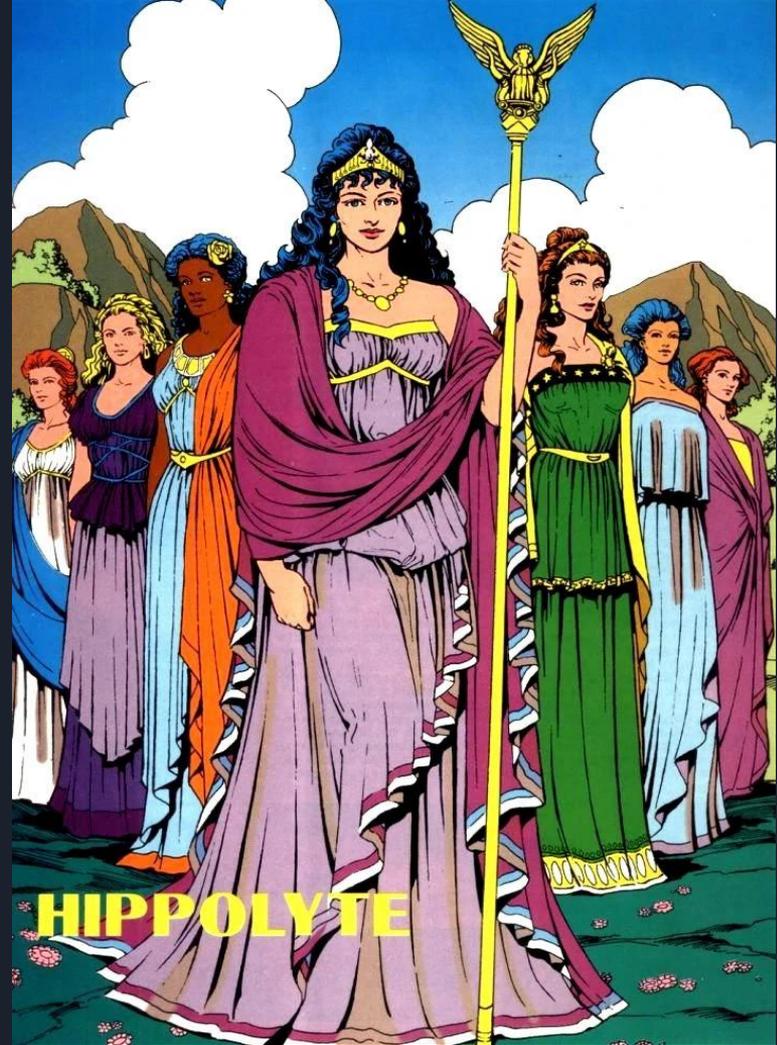
The Horses

*King Diomedes, leader of the Bistones, fed his **BLOOD** thirsty horses on human flesh. Hercules and his men fought and killed King Diomedes and fed the king to his horses. This made the horses tame enough, so that Hercules was able to lead them to King Eurystheus*



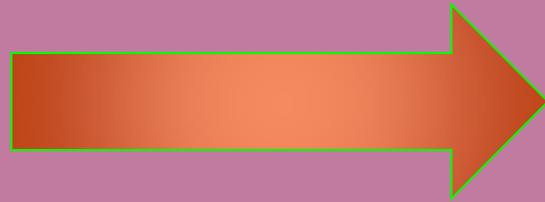
Hippolyte

Hercules went to the land of the Amazons, where the queen welcomed him and agreed to give him her girdle for Eurystheus daughter. But Hera spread the rumor that Hercules came as an enemy. In the end he had to conquer the Amazons and steal the golden belt.



Kill the Birds

*These murderous birds lived around Lake Stymphalos. Their claws and beaks were sharp as knives and they flew at the speed of light. Hercules scared them out of their nests and then killed them with the poison arrows he had made from the Hydra's **blood**.*



EVIL





Clean the stables

Thousands of millions of cows lived in these stables belonging to King Augeas. He had not cleaned them in over 30 years, but Hercules was told to clean them completely in a single day. To do so he made two winding rivers bend so that they flowed into the stables, sweeping out all the filth.



THE BULL

THIS SAVAGE BULL, KEPT BY KING MINOS OF CRETE, WAS SAID TO BE HAZARDOUS AND INSANE. HERCULES WRESTLED THE MAD BEAST TO THE FLOOR AND BROUGHT IT BACK TO KING EURYSTHEUS. UNFORTUNATELY, THE KING SET IT FREE, AND FOREVER MORE CAUSING TERROR WHEREVER IT WENT.

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