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A long time ago, classical mythology served to explain natural phenomena, charter for how civilians should carry themselves, and provided the people's understanding of their origins and history. In today's day and age though, strategic line patterns and epithets that taught future generations how the people back then felt have been replaced with something a little less "classical":funny social media and its memes. Now, Twitter and Facebook hold biased secrets about how we feel and view the world today. For my creative project I tried to find combinations of some of things we know about classical myths and the memes today. The first two I found online. The last three I made myself.



1.

In Hesiod's Theogony, Ouranus tries his best to be a good father– by ironically disrespecting his earth goddess wife and eating his children– so his wife and kids scheme to kill him.

Thing: *can give birth*

Zeus:



2. In myth after myth, Zeus proves that he doesn't really have a "type". As long as the woman (more like a vessel to this guy) can have a child, Zeus is prepared to have sex with her. And as a result, Zeus has over fifty children

 In Hymn to Aphrodite, the goddess goes against her strict morals and crosses the boundary between humans and gods by having a child with a Trojan warrior. The warrior doesn't know anything except the fact that he's beautiful before waking the next morning with a lifetime of regret.

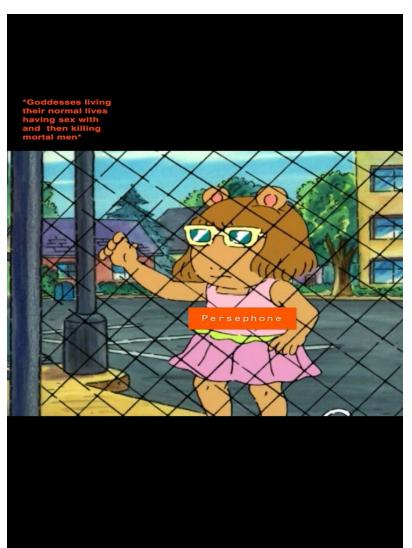
Anchises after waking up to a goddess after the best sex of his life



4. In *Eumenides,* Athena, a goddess who was born from a man acts as a judge in Athen's first murder case. A woman gets killed and instead of persecuting her murderer Athena decides that a woman's life means nothing when compared to a a man's life.



5. Throughout mythology, Greek goddesses live better lives than most human women; they're able to have sex with mortal men and kill them afterward, they control certain elements of life and they're rarely forced to be tied down to one man's needs during their existence. Persephone on the other hand, is forced to be a wife in the underworld; she misses out on all the fun of being a goddess and



the worst part is that her husband whom she has sex with is her uncle. NASTY