

REGIONAL LATIN FORUM 2007
MYTHOLOGY

1. Greek leader who angered Achilles by refusing to return Chryseis to her father:
a. Agamemnon b. Diomedes c. Menelaus d. Odysseus
2. According to Hesiod, ___ was born from the foam of the sea.
a. Aphrodite b. Doris c. Leucothea d. Tethys
3. Which of the following was NOT a son of Priam?
a. Aeneas b. Deiphobus c. Helenus d. Paris
4. Which deity carried a trident?
a. Zeus b. Apollo c. Hades d. Poseidon
5. The security system of the Garden of the Hesperides:
a. Titon b. Ladon c. Python d. Typhon
6. The bull which Theseus captured and sacrificed to Athena originally came from
a. Arcadia. b. Marathon. c. Crete. d. Tiryns.
7. Odysseus lost 11 of his 12 ships as a result of his encounter with
a. the Ciconians. b. Helios. c. the Laestrygonians. d. Scylla and Charybdis.
8. Who rescued Danae and Perseus by catching their chest in his net?
a. Oenomaus b. Cepheus c. Polydectes d. Dictys
9. The youngest Titan was
a. Themis b. Hyperion c. Cronos d. Rhea
10. Demeter tried to immortalize Demophon by
a. cutting him to pieces. b. burning him.
c. using a magic potion. d. feeding him ambrosia.
11. Who urged Orestes to avenge the death of their father?
a. Chrysothemis b. Electra c. Iphigeneia d. Erigone
12. Adonis was killed by
a. Aphrodite. b. Persephone. c. a boar. d. a lion.
13. Which Muse was the mother of Orpheus?
a. Calliope b. Erato c. Melpomene d. Polyhymnia
14. Next to Odysseus, ___ was the last of the Greeks to reach his home.
a. Diomedes b. Menelaus c. Nestor d. Pyrrhus

15. The plough, rake, bridle, numbers and navigation were invented by
a. Athena. b. Demeter. c. Prometheus. d. Poseidon.
16. Echo was a
a. Dryad. b. Naiad. c. Oceanid. d. Oread.
17. Who challenged Memnon over the body of Nestor's son Antilochus?
a. Achilles b. Diomedes c. Menelaus d. Odysseus
18. ____ got the Fates drunk in order to make a deal that would allow Admetus to escape death.
a. Heracles b. Jason c. Dionysus d. Apollo
19. Which of the following was married to Megara?
a. Perseus b. Theseus c. Jason d. Heracles
20. Eurystheus had Heracles obtain the belt of Hippolyta as a gift for
a. Admete. b. Antimache. c. Hera. d. Hesione.
21. The death of the inventor of the saw, compass, and potter's wheel resulted in the exile of
a. Cocalus b. Daedalus c. Minos d. Talus
22. The last victim of the man-eating turtle in the Saronic gulf was
a. Cercyon. b. Lycomedes. c. Sciron. d. Periphetes.
23. Philomela revealed the crimes of Tereus to her sister Procne with
a. a letter. b. a painting. c. sign language. d. a robe.
24. Who traveled to the Underworld to beg for the life of Eurydice?
a. Aeneas b. Orpheus c. Heracles d. Odysseus
25. Oedipus sent ____ to Delphi to find out the cause of the plague.
a. Creon b. Menoeceus c. Polyneices d. Teiresias
26. When Icarius introduced wine to his neighbors, he was accompanied by his ____, who committed suicide after revealing his murder.
a. brother b. wife c. dog d. horse
27. Iasus exposed Atalanta on Mt. Parthenium because he desired to
a. save his kingdom. b. avoid Hera's wrath. c. appease Artemis. d. have a son.
28. Medusa was the only mortal member of the
a. Fates. b. Gorgons. c. Graiae. d. Furies.

29. Which Greek wounded Ares so severely that he complained to Zeus about the pain?
a. Ajax b. Achilles c. Diomedes d. Odysseus
30. The mother of Asclepius:
a. Aphrodite b. Hebe c. Semele d. Coronis
31. During the Trojan War, both Orthryoneus and Coroebus sought the hand of
a. Cassandra. b. Helen. c. Laodice. d. Polyxena.
32. Aeneas' ships were made on Mt. Ida from the sacred pine trees of
a. Cybele. b. Diana. c. Jupiter. d. Silvanus.
33. Orchamus buried his daughter Leucothoe alive because of the jealousy of
a. Aphrodite. b. Beroe. c. Clytie. d. Hecate.
34. Odysseus was buried in _____, the home of Telegonus.
a. Aeaea b. Ithaca c. Ogygia d. Sicily
35. ____ often fought side by side with his half-brother Ajax of Salamis by darting out from behind Ajax's shield to shoot arrows.
a. Ajax of Locris b. Philoctetes c. Phoenix d. Teucer
36. Who could steal anything he touched by changing its color or shape?
a. Autolycus b. Pandareus c. Sisyphus d. Tantalus
37. Which of the following was NOT one of the labors of Heracles
a. capture Cerberus. b. kill the Minotaur. c. kill the Hydra. d. capture the Erymanthian boar.
38. The musical instrument invented by Apollo:
a. flute b. lyre c. syrinx d. cithara
39. Place in the correct order the men with whom Andromache lived.
a. Hector, Eetion, Neoptolemus, Helenus b. Eetion, Hector, Neoptolemus, Helenus
c. Helenus, Neoptolemus, Eetion, Hector d. Neoptolemus, Hector, Helenus, Eetion
40. Where was Anchises buried?
a. Troy b. Carthage c. Sicily d. Crete
41. Who reassured the Argonauts after they abandoned Heracles by telling them that it was the will of Zeus that he not complete the journey to Colchis with them?
a. Hera b. Medea c. Phineas d. Glaucus
42. The servant of Hephaestus, who guided the blind Orion to the east:
a. Cedalion b. Iolaus c. Poeas d. Helius

43. What did Athena take from the giant Pallas, after she killed him in the battle between the gods and the giants?
a. his head b. his skin c. his shield d. his sword
44. Who was punished by the goddess Leto for bragging about the number of her children?
a. Arachne b. Callisto c. Niobe d. Io
45. Broteas, driven mad by Artemis, died by
a. throwing himself into fire. b. being devoured by dogs.
c. being shot by a poisonous arrow. d. throwing himself off a cliff.
46. Who was unable to aid Turnus because he was plagued with problems caused by Aphrodite?
a. Aventinus b. Diomedes c. Lausus d. Mezentius
47. How did Pelops win the hand of Hippodameia?
a. archery contest b. foot race c. boxing d. chariot race
48. The blood of the castrated Uranus produced all of the following EXCEPT the
a. Erinyes. b. Giants. c. Meliae. d. Titans.
49. The Roman goddess of fruit trees:
a. Larentia b. Pomona c. Fauna d. Juventas
50. Which of the following did NOT become a constellation?
a. Amalthea b. Andromeda c. Callisto d. Clytie