Section I: Myths in Art

Identify the Title of the piece and the artist and the mythological figure/event depicted, bonus points for all 3

1.
Creation Myth Slits

Name the culture that the myth comes from. You will get more points for being more specific (ex. saying from Tonga gets you more points than saying Pacific Island)

6. In the beginning, all was darkness and earth in a great tangle.
   Ka-ro-ra lay asleep at the bottom of Il-ba-lint-ja. Covering him was a red-soil. It was red with flowers and overhanging kinds.
   A great, decorated pole sprang from the ground. It stood atop the ground of Illbalintja. The pole reached up to the heavens. The pole's head lay at the root of it where he was at the beginning.
   Karora was thinking: wishes and dreams. Bandicoots, those large rats, stood on the ground and from his armpits. And they leaped and burst into life.
   The dawn appeared. The sun rose with everything with light.

7. The space of the universe was a great sphere. Within the egg was a great sphere. No thing was something that did not develop, and it was called nothing.
   In no time, Phan Ku burst from the egg. He was the Great Creator. Phan Ku was tall.
   Hair grew all over Phan Ku. He had long hair and tusks jutted from his jaw. In one hand was the hoe he carved out the world.
   Phan Ku separated sky from earth. The sky was yang, and the heavy, dark weight of the earth was yin. Phan Ku himself filled the space between the sky and earth.
   He chiseled out earth’s rivers; it was easy for him to layer the mud and lift it upon high.
   Then Phan Ku placed the stars in the sky.

8. Plea and the Swift. Their teeth were sharp and they were skilled in destruction and in the Cloak of Terror, Marduk split Tiamat, a charm held firmly in his lips, on his left hand. Behind him, but at a distance of the Amunaki. But as he threw the stone from side to side, and the Amunakai path a haze.
   He uttered a terrible spell and howled he held her with his secret weapon the jiva, the spear. You have risen against us, and given to us Aptra’s. It can never be hid! You seek therefore I challenge you to single combat. Tiamat heard this she went mad with rage and as she rushed upon him, casting aside her weapons. Marduk caught her open mouth to devour him, he canter his nine so that she could not close her mouth it was opened and her body swelled, and Marduk shot an arrow down her throat as fell, and Marduk mounted in triumph, exclaiming the battle until all her followers were all killed. He himself seized Kingu and loaded him on the battle. Marduk split Tiamat into two, and they made the sky and the earth to become the world of man. He caused the sun to shine at their proper times— the sun rose and laid down in a month.
In the beginning there was no land, only seawaving gull. Yet at the north of it was
island of absolute cold; and far to the south
region of fire, guarded by the fire-demon
Girenguragig. A second creature came into
it of frozen vapour. This was the cow called
cow made the great rivers of life which fed
the stones which were covered with
and from them grew Bar who was the father
a Giantess and so became the father of the
Ve.

In the beginning, God was W
heaven—spread not five feet
The God was very upset
between Him and earth. Th
his head against the Ge
An old woman was making a
pole kept knocking and poking
looking fires got into his eyes.

"I'll rise up a bit," thought W
And so He lifted the blue c
higher.

"There," He thought, "that's it.
But still, being so close to
useful. He became a perfect towel
used Him to wipe the dirty hands
who took a piece of clean blue to

"Ummmm," she mumbled.
Wulbari couldn't believe it--
Heaven—He being snuffed by the d

of underworld creatures. They pondered
in falling through the underworld. One	not hold her. She is too heavy.
She is sinking too fast," another said.
Sky Woman tumbled, her arms and
in the water, a slow-moving creature.
It was a large tortoise. "I am
drifty enough to bear her weight," he said.
shell soaked with mud and earth for
the waterfowl offered to help. Duck and
keep as they could, but they could not
Crawfish attempted the task. The pair
not tear him apart. But he reached down
drew up some clumps of mud. Through
the water until he found Turtle and
the mud on Turtle's back. Duck and
Turtle watched the woman plun
He positioned himself upon the
the head. Sky Woman, frightened, la
broad back. She breathed a sigh of rel
when she was fully rested, Sky Woman
circle upon Turtle's back. Turtle
became an island of earth. Seeds sprun
the back. The woman walked in w

of Sky brought a flood down on the
side to destroy them. And they were brok
houses of the wood ones, what was lea
animals of the forest, the First Creation.
small. They turned on the carved
and gnawed them and tore them an
animals told the wood ones, "You caused us pl
will eat what is left of you."

The Final Creation

true man's beginning and the search for
has come. Morning has come for pe
The thoughts of Maker came in ligh
towers were coming soon. And They, the All
that should make human flesh, and who
thought and thought, four animals ca

soma. Just then, he was spotted by new
Moon. They whispered to Vishnu of the cr
Gods rushed to the scene. Vishnu gazed a
demon the put the potion to his lips.

Just as the elixir of immortality began to
demon's head. The potion never made it to
but slipped out of his bloody severed gui
claim on immortality, Rahu's body crum
earth.

But still, Rahu's head and jagged nev
revenge. He unleashed his fury on Sun, a
who told Vishnu of his crime. To this di
around the sky. When he catches Sun or th
all the world sees an eclipse. But n
never hidden from our gaze for long, throu
through Rahu's rugged throat and back to
the sky.
Myths in Movies
Name the myth based movie advertised by each of these posters

15. [Poster Image]
16. [Poster Image]
17. [Poster Image]
18. [Poster Image]
Modern Myths

Answer the following questions about monomyth theory and created mythos from the 20th century or later.

23. What man was most famous for the development of monomyth theory?

24/25. Monomyth has two direct fathers in the field of what? Who were these men?

26/27. Star Wars was greatly inspired by which two monomyth texts?

28-30. Who were the three immortal rulers of Oz?

31. Neil Gaiman creates a new mythos in the modern world out of old mythologies and new ones in which of his recent novels?

32. Which book, imagined by H.P. Lovecraft, has become a staple in modern fantasy including the acclaimed Evil Dead series?

33. Which short story by H.P. Lovecraft has become the name and inspiration for an RPG series and various board games?

34. What type of being are the “wizards” of Middle Earth?
Rename the Planets!

Change the names of these celestial bodies to their Greek or Roman counterpart.

35. Mercury
36. Venus
37. Mars
38. Jupiter
39. Saturn
40. Uranus
41. Neptune
42. Pluto
Gods and creatures personals

43.
W4M- Looking for Love in Delos

I'm a virgin goddess who's always enjoys a good chase. I enjoy spending time outdoors in the forests and hills. I'm looking for someone to love- a serious relationship. If all you want is a one night stand don't bother responding because I am willing to fight to protect my maidenhood, and will hunt you down if you do anything to harm me.

Send me your pic and I'll send you mine.

44.
M4W- god looking for a little love on the side

First let me get this out of the way. I'm married so don't bother replying if that's going to bug you, but I just like getting a little action on the side.

Most people would agree that I'm a great guy and go out of my way to protect humankind. I also like to think that I'm pretty physically attractive ... And I've got a big hammer if you know what I mean

45.
M4W- Dying for Someone to Liven up my life

Hello there. I'm a highly respected god looking to liven up my life.

My appearance it a little odd, but I'd like to find someone who can look past that. I'm not looking for anything more than something of a platonic nature. I do have a lovely wife and daughter. I'd just like to have more lively female friends in my life. And don't think I won't know if you have cruel intentions- I have a lot of experience in judging people’s hearts and weighing their true motives.

Hope to hear from you soon

46.
M4W-Fly Away with Me on the Wind

How would you like to fly with me to the boundary of the earth and the sky? I can offer you all that and more.

My woman needs to be:

Smart- a carrier of knowledge like myself

A city girl- I love urban areas, all the culture and civilization

Don't bother responding if you are:
afraid of snakes
allergic to feathers

Also, please be decent at facial recognition. Let’s just say an old friend of mine mistook a certain conquistador for me, and things didn’t end well.

47.

W4M- Why settle for one pretty face when you can have six?

I was once a beautiful nymph, then Circe gave me, well a reverse makeover. But now there is even more of me to love. Despite my unusual looks, I always get my men, often six at a time.

As for my taste in men, I really like sailors.

So if you feel like your love life is stuck between a rock and a hard place you should sail your ship in my direction- what do you have to lose?
Wanted ads

Which hero answers the following wanted ads?

48.

Seek hero to dispose of bed stretcher

Hero needed to take care of neighbor who insists that travelers must fit perfectly into his bed and stretches them or cuts their legs until they do.

49.

Rescue adoptive father

Hero needed to rescue adoptive father who is the god of literature. Hero should be able to transform into dragon with tusks to complete task.

50.

Capture the Fenris Wolf

Wise and courageous hero needed to capture and bind the Fenris wolf.

51.

Kill Dragon

A dragon makes its nest at the spring that provides water to city of Silene and must be slayed to save the princess who is to be offered as a sacrifice.
Answer the following questions regarding Homeric writings and the various Great Floods of mythology.

52. The Iliad is named for what city’s ancient name and what was that name?

53. In the Greek account of the Flood, which generation of Man is responsible for invoking Zeus’s anger enough to cause the Flood?

54. The Mesopotamian account of the Flood is written about in this most famous Mesopotamian mythic account

55. We all know there were 2 of each animal on board the Ark, but how many humans were there?

56. Although we all know there were 2 of each animal on board the Ark, there were actually how many of the kosher animals?

57. In a terrifying, climactic scene in the novel/musical *Not Wanted On The Voyage*, which sea creatures are considered by Dr. Noyes to be pirates?

58. What did Eris write on the fateful fruit that indirectly caused the Trojan War?

59. Both the Iliad and Odyssey were written in what kind of metrical pattern?

60. Both the Iliad and Odyssey use what literary trope to begin the story?

61. The Iliad and Odyssey were originally sung by orators; these performances and now the text begin with what?

**Bonus**

62-65. Write your own short myth explaining why naked mole rats are naked. You will be judged on creativity and ability to make the judges laugh.