

Lesson 12

Apollo

Q: Why did so many Greeks and Romans like Apollo?

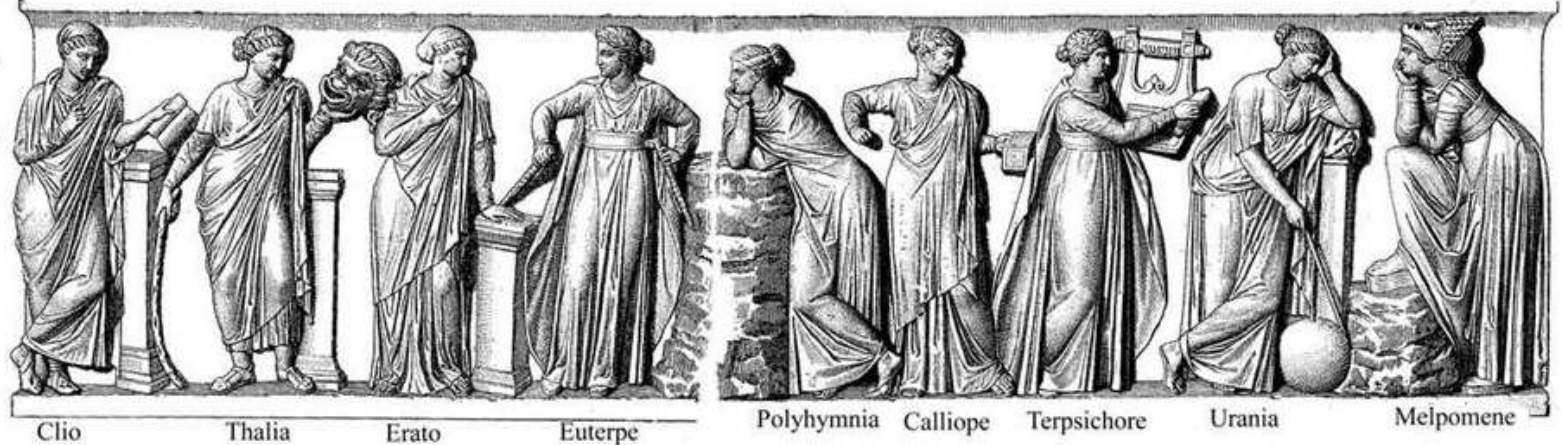
1. Apollo

Apollo was the radiant god of ...



2.

Muses



The **9 MUSES** were goddesses & daughters of **Zeus** and the Titaness **Mnemosyne (Memory)**. They spent their days singing and dancing, often with **Apollo**. They helped humans with the **arts** & **sciences** and inspired them to be **creative**.

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Apollo's Revenge!

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of the earth, on _____ and killed _____.



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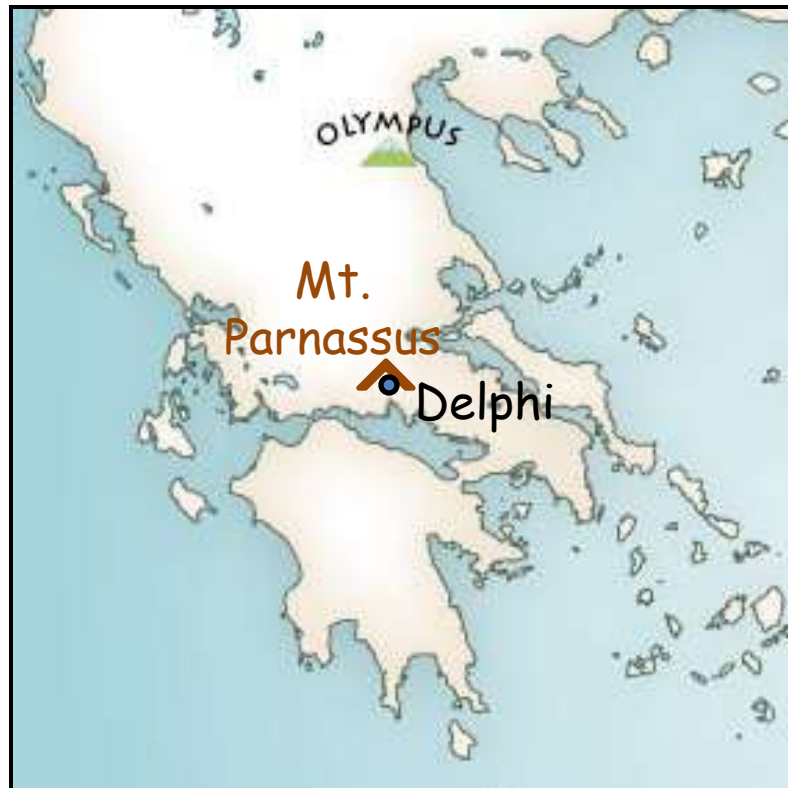
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Oracle at Delphi

the PYTHIA

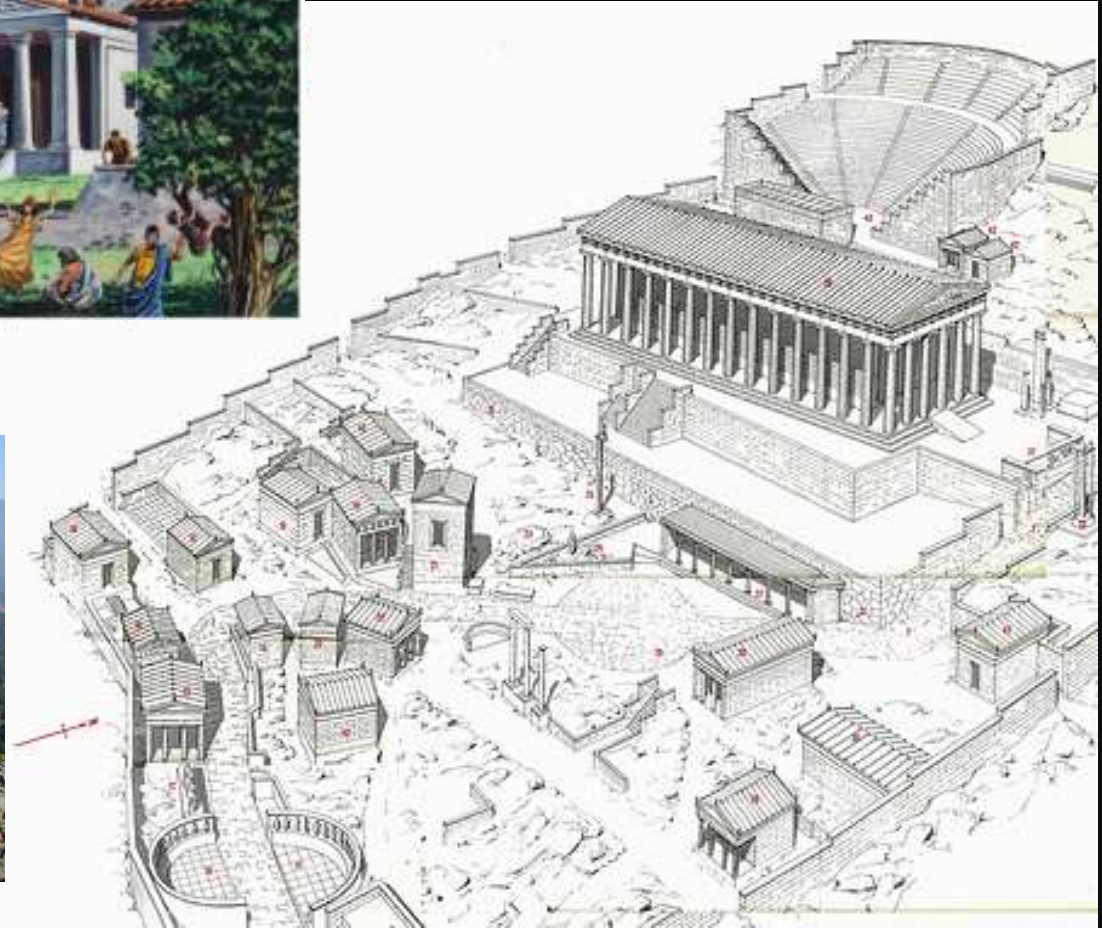


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What I've learned: Apollo was handsome & "inspiring."
