

A Brief History of the Greek Pantheon and Creation Myth

Rule of the Elder Gods (The Titans)

In the beginning **CHAOS** came to be or was. From the void came the Darkness (**EREBUS**), as well as Night (**NYX**) and her daughter Day (**HEMERA**). Attraction (**EROS**) kept these primordial forces together and shaped the Universe.

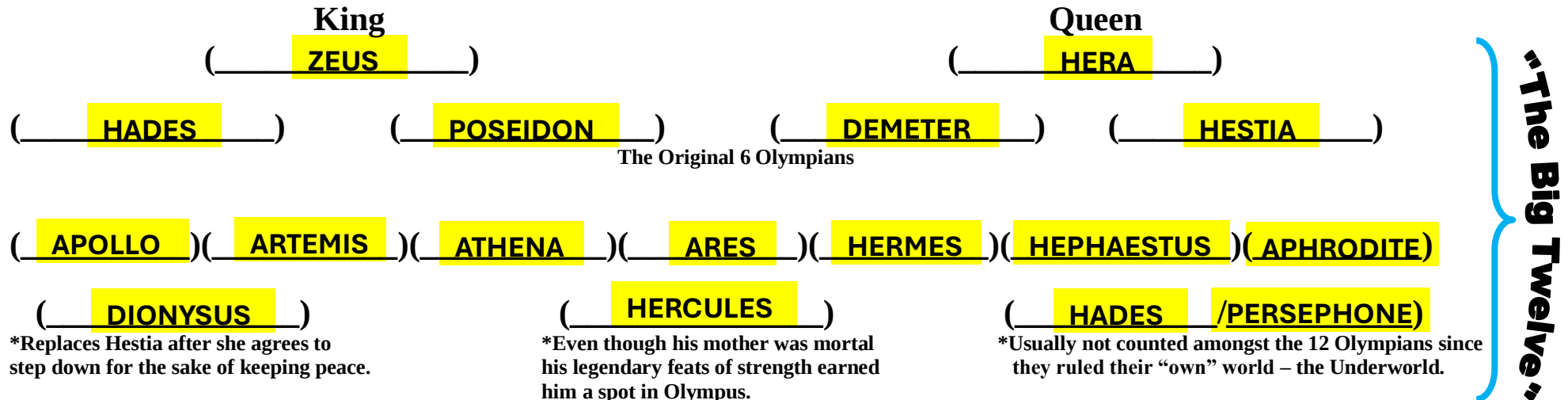
From this union was born the Sky (**URANUS**) and the Earth (**GAIA**).

From the Earth and the Sky came the Titans who were led by **CRONUS**.

CRONUS and **RHEA** produced The Olympians.

(**ZEUS**) and his mother led the revolt to overthrow his father and banish the rest of The Titans.

Rule of the Olympians (Gods and Goddesses – Generation 2)



*As reward for helping defeat The Titans (**PROMETHEUS**) was not imprisoned with the rest of his brethren.

**When Rome adopted the Greek Pantheon, many of the Gods and Goddesses were renamed.

***Depending on the year, and the source, at times there were more than 12 gods living in Olympus.