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BELIEFS, MYTHS AND LEGENDS



Howard Carter

- Born 8th May 1874 in London.
- At 17, he went to work in Egypt as an artist who sketched the latest discoveries.
- He was employed by Lord Carnarvon to excavate a site in Egypt.
- 26th November 1922, Carter chisels a small hole into the tomb of Tutankhamun.



Isis - Isis was the mother goddess. It was thought that she would protect and help people in need. She was drawn as a woman with a headdress in the shape of a throne.

Osiris - Osiris was ruler of the underworld and god of the dead. He was the husband of Isis and father of Horus. Osiris was drawn as a mummified man with a feathered headdress.

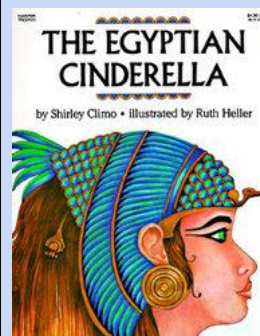
Horus - Horus was the god of the sky. Horus was the son of Isis and Osiris. He was drawn as a man with the head of a hawk. The ruler of the Egyptians, Pharaoh, was thought to be the living version Horus. In this way Pharaoh was the leader of the Egyptian religion and the people's representative to the gods.

Thoth - Thoth was the god of knowledge. He blessed the Egyptians with writing, medicine, and mathematics.



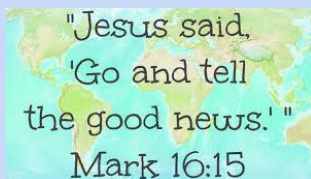
Fiction Text

Perseus, in [Greek mythology](#), the slayer of the Gorgon [Medusa](#) and the rescuer of [Andromeda](#) from a sea monster. [Perseus](#) was the son of [Zeus](#) and Danaë, the daughter of Acrisius of [Argos](#).



Fiction Text

An Egyptian story with clear links to a well known fairy tale. This story reinforces the idea of Horus as the god of the sky and of his eyes representing the sun and the moon.



Gospels

What is the Good News that Jesus brings?

Jesus' incarnation is 'good news' for all people. ('Gospel' means 'good news'.) His life, teaching and ministry embody what it is like to be one of the people of God, what it means to live in relationship with God. Jesus' example and teaching emphasise loving one's neighbour — particularly the weak and vulnerable — as part of loving God.



Twitter

We will use the social media platform Twitter to make links with experts in the archaeological community. We will be considering how to keep ourselves safe online

The Late Period of Ancient Egyptian history came to an end in 332 BC when Egypt was conquered by the [Greeks](#). The Greeks formed their own dynasty called the Ptolemaic Dynasty that ruled for nearly 300 years until 30 BC. In 30 BC the [Romans](#) took control of Egypt. The Romans ruled for over 600 years until around 640 AD.



Ancient Egypt

The Ancient Egyptians founded their civilisation on the banks of the Nile in north east Africa. The Nile provided water, fertile soil and good transport.



- The Greeks called their land "Hellas." The English word "Greece" comes from the Roman word for the country "Graecia."
- Under the rule of Alexander the Great, Greece expanded into a large empire that included Egypt and stretched all the way to India.
- The Pindus Mountain Range runs north to south along much of mainland Greece. It is sometimes called the "spine of Greece."

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