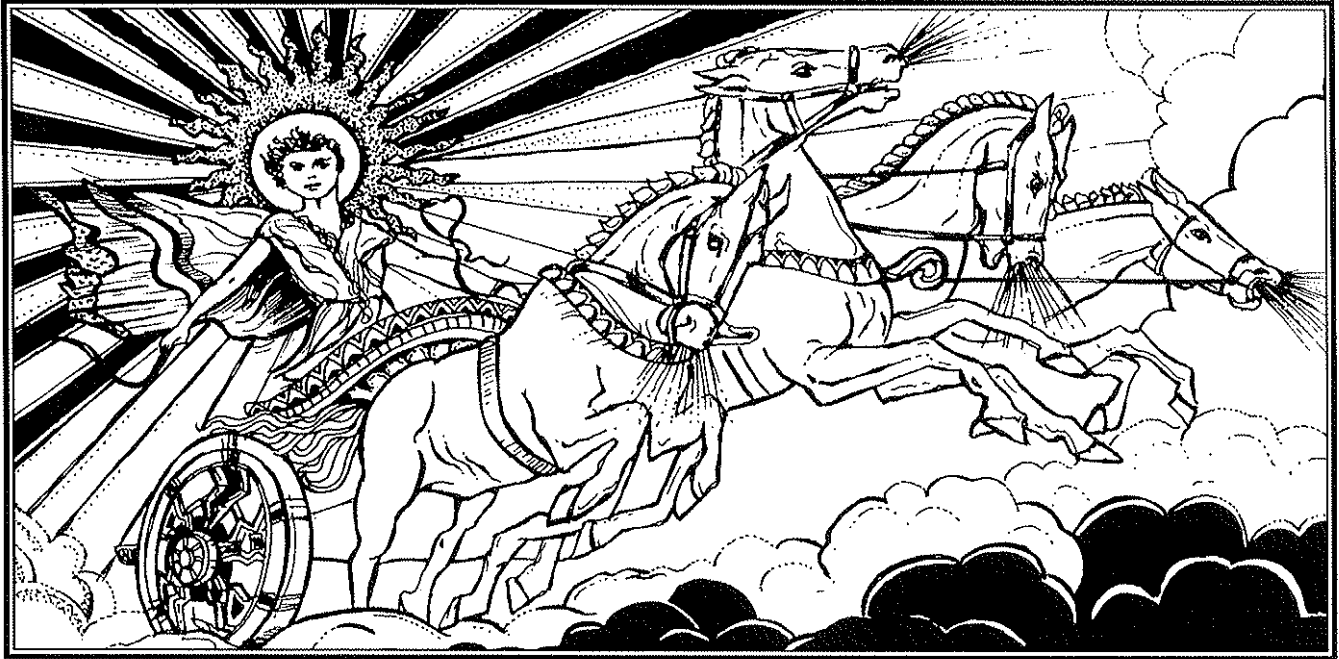


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Heroes appearing in all religions, mythologies and stories of the world share certain characteristics. Choose a mythological or storybook character and show how the following characteristics relate to them and the story in which they appear.

1. The hero is born to unusual circumstances, eg surrounded by danger or born to royalty.

2. The hero leaves their own family or land to live with others.

3. An event, often traumatic, leads to an adventure or quest.

4. The hero has a special weapon only they can wield.

5. The hero has supernatural help.

6. The hero must prove themselves many times during the course of their adventure.

7. The hero is reunited with their father.

8. When the hero dies, they are rewarded spiritually.
