

All in the Family

Hippolyta was Ares's daughter. Her mother was an Amazon. Hippolyta became queen of the Amazons. Amazons were female warriors. They descended from Ares. They only raised girls. They killed male babies. Ares gave Hippolyta his magical girdle. A girdle is a belt. It holds swords. Heracles was a Greek hero. He was given a challenge. He had to get Hippolyta's girdle. Hippolyta fell in love with Heracles. She would've given Heracles the belt. But Hera spread a rumor. She told everyone that Heracles was planning on kidnapping Hippolyta. So, the Amazons attacked Heracles's ships. Heracles felt betrayed. He killed Hippolyta. He took her belt. He sailed away.



Ares was the god of courage.

Sisyphus was a king. He tricked people. He shared the gods' secrets. He kidnapped Thanatos. Thanatos was the god of death. Sisyphus chained Thanatos. That meant no one could die.

This made Hades mad. This made Ares mad. No one could die in war.