

Norse Gods Word Definitions

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18. NERTHUS

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19. NJORD

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22. TYR

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23. TIWAZ

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24. WELAND

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25. RAGNAROK

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Puzzle Solution

Column A

Column B

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| 1. AEGIR | Alebrewer. So called because he loves to give feasts for the gods. God of the sea. |
| 2. ANGRBODA | The giantess who mated with loki to create hel, fenrir and the midgard serpent. |
| 3. BALDER | A hero god, the god who dies and rises again. Loke tricked Hoder into killing him. |
| 4. BRAGI | God of poetry and eloquence, husband of iduun. It is his duty to prepare valhalla for new arrivals. |
| 5. DONAR | German god of thunder, forerunner of thor. His symbol is the swastika. Oak trees are sacred to him. |
| 6. FENRIR | A monstrous wolf conceived by Loki. He was raised in Asgard, the home of the gods. |
| 7. FORSETI | God of justice, the great arbiter, the god who "stills all strife." |
| 8. FREYJA | Goddess of magic and death, goddess of sex, daughter of Njord, a shape-shifter. |
| 9. FREYR | The god of the world, son of Njord, husband of Freyja. |
| 10. FRIGG | Wife of odin, mother of balder, queen of asgard. A fertility goddess. |
| 11. HEL | Goddess of death. Daughter of loki. Ruler of niflheim, the land of mists. |
| 12. HERMOD | A hero god. He rode through the gates of niflheim to rescue Balder. |
| 13. HODER | Little is known about him, other than that he is blind. Loki tricked him into killing Balder. |
| 14. HEIMDALL | The god who guards the bifrost bridge which is the entrance to Asgard. |
| 15. IDUNN | Wife of Bragi, keeper of the golden apples of eternal youth. The giant Thiazzi kidnapped her. |
| 16. LOKI | A trickster. Sly, deceitful, a master thief, not to be trusted. Nevertheless, he is charming and witty. |
| 17. MIMIR | The guardian of a spring of wisdom at the root of Yggdrasill. |
| 18. NERTHUS | An earth mother worshipped by the German tribe of the Suebi. |
| 19. NJORD | The chief of the Vanir, who warred with the Aesir. |
| 20. ODIN | A god of strife and war, magic and death. The chief of the Aesir. |
| 21. THOR | God of thunder. Huge, red-bearded, red-eyed, powerful. His weapon is the magic hammer Mjollnir. |
| 22. TYR | God of battle, the only god with the strength and courage to bind Fenris. |
| 23. TIWAZ | The one-handed sky god and war god of the early Germanic peoples. |
| 24. WELAND | God of smiths and metal workers. Son of the giant Wade. |
| 25. RAGNAROK | Destruction of the powerful ones. The twilight of the gods. The time of fire and ice. |