

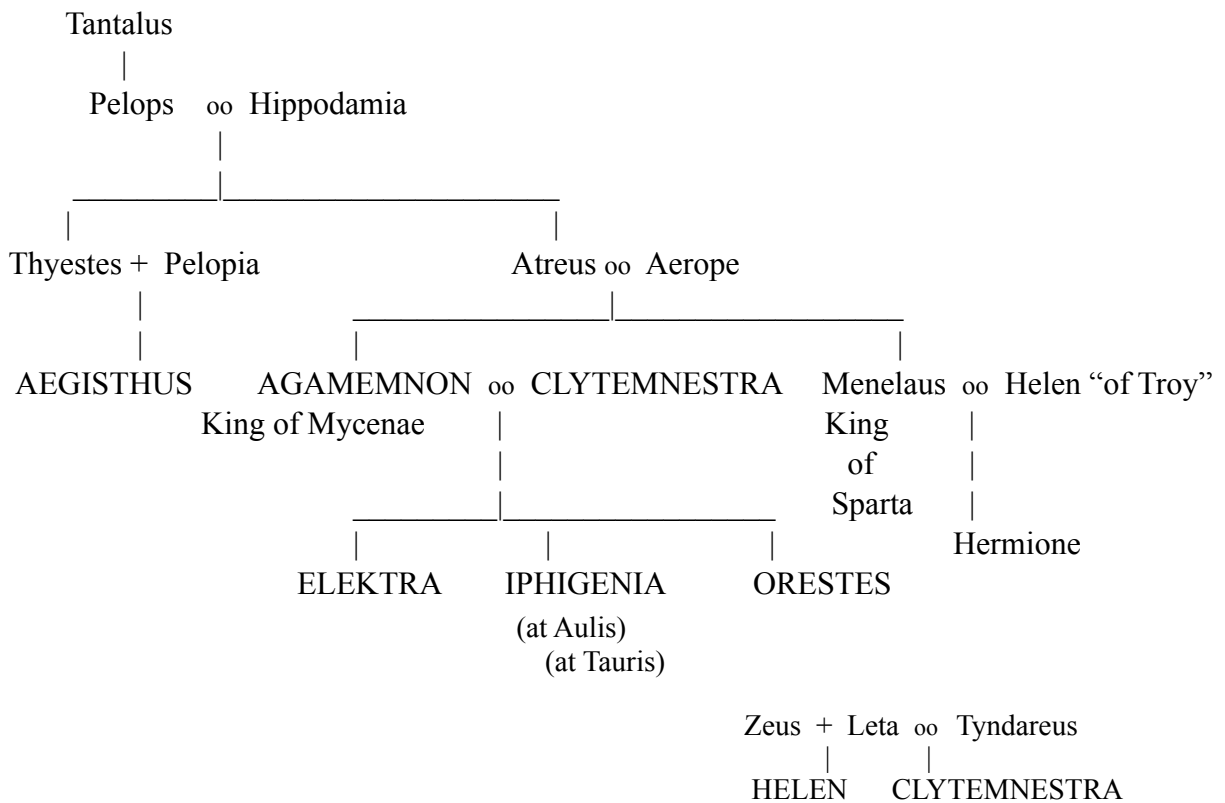
The Fromm Institute

HEROES and GODS —
Myths, Legends and Histories of the Ancient Greeks

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AFTERMATH

The HOUSE of ATREUS
(“The Curse of the House of Atreus”)



The ORESTEIA by AESCHYLUS (c. 525 — 455 BC)

Agamemnon
The Libation Bearers
The Eumenides

The FURIES (the Erinyes)

The AREOPAGUS in Athens

Other GREEKS

ACHILLES (son of PELEUS + THETIS, a sea nymph)
oo Deidamia
|
their son, NEOPTOLEMUS (also named: PYRRHUS)

AJAX “the Greater” (“Telamonian Ajax”)

IDOMENEUS / IDOMENEO
-King of Crete and grandson of King Minos
-his son, Idamante

Sisyphus
|
ODYSSEUS (also: ULYSSES) oo PENELOPE and the SUITORS
King of ITHACA |
TELEMACHOS

The ODYSSEY by Homer

-the Sirens,
Circe,
Calypso,
the Cyclops (Polyphemus),
Scylla & Carybdis

Heinrich SCHLIEMANN (1822 - 1890)

-marries Sophia Engastromenos (1852 - 1932)

-perhaps the single greatest contributor to Greek archaeology
-discovered Mycenae, Argos, Tiryns, Ithaca

-excavations near the Dardanelles (in the Ottoman Empire) from 1870
-the site of the ancient city of TROY ?
-“Priam’s Treasure”
-“the Jewels of Helen”

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