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Etymology[ edit ] The word "Muses" Ancient Greek: Beekes rejects both etymologies and suggests a Pre-Greek origin. Some ancient authorities thought that the Nine Muses were of Thracian origin. Writers similarly disagree also concerning the number of the Muses; for some say that there are three, and others that there are nine, but the number nine has prevailed since it rests upon the authority of the most distinguished men, such as Homer and Hesiod and others like them. It was not until Hellenistic times that the following systematic set of functions was assigned to them, and even then there was some variation in both their names and their attributes: Calliope epic poetry , Clio history , Euterpe flutes and lyric poetry , Thalia comedy and pastoral poetry , Melpomene tragedy , Terpsichore dance , Erato love poetry , Polyhymnia sacred poetry , and Urania astronomy. Aoide "song" or "tune" , Melete "practice" or "occasion" , and Mneme "memory". In Delphi three Muses were worshiped as well, but with other names: Nete , Mese , and Hypate , which are assigned as the names of the three cords of the ancient musical instrument, the lyre. For Alcman and Mimnermus , they were even more primordial , springing from the early deities Ouranos and Gaia. Gaia is Mother Earth , an early mother goddess who was worshipped at Delphi from prehistoric times, long before the site was rededicated to Apollo, possibly indicating a transfer to association with him after that time. Sometimes the Muses are referred to as water nymphs , associated with the springs of Helicon and with Pieris. It was said that the winged horse Pegasus touched his hooves to the ground on Helicon, causing four sacred springs to burst forth, from which the Muses were born. They also gathered the pieces of the dead body of Orpheus , son of Calliope , and buried them in Leivithra. In a later myth, Thamyris challenged them to a singing contest. They won and punished Thamyris by blinding him and robbing him of his singing ability. He thus challenged the Muses to a match, resulting in his daughters, the Pierides , being turned into chattering magpies for their presumption. Another, rarer genealogy is that they are daughters of Harmonia the daughter of Aphrodite and Ares , which contradicts the myth in which they were dancing at the wedding of Harmonia and Cadmus. Cult[ edit ] The Muses had several temples and shrines in ancient Greece, their two main cult centres being Mount Helikon in Boiotia and Pieria in Makedonia. Here are the temple of the Mousai and Hippukrene and the cave of the Nymphai called the Leibethrides; and from this fact one might infer that those who consecrated Helikon to the Mousai were Thracians, the same who dedicated Pieris and Leibethron and Pimpleia [in Pieria] to the same goddesses. The Thracians used to be called Pieres, but, now that they have disappeared, the Makedonians hold these places. Polyhymnia , the Muse of sacred poetry , sacred hymn and eloquence as well as agriculture and pantomime.

**Chapter 2 : The Nine Muses of the Greek Mythology**

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Michael Jordan made an everlasting impact both on the court and as a cultural icon. By acclamation, Michael Jordan is the greatest basketball player of all time. Although, a summary of his basketball career and influence on the game inevitably fails to do it justice, as a phenomenal athlete with a unique combination of fundamental soundness, grace, speed, power, artistry, improvisational ability and an unquenchable competitive desire, Jordan single-handedly redefined the NBA superstar. Even contemporaneous superstars recognized the unparalleled position of Jordan. However, his impact is far greater than awards and championships. He burst into the league as a rookie sensation scoring in droves with an unmatched first step and acrobatic drives and dunks and concluded his career as a cultural icon. Along the way, he became a true champion who spearheaded the globalization of the NBA with his dynamic on-court abilities and personal sense of style that was marketed to the masses. The Blazers ultimately passed on Michael Jordan with the No. He was an accessible star who managed to maintain an air of mystique. He was visible as "Air Jordan," as part of a sneaker advertising campaign and endorsing other products as well as the star of the movie, "Space Jam". However, he would vanish into retirement twice only to return until hanging up the sneakers for the last time after the season. Although Brooklyn born, Jordan was bred in the more tranquil North Carolina. The son of Delores and James Jordan, he shared a special bond with his father, which included baseball being both of their first love. However, following his older brother, Larry, whom he idolized and was a spectacular athlete in his own right, Jordan began to play basketball. He attended Laney High school in Wilmington, North Carolina, but as a 5-foot skinny sophomore, he was cut from the varsity basketball team. The summer before his junior year, he grew to 6-foot-3 and began his path to superstardom. As a freshman, he played somewhat in the shadows of upperclassmen James Worthy and Sam Perkins. Jordan scored 16 points, grabbed nine rebounds and made the winning basket on a foot jumper with 18 seconds in the game for the victory. As a junior, he received that award again as well as the Naismith and Wooden Awards. The Portland Trail Blazers, however, with the No. Bowie had suffered several injuries while in college but the Blazers bypassed Jordan because just the year before the team selected another exciting shooting guard in Clyde Drexler. Although Drexler went onto to be a star, Bowie was an injury prone player with a journeyman pro career. Jordan, coming off a gold medal performance at the Olympics, prospered in the pro game with a fabulous first season, earning the NBA Rookie of the Year Award. Perhaps more important, the Bulls improved to win 11 more games than in the season prior to his arrival and made it to the playoffs. In his first season, he did not have outstanding shooting range and was thought to roam too often on defense, resulting from playing trapping defenses in college according to his first NBA coach, Kevin Loughery. Yet, his medium game -- eight- to feet from the basket was impressive as evidenced by his. Improvement in both areas would come and he would ultimately be regarded as threat from anywhere on the floor and one of the best ever one-on-one defenders. Even in the exhibition season before his rookie campaign, players and coaches were sure that the Rockets and Blazers would regret their picks. Home attendance at the venerable Chicago Stadium and on the road rose dramatically. Fans of opposing teams were seemingly content to see their team lose if in return Jordan put on show. Nike signed him to a major shoe deal because of his anticipated appeal, but he surpassed even the loftiest of expectations. He also had a clause in his contract that allowed him, unlike most other NBA players, to play basketball anytime in the off-season -- known as the "love-of-the-game clause. He continued to wear the shorts of his beloved North Carolina basketball uniform under his Bulls uniform. This may have led him to wear longer game shorts although he has said that the extra length allowed him to bend at the waist and tug at the hem for a good resting position. Either way, the trend toward the baggy shorts was started and the entire league and sport would follow. Many assessed that he eluded defenders so easily that he had to be travelling. However, video break down established that his first step was just so quick and that he was not in violation of the rulebook. In the season opener, Michael Jordan scored 54 vs. Despite all the attention, Jordan retained a

sense of humility. He did not ridicule the Blazers for not taking him. They have an overabundance of big guards and small forwards. There, he probably faced one of his first professional obstacles. Jordan scored seven points in 22 minutes and was left to face questions concerning the alleged conspiracy. The affair grew a life of its own over the years, but Thomas refuted such accusations. Year after year in the playoffs, Michael Jordan rose to the challenge. Three games into his second season, he broke a bone in his left foot. He was voted to the All-Star team but could not play as he was sidelined for 64 games. However, he came back late in the year to score a NBA playoff-record 63 points in a first-round game against the Celtics. The Bulls lost that game in double-overtime and the series in a sweep, but Jordan averaged Starting with the season he began a career-long onslaught on the NBA record book. That year saw him average Jordan scored 40 or more points in nine consecutive games and 23 straight in one game to set an NBA record. However, again, the Celtics swept the Bulls in the first round of the playoffs That offseason, the Bulls began assembling a championship caliber team by drafting power forward Horace Grant and acquiring the versatile small forward Scottie Pippen from tiny Central Arkansas in a draft day trade with the Seattle SuperSonics for former University of Virginia center Olden Polynice. With the help of his teammates, Jordan led the Bulls to a first-round playoff win over the Cleveland Cavaliers before falling to the Pistons in five games in the conference semifinals. Posterizing jams were the norm for Michael Jordan throughout his career. The Pistons, known as the "Bad Boys" for their aggressive style of play, would defeat Jordan and the Bulls in the Eastern Conference finals in the next two seasons as well. Utilizing a defensive scheme developed by head coach Chuck Daly and his staff known as the "Jordan Rules", the Pistons dared Jordan to single-handily win games with constant double and triple teaming. The Bulls, however, were nudging to a championship as each successive season the team would get closer. He also ranked third in steals with 2. Jordan propelled the Bulls past the Cavs in the first round of the playoffs in the decisive Game 5, scoring the memorable buzzer-beater floating jumper over Craig Ehlo for a victory. Chicago management, however, was making other moves. But when the play broke down and the shot clock waned, Jordan had free reign to create his own shot. Michael Jordan lit up the Cavs for a career-best 69 points in Jordan set his career game-high in points with 69 against the Cavs in a overtime win. He also emerged as a 3-point threat, posting a. However, the Pistons defeated the Bulls in a tough seven-game series in the Eastern Conference finals. That third consecutive playoff defeat to the Pistons prompted many to think out loud that a scoring champion like Jordan could not lead his team to a title. Were they ever wrong. The redemptive blow was the sweep of the Pistons in the conference finals. And after losing the first game at home to the Los Angeles Lakers in the NBA Finals, the Bulls stormed back to win four straight to end the last remnants of the "Showtime" Lakers as Magic Johnson would retire before the beginning of the next season. Jordan, who by now shaved his head completely bald, triggering another trend and making him recognizable by just the dark rounded silhouette of his head, was now known as a champion. He was also known to be ultra-demanding of his teammates, ruffling more than a few feathers with his critiques. But winning was the soothing elixir. The Bulls would go on to successfully defend their title for two consecutive seasons, defeating both Drexler and the Blazers and the Charles Barkley-led Phoenix Suns in six games. By the end of that three-year run, Jordan had eclipsed stardom and approached folk hero status. Early into his career, he drew Peter Pan-like admiration for his gravity defying leaps and belief that he would remain youthful forever. However, during the three-peat, players and teams seemed to concede that the title was Jordan. In the Finals, Jordan opened up Game 1 with a record setting point first-half performance to lead the Bulls to a rout. The Blazers bounced back and seemed poised to force a Game 7 as they took a lead into the fourth quarter of Game 6. That summer, Jordan was the key figure in forming the Dream Team that competed in the Olympics in Barcelona, Spain. In , Jordan led the Bulls past the Patrick Ewing-led Knicks for the fourth time in five postseasons -- this time in the Eastern Conference finals in six games without the home court advantage. Jordan scored 54 points in a Game 4 win. The Bulls sealed the series with a victory in Game 6. In the Finals, Jordan set a Finals record as he posted a In the decisive Game 6, the Bulls again stormed back to overcome a fourth-quarter deficit. This time, Jordan scored nine straight points down the stretch. But trouble was brewing. Jordan was under scrutiny for what was thought to be poor decisions with respect to his gambling endeavors. But that paled in comparison to the loss of his father who was murdered during an armed robbery. Emotionally drained and seeking new challenges,

just one day before the start of training camp, Jordan stunned the basketball world by announcing his retirement. After much speculation about his plans, Jordan returned to the spotlight in a baseball uniform. Attempting to fulfill a dream inspired by his father, the younger Jordan set his sights on Major League Baseball. He was a competent if unspectacular performer. Late in the NBA season, he came out of retirement with the succinct statement: He was back, albeit with the unorthodox No. The most memorable game of the initial comeback occurred six games in when he scored 55 points against the Knicks in the Garden. That game, dubbed "Double Nickel," was extraordinary in that a new Jordan emerged. Robbed of his youthful bounce at age 32, he turned primarily to fadeaway jump shots and spinning layups. And in the waning moments of a tie game, he drew attention as he dribbled around the perimeter and passed to a wide-open Bill Wennington under the basket for the winning points in a victory.

### Chapter 3 : Joe LoCicero - IMDb

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The Muses The Muses were the Greek goddesses of poetic inspiration, the adored deities of song, dance, and memory, on whose mercy the creativity, wisdom and insight of all artists and thinkers depended. They may have been originally three in number, but, according to Hesiod and the prevailing tradition he established, most commonly they are depicted as the nine daughters of Zeus and Mnemosyne. However, two ancient lyric poets, claim otherwise: Some later authors have even tried to reconcile the stories, proposing two different generations of Muses. Most commonly, it was thought that the Muses were born in Pieria at the foot of Mount Olympus , so they were often called either Olympian or Pierian Muses. Number, Names, Attributes, and Domains Depending on the region where they were celebrated, both the names and the number of Muses varied. There are various accounts of five, seven and even eight Muses. However, they are most often either three probably in earlier reports or nine following Hesiod and maybe Homer. Later poets, however, used the Hesiodic names as a foundation for further differentiation, so they distributed the Muses among diverse realms, attaching to each of them different attributes and powers. The order in which we presented the Muses here is not the order they are usually given in. However, we chose it for a reason: The Muses in Particular Myths Other than divine inspirers in the verses of the poets, the Muses appear rarely in myths ; and when they do, they are usually much less gentle revelers than diving avengers. Revelers Presided over by Apollo , the Muses spent much of their time on Olympus cheerfully singing and dancing at the feasts of the gods. Sometimes they also came down to earth, so as to either mourn a funeral like that of Achilles or celebrate a marriage like those of Peleus to Thetis and Cadmus to Harmonia. Avengers Protective of their status, the Muses were not above punishing anyone who dared to challenge their skill. Finally, the Macedonian king Pierus dared the Muses to a contest against his nine daughters, who, after their defeat, were transformed into prattling magpies. The Sons of the Muses Even though usually described as virgin goddesses, the Muses seemed like the perfect candidates for mothers of few mythical musicians and dancers. Consequently, Orpheus was often identified as the son of Calliope, as were sometimes the Sirens , who were more commonly linked to either Terpsichore or Melpomene. Linus, the great musician and orator of Thrace, was fathered by Apollo with either Calliope or Urania, and the Corybantes were usually described as sons of Thalia. In addition, Hyacinthus was thought of as the son of Clio, and Rhesus as the son of either Calliope or Euterpe.

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The word museum also comes from the Greek Muses. The Nine Muses were: All the ancient writers appeal to the Muses at the beginning of their work. Homer asks the Muses both in the Iliad and Odyssey to help him tell the story in the most proper way, and until today the Muses are symbols of inspiration and artistic creation. In painting the Muses are usually presented as ethereal women with divine beauty, holding laurels and other items depending on their faculty. The result of their encounter was the Nine Muses, who were similar to everything. When they grew up they showed their tendency to the arts, taught by God Apollo himself. They were not interested in anything of the regular human everyday life and they wanted to dedicate their lives to the Arts. Apollo brought them to the big and beautiful Mount Elikonas, where the older Temple of Zeus used to be. Ever since, the Muses supported and encouraged creation, enhancing imagination and inspiration of the artists. Muses and Arts According to the Greek Mythology, two Muses invented theory and practice in learning, three Muses invented the musical vibrations in Lyre, four Muses invented the four known dialects in the language " Attica, Ionian, Aeolian and Dorian " and five muses the five human senses. Seven muses invented the seven chords of the lyre, the seven celestial zones, the seven planets and the seven vocals of the Greek Alphabet. Analytically the Nine Muses are: The Muse Clio discovered history and guitar. Clio was always represented with a clarion in the right arm and a book in the left hand. Muse Euterpe discovered several musical instruments, courses and dialectic. She was always depicted holding a flute, while many instruments were always around her. Muse Thalia was the protector of comedy; she discovered comedy, geometry, architectural science and agriculture. She was also protector of Symposiums. She was always depicted holding a theatrical " comedy mask. Opposite from Thalia, Muse Melpomene was the protector of Tragedy; she invented tragedy, rhetoric speech and Melos. She was depicted holding a tragedy mask and usually bearing a bat. Terpsichore was the protector of dance; she invented dances, the harp and education. She was depicted wearing laurels on her head, holding a harp and dancing. Muse Erato was the protector of Love and Love Poetry " as well as wedding. She was depicted holding a lyre and love arrows and bows. Muse Polymnia was the protector of the divine hymns and mimic art; she invented geometry and grammar. She was depicted looking up to the Sky, holding a lyre. Muse Ourania was the protector of the celestial objects and stars; she invented astronomy. She was always depicted bearing stars, a celestial sphere and a bow compass. Muse Calliope was the superior Muse. She was accompanying kings and princes in order to impose justice and serenity. She was the protector of heroic poems and rhetoric art. According to the myth, Homer asks from Calliope to inspire him while writing Iliad and Odyssey, and, thus, Calliope is depicted holding laurels in one hand and the two Homeric poems in the other hand. The Nine Muses have been inspiring artists since the antiquity and there countless paintings, drawings, designs, poems and statues dedicated to them. Today, the most famous depiction of the Muses in sculpture is in Greece, in Corfu; the Empress Sissi of Austria had their statues made for her, in order to ornament the garden of her retreat house in Corfu, the famous Achilleion. Who could help me to write my paper online as soon as possible? You should check over here essayup.

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*Description: 'The Legend of 'The Nine' is the true, fascinating, and spellbinding account of Jenna Orion's lifelong visits with nine extraterrestrial humansâ€”yes, humansâ€”who possess an all-knowing God-like awar.*

While Captain Sisko maintained a detached distance to the conflicts that played out in the universe, Kira Nerys was all in. Nerys was a former Bajoran freedom fighter who came to the Starfleet to represent her nation in the negotiations that followed the war on her home planet. Through her time on the Starfleet, Jadzia teaches Kira to be more open minded and Odo helps her fall in love. Visitor perfectly captures the passion Kira has for her people, her friends, and justice. The show would not be the same without her. His arrogant constitution rubbed fans the wrong way from the get-go. The writers maybe sensed that people were not responding well to the character as they decided to make some changes to Bashir. After the first few seasons, viewers would discover that he was in fact a genetically engineered human. His character changed after this revelation, making him a more tolerable part of the cast. Alexander Siddig was a good sport and rolled with the punches. Avery Brooks gave the character a distinct gravitas that few other actors could have provided. Although his elocution was at times amusing to viewers, he always brought a lot of heart to the scenes with his son. Their relationship was hardly ever confrontational and was a welcome change in pace to most teenage-parent relationships found on TV. The beloved film star plays the part of Zak with an air of whiny petulance, a quality that does not mesh well with what viewers have come to expect from the Ferengi. The Grand Nagus is both the political and economic leader of the Ferengi. Even though their interests mainly revolve around profits, the Ferengi are clever negotiators and good at reading people. It seems unlikely that they would chose a leader with so little natural authority. Not only did he have to work with an uncomfortable headpiece, he also had to give depth to a species that had been accused of promoting unsavory stereotypes. Through his interactions with the rest of the cast, Shimmerman slowly peeled back the layers of his controversial character. That was a wise decision. In the role of Wayoun, Combs employed a wide range of expressions to create a devilishly pleasant character. He also got to explore the character further when he took on the role of a defunct Wayoun who did not display unwavering loyalty to the Dominion. These dastardly Vortas became fast fan favorites. They settled on Leeta, an attractive casino hostess, to fill this role. She ended up coming across as more of a Mansfield than a Monroe and the character ultimately hurt the series. Sloan worked for a secretive intelligence agency called Section 31 and operated according to the philosophy that the ends justify the means. William Sadler plays the role brilliantly. Even though the character is thoroughly odious, you hope things will work in his favor just so you can see more of his performance. This esteemed actor could probably pull off anything thrown at him. You can currently catch Sadler on the show Power. Ken Marshall As Michael Eddington It is hard to portray a likable, or at the very least compelling, traitor. In most of his screen time, Marshall has an inexplicable smirk on his face. His talents would probably have been better displayed if he had the chance to work with more of this type of material. In an otherwise uneventful episode, Iggy Pop shows up to play Yelgrun from Vorta. Ihr was initially worried that Iggy might not be a great fit for the role they cast him in. He is known for his physicality, and the Vorta are typically quite stiff. When he was surrounded by conniving villains and conflicted heroes, Gowron came across as cartoonish with his bulging eyes and brutish mannerisms. It was more the case of two concepts that did not manage to find a good balance within the same framework. The role had previously been offered to Frank Sinatra Jr. Then the executive producer stumbled across Darren. Darren was cast after his first reading and would move the character in new directions. The two are caught in an endless rivalry where the characters play wonderfully off each other. The character has suffered immense loss, which has caused him to become the way that he is. Let us know in the comments!

### Chapter 6 : The Legend of Muay Thai: 9 Satra () - IMDb

*The legend of the nine men of Ashoka constitutes yet another secret-society story. The organisation was allegedly*

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*created over 2 millennia ago in India, under the rule of Mauryan Emperor Ashoka.*

### Chapter 7 : Star Trek: 8 Casting Decisions That Hurt DS9 (And 12 That Saved It)

*I watched this movie at 2 weeks ago after launch in Thailand and I love this animation. The movement of body character is smooth. And the posture of Muay Thai used Thai people that have Muay Thai expertise to reproduced and adapted in main character.*

### Chapter 8 : "Only Love by Jordan Smith on Apple Music

*In legend, the Muses were variously described as living on Mt. Olympus, Mt. Helicon (in Boeotia) or on Mt. Parnasus. While they were beautiful to behold and wonderfully gifted, their talents were not to be challenged.*

### Chapter 9 : Muses - Wikipedia

*Legend of Nine Tails Fox is a Chinese television series based on six tales in Strange Stories from a Chinese Studio by Pu Songling. It originally aired.*