

# Aphrodite ~ Goddess of Love

Aphrodite was born when Uranus was defeated by Zeus. A drop of Uranus' blood fell into the ocean and caused it to foam, from the foam emerged Aphrodite. She has no other jobs on Olympus but to look pretty and to make others fall in love with her. She has a magic belt that makes others love her. She is unhappily married to Hephaestus, the god of the forge. She is known to have many boyfriends, including Ares and even some humans.

Aphrodite has a lot of children. She can be very kind, but she can also be very vicious, especially when she feels as if someone has insulted her beauty. Her powers are so great that wild animals are tamed in her presence. Her symbols include: the dove, the sparrow, the swan, and the myrtle.

