

CHAPTER 4

DRAGONS AND MORE!

What are Demeter's symbols? What do her dragons do?

Demeter had many symbols. She carried **sheaves** of wheat. Sheaves are bundles. She had a **cornucopia**. This is a container. It's shaped like a goat's horn. It held grains and breads. Demeter liked pigs. She was the goddess of pig farming. Mortals gave her pigs' blood. They thought it made the land more fertile.

Demeter had many weapons. She had a long, golden sword. She was called the Lady of the Golden Blade. She carried a torch. The torch helped her find her kidnapped daughter.

Demeter had dragons. Her dragons had wings. They were called Demeter's Dragons. Demeter used her dragons as guards. She had them serve her. She had them pull her **chariot**. A chariot is a cart. It has two wheels.



Demeter had a lotus staff and a cornucopia.

