

CYCLOPS

IN GREEK MYTHOLOGY AND LATER ROMAN MYTHOLOGY, CYCLOPS WERE MEMBERS OF A PRIMORDIAL RACE OF GIANTS, EACH WITH A SINGLE EYE IN THE MIDDLE OF HIS FOREHEAD. THE NAME LITERALLY MEANS "ROUND-EYED" OR "CIRCLE-EYED". IN THE ODYSSEY, ODYSSEUS ESCAPED DEATH BY BLINDING THE CYCLOPS POLYPHEMUS.

