

Egyptian gods

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Ra's joy ride

Getting to know Ra

The Egyptian gods all distended from Ra the god of the sun that gave light warmth and life to earth. Since the sun was so powerful and Ra is the sun god Ra was as powerful as the sun itself. Ra was so powerful that anything he wanted would appear when

he desired. Ra kept his powers in his secret name, which only he knew. It is said that once Isis made a poisonous snake and trained it to bite Ra for she had a plan to get Ra's powers. Then one day the snake bit Ra and Isis told him to give

her his secret name or he will die. Ra was forced to give her his secret name and so Isis got as powerful as Ra himself. That is how Isis is able to revive or heal anyone.



Protecting gods

Egyptian gods would protect the Pharaohs and Ra from evil forces that tried to kill them or hurt them. Bastet protected the homes of the Pharaohs from evil that tried to destroy or steal from the homes of everyday people's lives. Geb the god of the earth protected the earth from evil forces.

The boat of eternity

Ra soared the skies and flew the heavens in his boat: Barque of millions of years! Ra was the king of the sky and earth and underworld!! Ra would ride on the boat at night and he would

soar the heavens. The reason he went on his boat at night was because he had nothing else to do because the sun isn't up and shining at night so he couldn't protect the sun.

Revenge on Ra

Some Egyptian gods despised Ra and would do anything to kill or get his powers. Some gods trapped or did something to destroy the underworld or earth or even Ra himself. For example Appep trapped Ra in his stomach and if the other gods failed to release Ra by cutting a hole in Appep's stomach all earth

would dredge in darkness.

Good Egypt gods

The god of war killed Appep the most evil god of them all and later Houros the son of Isis and Oris killed the god of war. Houros was half evil and half good considering that he was the son of Isis and Oris he had a head and wings of an eagle and a body, hands and feet of a human.

