



Jupiter and Europa

1. In what country does Europa live? Where is that located today?
2. Where does Europa play with her friends?
3. How does Ovid explain why Jupiter comes to Europa in disguise instead of in his own form?
4. Describe Jupiter's metamorphosis. What shape does he take on?
5. To what does Ovid compare the whiteness of Jupiter's form?
6. What does Ovid's description of Jupiter's disguise suggest about the god?
7. What is Europa's first impression of Jupiter in disguise?
8. Describe Jupiter's emotional state and its changes while he is with Europa.
9. How does Europa's attitude toward Jupiter change and why?
10. Where does Jupiter bring Europa?
11. How is this myth an example of an aetiology?