

- 1. Summarize what Odysseus must do when he arrives at Erebus with his men.
- 2. Who is Tiresias?

3. What does he tell Odysseus about the rest of his life?

4. How will Odysseus's life end?

5. Define Epithet:

6. Find an example from "Circe" or "Land of the Dead" of an epithet, and write it here:





Identify--Sirens:

Scylla:

Charybdis:

- 1. Summarize Circe's prophesy to Odysseus. What dangers await him and his men?
- 2. Why does Odysseus put wax in his men's ears?
- 3. What does it mean that the sirens have "dropped under the sea rim" (line 759)? Explain.
- 4. How do Odysseus's men react to the noise of Scylla?
- 5. What do you think of Odysseus's decision not to tell his men about the danger of Scylla? Is his silence justified? Why or why not?
- 6. What does Odysseus do that contradicts what Circe warned him about? What can we infer about Odysseus's character?