

## Heracles

Hello, my name is Heracles (Hair-uh-kleez). I am better known by the name the Romans gave me, Hercules! I am the most popular of the Greek mythological heroes. I am known for my extraordinary strength and courage. I performed 12 great labors for my cousin, the king of Argos. Because of these feats, I won immortality and became a god.

***Performance Instructions: Dress in a Greek tunic over a shirt. Stuff your shirt with tissue or cloth to appear as if you have big muscles and carry a toy club. After speaking, raise your club in the air and strike a victory pose and say, "HERACLES!"***

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