

Demiourgos - See Demiurge.

Demiurge - The great archon (ruler) in Gnosticism. To Valentinus he is "an angel like God," equated with the God of the Jews. He has always been connected with Mithras. And, in *The Study of the Kabalah*, Demiourgos is the Greek's name for Metatron. One of Demiurge's titles is "Architect of the Universe," which suggests that it was he, and not God, who created the world, at the moment of Ain Soph, the Unknowable.

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Ancient Greek

Alternative forms

- δημιοεργός (dēmioergós) (Epic)

Etymology

From δήμιος (*dēmios*, “public”) + ἔργον (*érgon*, “labor, work”)

Pronunciation

- (5th BC Attic): IPA: /dɛ̞mi.oɔrgós/
- (1st BC Egyptian): IPA: /de:miu:rygós/
- (4th AD Koine): IPA: /ðimiurygós/
- (10th AD Byzantine): IPA: /ðimiurygós/
- (15th AD Constantinopolitan): IPA: /ðimiurygós/

Noun

δημιουργός • (dēmiourgós) (*genitive δημιουργοῦ*) *m, second declension*

1. one who works for the people, a skilled workman, handicraftsman
 1. the maker of the world
2. (*in some Peloponnesian states*) magistrate

Inflection

Second declension of δημιουργός, δημιουργοῦ

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<i>Case / #</i>	<i>Singular</i>	<i>Dual</i>	<i>Plural</i>
<i>Nominative</i>	δημιουργός	δημιουργώ	δημιουργοί
<i>Genitive</i>	δημιουργοῦ	δημιουργοῖν	δημιουργῶν
<i>Dative</i>	δημιουργῷ	δημιουργοῖν	δημιουργοῖς
<i>Accusative</i>	δημιουργόν	δημιουργώ	δημιουργούς
<i>Vocative</i>	δημιουργέ	δημιουργώ	δημιουργοί

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Greek

Etymology

From Ancient Greek δημιουργός (*dēmiourgós*, “worker for the common good”), from δήμιος (*démios*) + ἔργον (*érgon*).

Noun

δημιουργός • (dimiourgós) *m, f* (plural δημιουργοί)

1. creator of original works, craftsman, artisan
2. Demiurge

Declension

δημιουργός (*dimiourgós*)

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	singular	plural
nominative	δημιουργός	δημιουργοί
genitive	δημιουργού	δημιουργῶν
accusative	δημιουργόν	δημιουργούς
vocative	δημιουργέ	δημιουργοί

Related terms

- δημιούργημα *n* (dimioúrgima, “creation”)
- δημιουργία *f* (dimiourgía, “creation”)

- Δημιουργία *f* (Dimiourgía, “the Creation”)
- δημιουργικότητα *f* (dimiourgikótita, “creativity”)
- δημιουργικός (dimiourgikós, “creative”)
- δημιουργημένος (dimiourgiménos, “created, successful”)
- δημιουργικά (dimiourgiká, “creatively”)
- δημιουργικώς (dimiourgikós, “creatively”)

See also

- αίτιος (aítios, “responsible”)
- πρόξενος *m* (próxenos, “cause, consul”)

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Greek

Etymology

From Ancient Greek δημιουργός (*dēmiourgós*, “public worker”), as used in the sense provided by Plato in *Timaeus* 29a.

Noun

Δημιουργός • (Dimiourgós) *m*

1. (*Platonism*) the Demiurge

Declension

Declension of Δημιουργός (Dimiourgós)

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	singular
nominative	Δημιουργός
genitive	Δημιουργού
accusative	Δημιουργό
vocative	Δημιουργέ

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