# Marduk the Mighty and other stories of creation

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### Enki and the Creation of Humankind

There is a strong similarity among these accounts regarding the sequence of creation with less obvious continuities among one, the beginning of creation consisting of water and two, man being formed with matter from the earth. Anu brought forth and begot the fourfold wind Consigning to its power the leader of the host.

Marduk the Mighty: And Other **Stories of Creation by Andrew** Matthews

Kingu, in Babylonian mythology, the consort of Tiamat.

#### Enuma Elish

Then the lord paused to view her dead body, That he might divide the monster and do artful works. Then they sat down to eat bread and drink sesame wine. For if frozen the metaphors no longer are relevant and archetypes no longer work for the believer.





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and they bare children to them, the same became mighty men which were of old, men of renown.

# Babylonian Creation Myth: Tiamat and Marduk (Merodach)

There were giants in the earth in those days; and also after that, when the sons of God came in unto the daughters of men,

#### The Enuma Elish: The Babylonian Creation Myth

Qi, prana, spirit, ruach, pneuma, and many other life forces around the world explained and compared. The Ethiopian Orthodox Church regards the Book of Enoch to be canonical. Some of the earliest written records of man that are still in existance are of Sumerian origin; Sumerian cuneiform is the earliest written language and was borrowed by the Babylonians who also adopted many of their religious beliefs.

#### **Ancient Mesopotamian Gods and Goddesses**

Already in the Old Babylonian period, the spade became Marduk's symbol: 372. Thus in the Sumerian Account the narrative of the exploits of the hero called ZIUSUDU begins with a description of the Creation and then goes on to describe a Flood, and there is little doubt that certain passages in this text are the originals of the Babylonian version as given in the Seven Tablets. Here also it is through the creator god Ea within the primal fresh water god Apsu that Marduk is brought forth and bore by his mother Damkina.

#### Miraculous births

From the remains of the fierce Tiamat; Marduk creates the earth, cycle of Days, and years. The Book of Enoch is kept out of most current bibles and is considered to be a pseudepigraphic work, although the book is quoted in the New Testament Letter of Jude 1:14-15 and by many early church fathers. The gods are deifications of the sun, moon, planets and other stars, and APSÛ, or CHAOS, and his companions the demons, are personifications of darkness, night and evil.

#### The Enuma Elish: The Babylonian Creation Myth

When the sun overtakes you at the base of heaven, Diminish your crown and retrogress in light. The mutilated text of the Fifth Tablet makes it impossible to gain further details in connection with Marduk's work in arranging the heavens. During the centuries around the year 2000 these tales were put together as one poem.

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