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## XENA PROP HOUSE

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## Ties That Bind



Xena Prop House is exclusively designed to unite Xena Warrior Princess and Hercules Legendary Journeys prop, wardrobe, production and set dressing collectors. Our goal is to bring information to readers that will help us all as we share the same passion. We encourage a collaborative effort from our "Kindred Spirits" to give us collecting ideas, articles, displays anything that will help us to learn and grow. We will gladly list a prop you have for sale or feature your prop to share with other collectors. Each item we collect has a unique story, so lets tell it! Our love for the Xena and Hercules TV Series creates the "Ties That Bind" us together!  
Thank you everyone!

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## Article

### A Quick Fix.....or not?

Last month we posted an article wanting to know what *your* personal philosophy is on making repairs to, or somehow altering, props? Here is a response....

Personally, I would not repair a prop unless it was in real danger of falling apart. I have many swords that have the underlying resin or foam showing through. They would look much nicer if I touched up the paint but I won't do that even if the lost paint is due to being stored rather than from use on the set. I think the chips and cracks give the props character. That being said, I do have a dilemma with one of my favorite props. My Blind Faith bust of Gabrielle has lots of places where the paint has chipped off. I know that this bust would look absolutely gorgeous if I could repaint it because it looks darn good right now even with the imperfections. But I would not dream of painting over the original. I just wish that one day I can get a cast made of the bust and make a duplicate that could be painted (plus made out of a more durable material). Here's a shot of the bust.



I'm sure there are good reasons for repairing props and dressing them up so they look prettier. I suppose if one wanted to use it with a costume, it certainly would make sense to do some touch-up. I think that kind of spoils the authenticity of the prop but that is up to whoever owns it and why they bought it. It does come down to who owns the prop can do what they wish as it is their property. **Paul**

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## A Wicked Good Time



## Need to sell multiple Xena/Hercules Props and Wardrobe?

### GROUP MAILINGS

Lets have some fun selling on our terms without ebay fees and build our collections through other serious Xena and Hercules enthusiasts.

We have all had a run in with unsavory sellers and buyers that lurk around on ebay so this will keep prop and wardrobe sales among our circle and we know they will be going to a good home

I can do a group mailing with a general list of descriptions and prices of items you have for sale. Then you can sell them on a first come first serve basis to the collectors who respond to you.

Any questions comments or suggestions on these mailings backed by Xena Prop House please email [allaboutartgalry@aol.com](mailto:allaboutartgalry@aol.com) **-Barbie Arms-**

## Prop of the Month Showcase



Statue from Xena Episode "The Executioner"

Owned by Tricia

### Bow, Arrows and Quiver

Here is a longbow with heavy original elastic cord and leather and copper details.  
Quiver is decorated with small metal discs



Bow, Arrows and Quiver detail



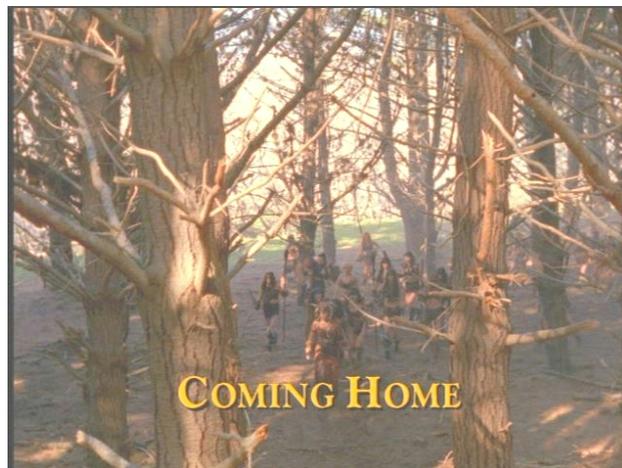
## Daggers

The curved one is resin seen in "Girls Just Wanna Have Fun" and the other one is foam. The sheath was from a huge pile of odds and ends at the IAW warehouse sale.



Tricia has an amazing collection and I will be featuring items from her collection in the upcoming months of XPH.

If you have any comments or questions please direct them to Barbie at [allaboutartgalry@aol.com](mailto:allaboutartgalry@aol.com) or [Xenaprohouse@aol.com](mailto:Xenaprohouse@aol.com)



This section is designed to display items that *match back up* with the props or wardrobe that were scattered to all four corners of the earth years ago during the feverish Auctions.

I am on a mission to try and see if I can network collectors to bring wardrobe and props back together a venture I truly enjoy, one prop at a time!

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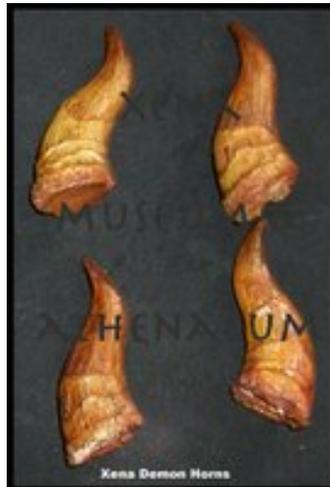
### **Owned by Xena Museum & Athenaeum**

Here is Xena's demon costume that was split up top to bottom years ago.

Christina has diligently and systematically acquired the many pieces that make up this amazing costume seen in Xena Episode "Fallen Angel". This is truly a testament to the devotion it takes to bring these wonderful items 'Back Home'



Here are Xena's Demon Horns



The Harness to hold the wings



The wings made by KNB Effects



The Top, Armor and Gauntlets



Skirt



Hoof



Original sketch and sword



[christina@xenamuseum.com](mailto:christina@xenamuseum.com)

## Owned by Mart

Mart has been getting the Amazon wardrobe pieces together and here is Amazon #9

This Amazon I think will be the last of "Taste of Hollywood" tribe. She is a wonderful specimen starting with a braided leather amazon anklet, she has a leather and studded thigh band, a leather wrap around skirt, a pair of material and leather amazon panties, a coconut shell and beaded belt, a pair of fur and leather wrist wraps, a leather studded armband, a raffia/leather/beaded shoulder/arm piece, a tiger striped material, leather, beaten copper bra top, and a pair of wooden bead earrings. I have a wooden beaded and leather necklace coming in from New Zealand to add to it but I would like to locate her a pair of Amazon boots to finish the outfit off.



[tasteofhollywood@bellsouth.net](mailto:tasteofhollywood@bellsouth.net)

## Forget Me Not



Have you seen these props in an episode?

**Owned by Elizabeth  
Armband**



[elizabethelfman704@hotmail.com](mailto:elizabethelfman704@hotmail.com)

**Owned by Morgan X 2**

1. Bone Necklace



2. Copper bracelets



[xenasbard@earthlink.net](mailto:xenasbard@earthlink.net)

**Owned by Lee X 2**

Huge rubber sword measuring 49" in length **FOUND** in Hercules Season 5 Episode "Revelations". This was the episode with the 4 Horseman and this sword

was held by the "War" Horseman. This style was also handled by Hercules in this episode when he takes it from War. Thank you AGAIN Cheri



**1. This sword** is a gold metal handle and very substantial measuring 9x9. The blade is reinforced resin with just a few minor dings. Item measures 34" in total length.



## 2. Helmet



If you see this sword or helmet please email Lee [urspider68@verizon.net](mailto:urspider68@verizon.net)

## Owned by Taylor Turban



Please email [taylorcolemiller@gmail.com](mailto:taylorcolemiller@gmail.com)

## Owned by Mark

A beautiful skeleton banner **FOUND**

Cheri found this in Hercules Season 6 Episode "Darkness Visible" in the Great Hall at Vlad's Castle. The screen capture only shows the bottom portion of the banner but Cheri was still able to match it. THANK YOU!



[jack\\_deth13@yahoo.com](mailto:jack_deth13@yahoo.com)

### Owned by Cheri

"Sheer veil or wrap used in the production of Xena: Warrior Princess. If you have seen this in an Episode please let Cheri know.



### Arm Band **FOUND**

Cheri found her own metal and leather Arm band in Hercules Season 6 Episode "Rebel Without A Cause" worn by the executioner.



[myxenawp@yahoo.com](mailto:myxenawp@yahoo.com)

**Owned by Mike**

**Sword with Blue Jewel**



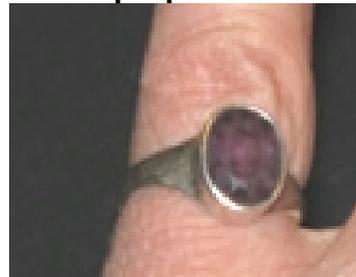
Please contact Mike at [mtmace@pacbell.net](mailto:mtmace@pacbell.net)

**Owned by Paul X 6**

**1. Paua shell bracelet**



**2. Small purple stone ring**



3. Metal bracelets and necklace



4 Men's medium size shirt but with "Renee" tag.



5.& 6 A Roman sign. It is not a scroll since it is printed on plastic material.



Silver Goblet



Please contact Paul if you have seen any of his props [txodo@hotmail.com](mailto:txodo@hotmail.com)

Owned by Randi A. Sarokoff, Ph.D., BCBA X 5

1. Earrings and Ring Marked Lucy



2. Silver candlesticks



### 3. Mini Sword only 10-12 inches long.

This style Sword was seen in many episodes but not as this mini size. It as actually marked mini sword maybe used by a child. Has anyone seen this in an episode?



### 4 &5 Sword Scabbards

If you have a screen grab of a character using any of the two remaining scabbards please contact Barbie or Randi



[randisarokoff@aol.com](mailto:randisarokoff@aol.com)

### Owned by Grant

Bag or Wine Skin believed to be used by Kevin Smith as Ares



Please contact grant at [asgardnz@gmail.com](mailto:asgardnz@gmail.com) if you have any information

**Owned by Carsten**  
**Here is a lovely silver goblet with a nice pattern**



Please contact Carston at [mail@carsten-neumann.com](mailto:mail@carsten-neumann.com) if you have seen this.

**Owned by Carin X 4**

1. Shoulder or Saddle bag



2. Scroll Bag



3. Bracelet

Here is a silver bracelet that came out of a box that was a brown carton labeled Gabrielle/Renée that had goodies in it! Can anyone verify the validity of these bracelets worn by Gabrielle?



#### 4. Gauntlets

Here are Gauntlets made really well of woven black leather strips. They say Kora and also say Emma inside. They were supposed to be from Young Hercules. So far, Kora in Young Hercules did not wear them and I have no idea about an Emma they are 2 different people as the actress who played Kora is not named Emma, could have been her stunt or double.



Please contact [allaboutartgalry@aol.com](mailto:allaboutartgalry@aol.com) if you have seen any of these

#### Owned by Xena Museum & Athenaeum Beautiful Roman Standard



Please contact [Christina@XenaMuseum.com](mailto:Christina@XenaMuseum.com) if you have seen this

#### Owned by Barbie Stool

This stool has a nice cowhide seat with evil looking heads on the top, beautiful paua shell inlay on the legs and metal feet. Probably set dressing in a castle or tent.

If you spot this in an episode please let me know.



[allaboutartgalry@aol.com](mailto:allaboutartgalry@aol.com)

**Owned by Mart Burrow x 12**

1. Very beautiful intricate Spear.



**2. Gauntlets**



**3. Dagger and Sheath**



#### 4. Leather Wardrobe

Leather Wardrobe is made of vinyl soft leather like material and lined with soft cotton material and all decorations are hand painted. All the designs are Egyptian especially with the Egyptian eyes and what seems to me to be Isis in the front. It consists of a set of gauntlets, a dress and a set of greaves.



#### 5. Amazon Necklace



#### 6. Piece of cloth with a dragon



**7 & 8 Amazon Mask and elaborate necklace, the large medallion is 3" across, the middle one is 2 1/2" and the smallest one is 2".**



9. Here are 2 daggers, one is a standard dagger the other is a FX dagger that holds a blood tube in the handle so you can squeeze it a little as you cut someone and have the blood cut appear. It has a thin tube with holes in it that runs the full length of the blade but the holes are only from the tip to about half way down. The handles are made of closed cell foam with a resin coating and then painted but the blades are rubber, neat little daggers measuring 9" long that look identical in appearance.



10 & 11 Beaded and Coconut Amazons belts



12. Ring



Please contact [tasteofhollywood@bellsouth.net](mailto:tasteofhollywood@bellsouth.net)

**If a reader has spotted your prop or wardrobe in an episode please let me know so I can post it!**

## The Quest



Looking for a particular prop to add to your collection?

I will be happy to assist you

Just submit a description, picture and your contact information and we will post it for you.

Please contact [allaboutartgalry@aol.com](mailto:allaboutartgalry@aol.com)

**Here is a List of Props, Wardrobe and Production Material our readers would like to find for sale so they can purchase them to add to their collections. We know that very few wardrobe or props are one-offs so even if there is an item you want in a collection that is not for sale there may be others out there so please continue to post your wants.**

**SEARCH CONTINUES.....**

**Sandra** owns Athena's lead costume and is looking for the boots, leather skirt, and sword to complete Athena's costume. Sandra has the boot tops but needs the actual boots. Sandra has the gold shorts/panties but needs the black skirt what she believes to be leather, skirt under the chainmail skirt that goes between the two.



Also looking for Nemesis' bow and arrows (from Young Hercules).  
[pegasus@vicksburg.com](mailto:pegasus@vicksburg.com)

Louise would like to find Xena & Gabrielle's fairy costumes from "If the Shoe Fits"

Paul had his picture taken with Renee wearing the cossie so she probably still has it but there may have been a double or back up dress.



[louise\\_heyden@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:louise_heyden@yahoo.co.uk)

Edgar would like to find the following

### Replicas

Creation Ent. Callisto's Sword with COA

Creation Ent. Breast Dagger W/ Shadowbox and COA

Creation Ent. Gabrielle's Staff W/ COA

Creation Ent. Ares Sword W/ COA

Creation Ent. Gabrielle's Sai's W/ Shadowbox and COA

Limited Edition Xena Gauntlets prop Replica's From Creation Ent. W/ Certificate

Limited Edition Xena Arm Bands Prop Replica's From Creation Ent. W/ Certificate

Xena Catalog Splitting Ying Yang Chakram W/ COA

Xena Scabbard W/ COA

ANY REPLICA FROM TODDS COSTUMES Armor Outfit

### Set used Prop(s):

Hinds Blood Pendant From Hercules The one that looks like a Chakram W/ COA

Ambrosia With COA

Chakram(s) W/ COA

Xena's Hero Sword W/ COA

[swordofx@yahoo.com](mailto:swordofx@yahoo.com)

**Lee** has the Thor double helmet from Hercules Episode and would like to find additional pieces to the outfit please contact him if you have any leads. Ben Reed was the actor as Thor.

[urspider68@verizon.net](mailto:urspider68@verizon.net)

**Cheri** needs to find Autolykus as Philipon's hat from Xena Episode "Tale of Two Muses", She has acquired the robe and needs the hat to go with it. The hat went through the Yahoo it's a Wrap Auctions so we know it survived the set as most hats or headpieces did not.

This scroll was found and used by Autolykus/Bruce in Hercules Season 4 Episode "My Fair Cupcake". If anyone has this and is willing to sell it I would love to know if they would. So I guess this would be a HOLY GRAIL item for me. Staff used by Bruce in Xena Season 3 Ep. "The King of Assassins".



[myxenawp@yahoo.com](mailto:myxenawp@yahoo.com)

### **Paul would like to find**

Morrigan's Pants, Boots, glove and axe



[txodo@cableone.net](mailto:txodo@cableone.net)

### **Scott would like to purchase the following:**

Xena Sword  
Amazon Sword  
Retractable SFX Sword of any kind  
Callisto Warrior Costume  
Any Hudson Leick Costume  
Caesar/Cupid/Karl Urban Costumes  
Peacock Statue from Hera's Temples  
Bacchus Costume and/or Make-Up Prosthetics  
Lucifer Costume and/or Make-Up Prosthetics  
Mephistopheles Costume and/or Make-Up Prosthetics  
Zeus Costume (Preferably an Anthony Quinn)  
Minotaur Costume and/or headpiece from the Herc movie  
Ulysses' bow from "Ulysses"  
Terpsichore's Lyre  
Background dancer costumes from Jace and Draco's groups from "Lyre, Lyre..."  
Kali weapons from "The Way"  
Horde Ax  
Empress Xena costume and headpiece  
Jason's Costume from "Young Hercules"  
Any SFX Creature costumes, prosthetics or make-up bits  
Animation cels from the animated film  
Production art: especially costume and set designs  
Ryan Gosling's "Young Hercules" pants and gauntlets (to complete my costume)  
Please contact me at [scottlukaswilliams@hotmail.com](mailto:scottlukaswilliams@hotmail.com)

**Phyllis would like to find more original art related to Xena and Hercules. Mike Deodato confirmed there is unpublished art that he did.**  
[eidelon\\_2000@yahoo.com](mailto:eidelon_2000@yahoo.com)

**Tedra would like to purchase a hatchet or axe like below and the necklace seen here to go with her Gwen-Tier wardrobe. Holy grail prop is the Xena Breast Dagger.**  
Please contact [tedra@fineblankbooks.com](mailto:tedra@fineblankbooks.com)



**Randi A. Sarokoff, Ph.D., BCBA would like to find a set used Xena sword scabbard.**  
If you have this for sale please contact [randisarokoff@aim.com](mailto:randisarokoff@aim.com)

**Fiona would like to find Brittney Powells' costume as Brunnhilda from the Norse trilogy.**  
Please contact Fiona if you have this for sale. [eternalflame13@gmail.com](mailto:eternalflame13@gmail.com)

**Daniel would like to find the Alter from the temple of chakrams seen in Season Five Episode "Chakram".** This had come up at auction on ebay years ago and Daniel regrets letting it slip through his fingers, now he would like to find it again to purchase.  
Please email [japinthezap@gmail.com](mailto:japinthezap@gmail.com)

**Elizabeth would like to find jewelry or anything used or worn by Lucy or Renee**  
[elizabethelfman704@hotmail.com](mailto:elizabethelfman704@hotmail.com)

**Brad would like to find any wardrobe and props worn or used by**

1. Ares played by Kevin Smith either from Young Herc, Herc or Xena.
2. Black leather items from Draco, Morloch, or any other warlord.
3. Ares soldiers Helmet that fits a size head of 23 inches, or 7 3/8, or 58.5 – 59 cm

Would like to find these items

- 1) Scythian Second in command's helmet,
- 2) Scythian Leader's full costume or at least the vest,
- 3) The second in command's full outfit or at least the vest,
- 4) Breastplate of the Apollo army soldier.
- 5) Guantlets for the Apollo army soldier
- 6) Dagnine warrior shirt
- 7) Dagnine cotehardie surcoat
- 8) Dagnine sword
- 9) Dagnine dagger
- 10) Dagnine warrior belt.

## **Ares Items**

- 1) Ares dagger that he used in "Old Ares Had a Farm" and in "Coming Home"

- 2) Ares first vest and belt as seen in the first episodes: "The Reckoning", "Ties That Bind", "Intimate Stranger", and "The Furies"
- 3) A Persian army helmet as seen in "One Against An Army" (It's almost the same as the Ares soldier helmet)
- 4) Ares sword scabbards that were used in "The Reckoning" and in "Intimate Stranger". They look similar but are slightly different. The one in "The Reckoning" had the Ares symbol on it but it was upside down.
- 5) Any Ares war banners that were used in the episode "Coming Home"

Please contact [valeron5@yahoo.com](mailto:valeron5@yahoo.com)

**Mark would like to find** Xena's Samurai Chest-Back Armor; he has the entire wardrobe and would like to complete it by finding the armor. If you have this for sale please contact [jack\\_deth13@yahoo.com](mailto:jack_deth13@yahoo.com)

**Jason and Darran owner of Movie Prop King** are looking for Callisto's dagger and Sword to go with their complete costume. Also looking for Bruce Campbell's Autolycus belt to go with their wardrobe pieces. [kingjason1@aol.com](mailto:kingjason1@aol.com)

## Morgan's Wish List

### Wardrobe Items:

- \*Gabrielle's FIN Armor/Gauntlets/Blue Robe
- \*Gabrielle's or Xena's Oilskin coats from "The Abyss"
- \*Solari's wardrobe from The Quest
- \*Gabrielle's heavy coat from the Ring Trilogy
- \*Xena's red outfit, including jewelry, from "Chakram"
- \*Xena's archangel gauntlets and sandals from "Fallen Angel"
  - \*Beowulf's wardrobe
  - \*Palemon's wardrobe
- \*Cyane (Morgan Reese Fairhead) Amazon wardrobe
  - \*Xena's riding outfit from "Fates"
- Gabrielle's blue outfit from the end of "The Haunting of Amphipolis"

### Props and Weapons:

- amazon arrow to go with my bow, preferably one of the arrows used on Xena's coffin in the Quest
- \*Dagger of Helios from the QUEST (different from the season 5 dagger of Helios)
  - \*Valkyrie sword **FOUND**
- \*Valkyrie painting from the Rheingold (the one in the market) and Xena Valkyrie painting hanging in Odin's castle
  - \*Any stunt, cut-off, or retractable weapons
  - \*Xena's sword in resin
  - \*Any style dagger used by Xena in any episode
  - \*Gabrielle Rheingold scroll (with Xena's lip print on it)
  - \*Small leather "map" book used by Autolycus in the Quest
  - \*Metal or resin locks from any episode, including the Valkyrie raven lock
  - \*Any of the keys hanging in Cyrene's tavern in "Takes one to Know one"
    - \*Amazon mask
    - \*Amazon bird sword
    - \*Other amazon weapons
  - \*Aphrodite pink bottle from Fins, Femmes and Gems
    - \*Dinars or dinar bags

- \*Bamboo tankard **FOUND**
- \*Autolycus's lock-picking gear
- \*THE Rheingold and little chest it was stored in

Valkyrie Spear



**Other:**

- \*Any original production material, such as storyboards, drawings, continuity photos, call sheets, costume sheets, scripts, crew invitations, crew shirts, hats, etc. Original only, no copies or reproductions.
- \*Any horse-themed or horse-related items worn by any of the horses or as decoration on flags, emblems, etc.
- \*Any set-dressing items

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The Collection of: Xena Museum & Athenaeum  
 Please go to the website and click on 'Wanted by the Xena Museum'



<http://xenamuseum.googlepages.com/xenamuseum%26atheneumprops%26costumes>

[Christina@XenaMuseum.com](mailto:Christina@XenaMuseum.com)

**Annie** is looking for any Alti items played by Claire Stansfield. You can contact her at [graylady@mdvl.net](mailto:graylady@mdvl.net) if you have any leads.

**Lilias** has many awesome props and wardrobe and would like to buy or trade items for a Xena chakram or Xena Sword. Please contact her at [liliasodell@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:liliasodell@yahoo.co.uk) if you are interested in TRADING.

**Mart** is looking for Ming Tzu's hat from "The Debt", Bacchae earrings from "Girls Just Wanna Have Fun"

To complete my Hephaestus Wardrobe from Young Hercules I am looking for a armband or necklace that looks like these in the screen caps. The armband is brown leather with copper pieces layered like fish scales and the necklace has black rings connected. Also a pair of short, combat style brown boots with the toe covered with a copper piece on top



[proxyblue@aol.com](mailto:proxyblue@aol.com)

**Carin** is looking for Gabrielle's silver decorated belt from her red velvet outfit. I would like to find the scarf/wrap Gabrielle enters the room in 'Who's Gurkhan' when she is all covered up and used in the dance. I have that costume (belt, bra and skirt) and would like to put it all together again. Email [allaboutartgalry@aol.com](mailto:allaboutartgalry@aol.com) or [xenafunbarbie@aol.com](mailto:xenafunbarbie@aol.com)

**Barbie** is looking for

1. Any items from Najara's wardrobe including upper armbands, gloves, quiver or resin sword.
  2. Any resin staff or spear.
  3. I own the Ezra 4 piece cape/corset, blouse, 2 skirts, Turban and jewelry and would like to find the Ezra shoes I gave up hope that I would find the shoes but a collector informed me that he saw them at the IAW sales so I know they survived and are out there somewhere!
  4. **Satrina's red skirts, sword, sword scabbard, boots or gloves.**
  5. Any armor, cossie or prop from the Hercules Movie 'Hercules and the Amazon Women'
  6. I have Helen of Troy's bed robe from Xena Episode "Beware of Greeks Bearing Gifts" I would love to find the white silk nightgown.
  7. Gabrielle's healer outfit from Xena Ep. "Locked Up and Tied Down"
  8. **My absolute HOLY GRAIL prop would be the bird head staff seen in Hooves and Harlots, good luck right?!**
- Please contact [allaboutartgalry@aol.com](mailto:allaboutartgalry@aol.com)

If you find your prop and your search is over please let me know so I can remove it from our list and feature your purchase in the next publication!

"A Day in the life"



Items For Sale

For Sale by Mark in NZ

Mark has a shop in NZ called Just Plane Interesting

[www.justplaneinteresting.co.nz](http://www.justplaneinteresting.co.nz)

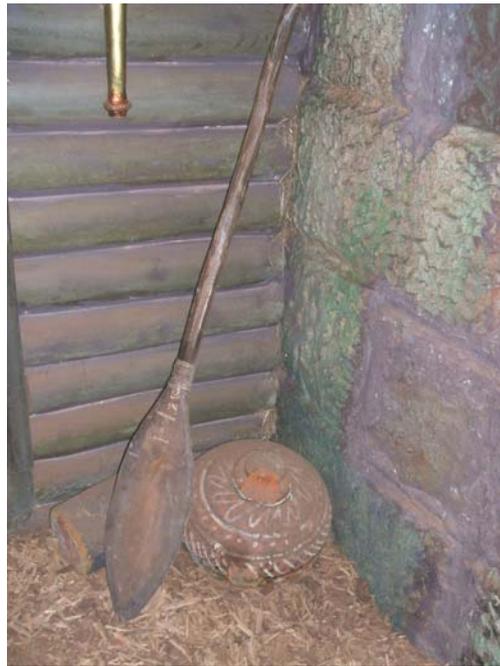


Prices are in NZ dollars Plus Shipping. Please contact Mark to get a quote on shipping fees to your area. Mark can also send you additional pictures of any items you request. These Props are currently in his shop for sale so any item you are interested in can be secured.

1. Single polyfoam gourd 1' 3 3/4" wide x 10 1/2 " tall / 400mm x 270mm, \$89 NZ
2. Pair of polyfoam wall display plinthes/shelves 1' 4" high x 11 1/2" wide / 410mm x 290mm, \$155 NZ



3. Large samurai warrior outfit leather, copper, polyfoam \$895NZ
4. Large wooden single paddle, wooden shaft & blade, hand-bound fastenings, 4' 11" long / 1500mm, \$159NZ



5. Polyfoam water vessel, 1' 3" tall / 380mm, \$89NZ
6. Crossbow, wooden shaft with metal fastenings, 2' 1 1/2" long x 1' 5 1/2" wide / 650mm x 440mm, \$295NZ



- 7. Small sickle, all MDF wood, 2' 1 1/2" long / 640mm, \$89
- 8. Large sickle, all MDF wood, 2' 3 1/2" long / 700mm, \$109



- 9. Slashing sword, all MDF wood, 2' 1" long / 630mm, \$89NZ
- 10. Battleaxe, wooden shaft light cast metal head, 2' 9 1/2" long / 850mm, \$159



11. Large freestanding polyfoam gauntleted fist, 1 foot 9 inches tall x 13 1/2 inches wide / 530mm x 340mm, \$195



12. Large polyfoam flute, 1' 5" long / 430mm, \$149 NZ

13. Ares plaster head bust, 1' 2 1/4" tall, \$195 NZ



14. Elephant panels are polyfoam and we retail them of NZ\$145 each. We currently have two available which I understand are part of the Ares castle props. They measure 33 inches long x 13 inches high.



[info@justplaneinteresting.co.nz](mailto:info@justplaneinteresting.co.nz)

## For Sale by Marilyn X 4

### 1. Najara Sword and Scabbard

Here is a rubber blade sword with the sheath \$250



## Amazon Swords x 2 and (1) scabbard

The Amazon Scabbard was acquired from the warehouse sale during the Xena Con several years back, \$175 plus shipping. The Amazon foam sword next to the scabbard is \$200 plus shipping. The Amazon resin sword next to the foam was purchased from Matt Watson in NZ. There is a copy of the original post on ebay and communications with Matt, \$400 plus shipping. The Helicon Amazon sword on the far right is **SOLD**



Please contact Marilyn if you are interested in these items [Trb1007@aol.com](mailto:Trb1007@aol.com)

## For Sale by Scott X 4

1. Hercules/Xena altered Blue Priest Mask from "Hercules and the Lost Kingdom" and other episodes Purchased from Erin. Comes with copies of Turner map and Day 3 Auction Catalog. Asking \$40.00 plus shipping.

. Xena Corset pattern from "Heart of Darkness" **SOLD**



2. Xena "Return of the Valkyrie" Hrothgar Belt Pieces  
Purchased from an eBay in Spain. No provenance. Asking \$15.00 plus shipping.
  3. Xena "A Good Day" Temecula Pants  
Purchased from an eBay in Spain. No provenance. Asking \$15.00 plus shipping.
- Xena Octavius Double Costume **SOLD**



4. Hercules/Xena Unfinished Resin Dagger Purchased from Morgan. Comes with copy of Turner's rpt. for asst. weapons. Asking \$15.00 plus shipping.

Hilary McMillan Dress from Hercules "Genies, Grecians..." **SOLD**



Additional photos, screen caps and descriptions can be found on Scott's blog: <http://seleyatoolympus.blogspot.com> or email [scottlukaswilliams@hotmail.com](mailto:scottlukaswilliams@hotmail.com)

## For Sale by Phil

Costume seen worn by Xena in Episode "A Royal Couple of Thieves"

This comes with an authentic original hand written letter Lucy wrote about the costume with signature. "Open to Offers", Shipping to the US is \$75.



[phil.alldridge@me.com](mailto:phil.alldridge@me.com)

## For Sale by Leena x 4

1. Xena Suitcase (containing Xena and Gabrielle's hair)
  2. Gabrielle Costume (complete) first season
  3. Xena Diana Princess dress from Ep. Warrior.....Princess
- Please make an offer on these great items**



## 4. Xena's Jacket

This is a jacket Lucy wore off set to cover up between takes. This is not a full length robe but a jacket. It has a COA from the Hollywood Connection. Price is Negotiable



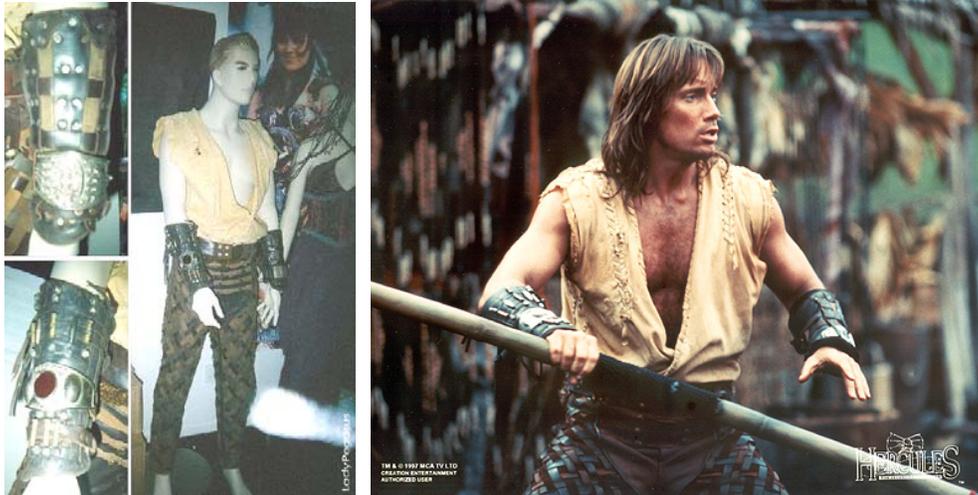
[xena\\_trade\\_center@yahoo.com](mailto:xena_trade_center@yahoo.com)

## For Sale by Torey Hercules complete costume Price reduced **\$5,000 FIRM**

It is COMPLETE and it has the costume tags and IAW COA and everything is HIS. It even has mints in his little leather pouch (probably for his close ups with the ladies)

Kevin Sorbo wore this full costume in the 5th season Xena episode "God Fearing Child" where Xena had her baby and Hercules was hugged by Lucy at least a few times while wearing that costume. It also does come with the costume tag that states it to be Kevin Sorbo's complete costume. The tag reads Xena EP. # 13 Kevin Sorbo Hercules.

The detail on Kevin's left gauntlet is astounding. Kevin always said, "When the gauntlets come on- I AM Hercules!"  
The right gauntlet is the nicer of the two- with a red carnelian polished stone in it.



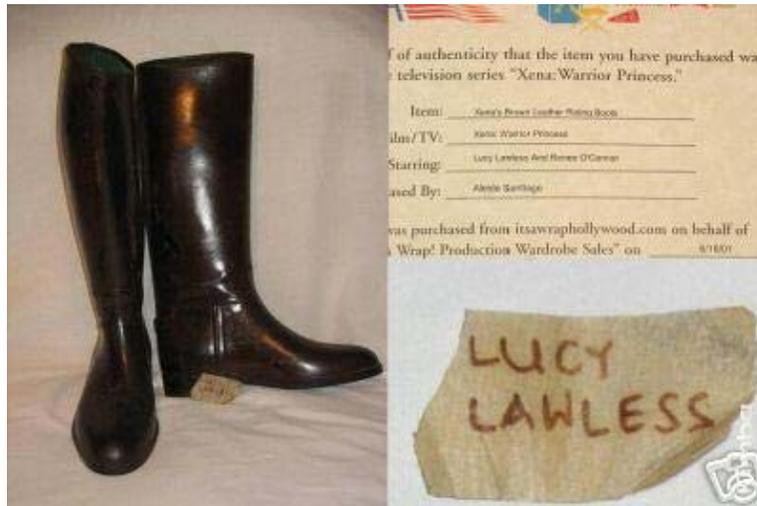
Please contact [ldypegasus2002@aol.com](mailto:ldypegasus2002@aol.com) for more information and pictures

## For Sale by Lorraine aka Kimba

### Xena Stunt Boots

Here are Lucy's stunt boots and they come with the IAW COA showing that they are Lucy's with a label. Something else to be said about these boots- Lucy herself advertised these boots on her site stating them to be hers, as they were auctioned off for charity, along with quite a few other props and costumes of hers at the time. They are also her size so even though we know they aren't her hero boots, we know she obviously did some stunts on horseback, and these are equestrian boots. Lucy wore these English equestrian boots when she did limited stunt work on top of Tilly (Argo) the beautiful

palomino mare she rode throughout the series. The boots are actually black painted brown to go with her brown leathers. They are a size 10 1/2 (her size) and are a rubber material not leather like her normal boots. \$150



PLEASE CONTACT LORRAINE FOR MORE INFORMATION AND PICTURES [XWPARGO@AOL.COM](mailto:XWPARGO@AOL.COM)

## FOR SALE BY ELLIE

- \$1500 Callisto Angel Wings and Hudson Harness with receipt from effects company
- \$1000 Xena resin FIN Katana with IAW COA
- \$1000 Callisto Angel Wings with no harness with receipt from effects company
- \$600 Gabrielle's Fishsticks Tail
- \$200 Fishsticks Octopus Eye
- \$150 Amazon/Misc Spear
- \$100 Misc Gold Bow
- \$130 Horns
- Injured Horns...fits over top of head
- Brown Horns...fits over top of head
- Soft Foam Horns...super soft foam horns, about 12 inches long
- Misc Curly Horns...plastic horns, about 8-12 inches long

I am currently offering payment plans, since I know that many of you have been affected by the economy. Please feel free to contact me, so we can work out a plan for you.

[edesilva@earthlink.net](mailto:edesilva@earthlink.net)

## For Sale by Mart

Here is a link for his items that are for sale or trade

[http://mytasteofhollywood.com/html/for\\_sale\\_or\\_trade.html](http://mytasteofhollywood.com/html/for_sale_or_trade.html)



Please visit Mart's website to see the wonderful props and wardrobe he has for sale.

[tasteofhollywood@bellsouth.net](mailto:tasteofhollywood@bellsouth.net)

## For Sale by The Xena Museum & Athenaeum

Please visit the website to see all of the items for sale

[www.xenamuseum.com](http://www.xenamuseum.com)



From the Home page scroll down to heading that says Xena and Hercules available for purchase

[Christina@XenaMuseum.com](mailto:Christina@XenaMuseum.com)

## Paradise Found



## NEWLY PURCHASED ITEMS

### Owned by Randi X 2

#### 1. Amazon Metal Sword

This metal sword has some burn marks and we think it was Terreis's sword seen in "Hooves and Harlots" that they had in the hot coals. The burn marks are clear on the blade beneath the bird and the bird's right wing also has burn marks.



## 2. Lion Head Sword

This lion head sword was Seen used by a warlord in X 2 E 11 “Here She Comes Miss Amphipolis”, Octavius in X 5 E 19 “Looking Death in the Eye” and in X 3 E 15 “King Con”



Here is a screen capture of Octavius.



[randisarokoff@aim.com](mailto:randisarokoff@aim.com)

**Owned by Mark**

**Junkyard Sword**

**Seen in Episode “Send in the Clones”**



Xena with Sword in the Junk Yard



[jack\\_deth13@yahoo.com](mailto:jack_deth13@yahoo.com)

## Owned by Mart X 3

1. This sword is similar to the style used in 'Locked Up and Tied Down'. It is made of closed cell foam on a metal rod, painted in layers to give it an antique realistic look and a handle wrapped in leather.



2. This cudgel is quite well made and heavy. The whole thing is one piece and made out of closed cell foam with a thick resin coating. Even the twine appearance was all cast in the same mold. It measures 24 1/2" and is missing some spikes under the skull from set use but is still a great piece of XWP/Herc history. I'm not sure which episode it was used in, so if you have seen it please let me know.



3. Pilee/Vanessa necklace used in the episode 'Daughter of Pomira' worn by Beth Allen...it is made of lots and lots of beads with leather ties, it has a large crescent in the center with leather, beads and feathers hanging from it. The

crescent appears to be made out of a resin or composite type material and then painted to look wooden.



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## OWNED BY BARBIE

Back in March 2008, Xena Prop House, Volume 22, I wrote an article called 'Kindred Spirit' which was in honor of my Friend and Xena fan Bob Felix. He lived in Hawaii and due to the high cost of living there could no longer afford it, packed up and moved to Nevada. He bought a little piece of land on a lake and found a little puppy he named 'Xena'. Over time he was diagnosed with cancer and at some point he knew he was dying and generously gave some of his collection away. He gave this license plate that he had on his motorcycle in Hawaii to Marjanka in the Netherlands who was also diagnosed with cancer. Bob passed away from a long battle with his cancer in September 2007. Now that Mar has been battling her cancer she thought it appropriate to pass this plate on to me knowing that Bob would have wanted a friend to have it. I will cherish this always and it will be a constant reminder of my gentle friend, Bob, who loved Xena. Thank you Marjanka.



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**Owned by Morgan X 2**

### **1. Amazon Necklaces**



**2.** Amazon sword most famously seen in Xena Episode “To Helicon and Back” This style sword handle we originally thought was seen in 3 colors, black, dark brown and honey color. We now know there was a fourth color as Morgan’s sword is a bit darker than the honey but lighter than the dark brown. Morgan’s sword has the crisscross pattern on the handle with a plain square under the hilt void of any pattern.



As seen in this screen capture below Cyane's sword is darker than Gabby's but lighter than the dark brown. Gabby's sword in this screen cap does not have the crisscross pattern as seen on Morgan's. However viewing the episode we see that the crisscross shows in a scene then switches to one without.

Here you can see below Gabby's sword has no pattern on the handle and I viewed this as she moved around. A few seconds later in this scene there **is** the crisscross on her sword!



Here is a scene earlier in the episode you can see there **is** a crisscross pattern on the handle of Gabby's sword which I found to be true with the other color handled swords.



This is Mart's sword very dark brown almost black, you can see this sword has a crisscross on the handle like Morgan's and it is throughout the handle that is very dark so it is hard to see. Also the shape on the hilt is plain and void of the celtic cross pattern like Morgan's.

sword #1



This is also Mart's sword below a dark brown color a little lighter then the sword above. You can see there is no crisscross pattern on the handle. Also you can see there **is** the celtic symbol on the hilt so clearly there was more than one mold for this sword.

Sword # 2



Mart's Swords side by side for comparison



Here is Barbie's Helicon sword which has a dark brown handle with flecks of orange colored paint with no crisscross pattern and the Celtic like cross symbol on the hilt like Mart's #2 sword.



Then through further research I found that there is a third mold, a sword with the crisscross handle **and** the celtic cross symbol on the hilt like the one owned by the Xena Museum & Athenaeum below.



Here is Cheri's Helicon sword dark brown handle with the crisscross handle **and** the cross on the hilt so we have 2 swords to reflect this mold.



We are not sure exactly why they used 2 or 3 similar swords in “ To Helicon and Back” switching out and allowing the differences to show from scene to scene.

Morgan had a plausible theory that the different styles were lumped together and they had different colored sword hilts according to rank, but they could not label the swords like they could wardrobe. So then it would make sense that the actors playing warriors would just grab a black handled one, Gab would get the honey colored, first in command the brown, etc. Maybe it was the color, not the pattern that mattered with the hectic schedules during filming. We know they had to make multiples in case some broke or got damaged.

We now know there were at least 3 different moulds because one, two or possibly 3 were originally made for the Hercules Episodes. “Sky High” is one Episode where Ephiny had a honey colored Helicon style sword that does have the criss cross pattern on the handle.

Hercules episode “Sky High” Air date was Monday January 25, 1999 making shooting dates much earlier than that. Approximate shooting dates for “To Helicon and Back is Mid-December 2000. So clearly “Sky High” and other Herc Eps. were filmed first and swords made then. I imagine they may have made a new mold for Helicon but also used the leftovers from the Herc Eps.



Here we see the sword pop up in more Hercules Episodes.

Queen Kayla from Hercules Season 6 Ep. "Love, Amazon Style".



Here is Hercules Season 5 Ep. "We'll Always Have Cyprus" used by the Priestess & Protectors of The Oracle of Cyprus. This beautiful sword has engravings all down the blade so clearly another mold making a total of 4 similar to this style. The one constant characteristic of the sword through all the molds is the angular shape of the tip of the blade.



**Thank you Mart, Cheri, Morgan and Christina for your assistance in this research project.**

If you have any additional information about this sword please share with us.

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"A Good Day"

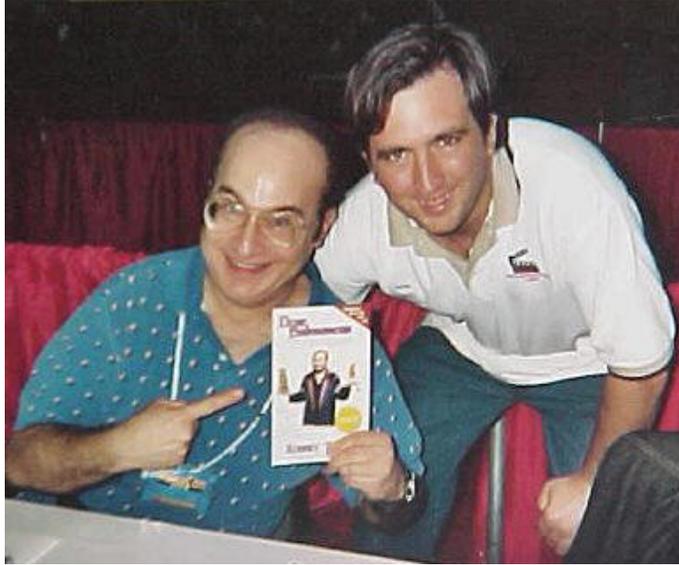


Here is Tricia with Widow Twanky! Photo Op image from the 2009 Convention



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Here is Jason with Robert Trebor "Salmoneus"



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If you have pictures of yourself with an actor or pictures from the set of Xena or Hercules series please share with us

Contact Barbie at [allaboutartgalry@aol.com](mailto:allaboutartgalry@aol.com)

## Animal Attraction



## Morgan's dog Lexi adopts a kitten

We have about 20 barn cats out at the horse farm and the dogs just love to chase them everywhere. For some reason, Lexi has broken the dog/cat protocol and taken this little kitten under her wing. When she gets out to the barn, she looks around for her and then when she sees her, she runs over to her and sits by her or she will lie down by her and just keep an eye on her. If the kitten moves, then Lexi moves too. She lets her crawl all over her and she sort of "mothers" her. Macy (the kitten) seems to know that Lexi will not hurt her and runs to Lexi when she is harassed by the older cats. She hides in her tail or goes under Lexi's chin and just sits there. It's pretty cute. Lexi does not extend the same courtesy to the other cats. We don't know what it is, but something about this particular kitten made Lexi a sucker for her! All I have to say is, "Lexi, where is Macy?" and she runs around until she finds her :-)

Lexi with the kitten Macy



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Please contact [allaboutartgalry@aol.com](mailto:allaboutartgalry@aol.com) if you would like us to feature your pet or have a really interesting story surrounding any of your pets.

## THE GREATER GOOD



**Lucy knows about our publication and signed the first page of Volume Two!**

### THANK YOU ALL FOR YOUR DONATIONS!

I run the auctions under ebay member name [inthelightofthemoon2](#). I loved when Xena and Gabrielle would lie down at night under the stars and talk calmly after a LONG day.

The charity list is growing but the list will always stay in the publication. I am so grateful to Julie who started this chain of giving and am proud of each and every one of you who donated and participated in these auctions! Bravo to you all!

**Xena Prop House Past auctions and private sales proceeds went to the charity listed**

**February 2009**

**Lot of Xena collectibles \* Kindred Spirits Sanctuary**

**January 2009**

**Strangers in Paradise Comics signed by Terry Moore \*Kindred Spirits Sanctuary**

**December 2008**

**Lot of Xena collectibles \* Kindred Spirits Sanctuary**

**November 2008**

**2 Vip Roxy Show Tickets for Lucy's Performance\* Aids Project Los Angeles**

**July 2008**

**Xena Lot of items\* Kindred Spirits Sanctuary**

**April 2008**

**Blue gown worn by Lucy in Season One 'The Reckoning' \* Starship**

**September 2007**

**Framed Polymer Clay Chakram \* Starship and the Acorn Institute Hurricane Recovery & Building Fund for New Orleans**

**June Auction 2007**

**Photos and Props\* Big Brothers, Big Sisters of Key West, Florida**

**May Auction 2007**

**Armor \* Humane Society New York Division**

**April Auction 2007**

**Resin Sword \* American Cancer Society**

**February Auction 2007**

**Callisto Cereal Box \* Tri County Humane Society**

**January Auctions 2007**

**Xena Convention 2007 Xena sword \* Starship**

**Auction for misc. Xena items \* Humane Society of Sarasota County, Inc.**

**December Ausxip Auction 2006**

**Roman Noble Dress Legacy \* Starship**

**Bamboo Tankard \* Alisa Ann Rusch Burn Foundation**

**Xena Stamps\* Starship**

**Bamboo Arrow\* Alisa Ann Rusch Burn Foundation**

**Soldiers Helmet\* Alisa Ann Rusch Burn Foundation**

**5 Signed Lucy photos\* Starship**

**Callisto on Cereal Box\* Alisa Ann Rusch Burn Foundation**

**Lucy signed the first page volume two Xena Prop House\*Starship**

**November eBay Auction and Private Donation 2006**

**Pavement Magazine signed by Lucy lawless \* Broadway Cares**

**Xena Prop House Publication Lucy signed front page \* Starship**

**October Ausxip Auction and Private Sale 2006**

**Julie strikes again and donated the Wardrobe that Lucy wore as Armanestra in "Between the Lines" and Pelia wardrobe Lucy wore in "If the Shoe Fits"**

**1. Armanestra Wardrobe \* Starship**

**2. Pelia Wardrobe \* Starship**

**3. Candid signed photo of Lucy \* Starship**

**September eBay Auction 2006**

**On September 23<sup>rd</sup> 2006 we initiated a 7day auction on e bay for an original signed photo of Lucy Lawless from a Maxim Magazine photo shoot donated by Julie. This photo did not sell and was offered to the Ausxip Auction and it sold!**

**August eBay Auctions 2006**

**1. Cherish Armbands worn by Lucy \* National Kidney Foundation of Florida.**

**2. Kevin Smith original signed photo \* Alabama Wildlife Center.**

**3. Lucy original signed photo as Xena in Hercules \* Alabama Wildlife Center.**

July eBay Auction and Private Sales 2006

1. Lucy Letter \* Starship
2. Lucy's Silver Sandals \* Angel Flight.
3. Lucy Ring worn in "Legacy" \* Starship

### Xena Museum & Athenaeum

We are currently offering the brand new Xena Museum & Athenaeum pin back button to help support the work of the XMA with a portion of the proceeds to support Christian Children's Fund, providing food, clothing, education and healthcare to children worldwide since 1938.

also

Any donors ordering a Xena Museum button will have the option to elect the charity their donation goes to, be it CCF or Women for Women International. Women for Women benefits women who have suffered the atrocities of war and gives donors the option to have their donation go to a charity without a religious affiliation. Other charities will benefit in the future if we are successful with these efforts.

<http://xenamuseum.googlepages.com/supportthexma>

Please visit the shop link below as an extension of the charity button campaign to allow supporters to choose items other than the XMA button with proceeds still supporting the two selected charities, CCF and Women for Women International.

<http://www.cafepress.com/xenamuseum>

**NEW**

### Warrior Women United



Christina has been working on the Xena Museum MySpace page at <http://www.myspace.com/xenamuseum> which features a slideshow of the collection and some warrior appropriate music and also announces Warrior Women United, a nonprofit organization formed to wage the battle for gender equality and put an end to the abuse and subjugation of women. The MySpace page for The Xena Museum and Warrior Women United has been joined by many strong women including members of the Xena cast and team, other related nonprofit groups, and female athletes, artists, and empowered women from every walk of life. If you are on Myspace please stop by and send a friend request.

## “If The Shoe Fits”



Love Gabby's backpack

**This is a Q and A section to help get those important questions answered.**

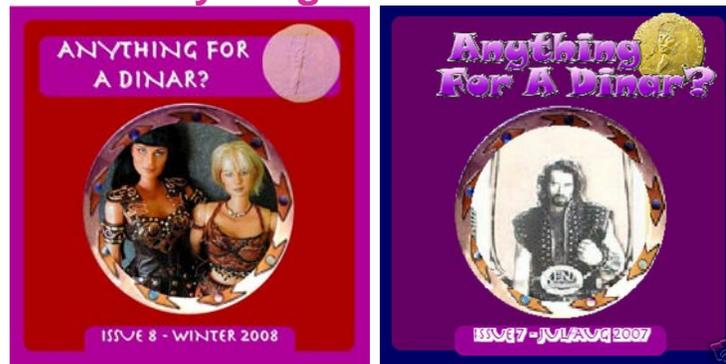
**Q 1** I am trying to find out how many Creation Entertainment Xena Whips were made. I spoke to Sharon and she doesn't remember how many exactly were made of the Xena Whips, but says there weren't many of them maybe only 100 though she isn't quite sure. She agreed that this is going to be a Xena Prop reproduction from the NZ prop makers mystery! So unless someone comes up with a limited edition of above 100 then it is a mystery. If anyone knows how many of these whips were made please let us know. **EDGAR**  
[Swordofx@yahoo.com](mailto:Swordofx@yahoo.com)

**Q 2** In regard to the Xena Warrior Princess original television sound track if anyone knows the words translated into the English language for  
#2 Warrior Princess  
#5 Burial song that was composed by Lucy Lawless  
#12 Glede Ma Glede (Amphipolis Theme Song) which is also a traditional Balkan harvesting song. I believe all 3 songs are sung in the Bulgarian language. I am very curious what the words say. The only songs translated in the cd cover are the “Xena Main Title” and “The Gauntlet” so if there is someone out there that knows the words in English to these 3 songs I would love to know what they are.  
**CHERI** [myxenawp@yahoo.com](mailto:myxenawp@yahoo.com)

**Q 3** What is your favorite Hercules or Xena Episode and why? **BARBIE**

If you have a question please send to Barbie at [allaboutartgalry@aol.com](mailto:allaboutartgalry@aol.com)  
Anyone who has the answer or can elaborate on an answer already submitted is most welcome to reply. I will keep the questions posted until an answer is obtained. All questions answered will be posted, then removed, before the next issue to keep the section tidy.

### Anything for a Dinar?



**New Issue #8**

**Issue #7**

Louise is publisher of this wonderful Fanzine providing information about Xena collectibles, so beautifully and professionally done. Her ebay member name is thebattlingbard to sign up for your low cost issues.

#### UPDATE

**All issues are now for charity, 80% goes to charity and 20% covers the cost of production.**

The fanzine is a bi-monthly guide to collecting Xenabilia and comes as a PDF on CD. It is fan-written by me and I hope it will provide you with an excellent resource to help you in your collecting - I aim for it to eventually cover all types of Xena merchandise available, with all the info, pictures and facts I can lay my hands on along with full checklists to assist you in seeking out items! I have had many lovely comments from members about the depth of content and how it has helped them with their collecting - so I hope you enjoy it too! Back issues available on request.

---Louise---

**Also Available** is a Year One pack now of all 6 issues, for those of you who haven't tried one yet!

£23 per year one set 1-6  
and £4 per issue.



### Issues 1 through 6

Contact Louise at [louise\\_heyden@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:louise_heyden@yahoo.co.uk) to get your subscription for her wonderful fanzine, Anything for a Dinar?

## Seeds of Faith



### Dealers, Blog Sites, Display Cases and More

Always do research before buying your prop or wardrobe piece. Check pictures of the prop you are getting ready to buy against the screen captures of it in the episodes. I will be happy to get those for you so please ask. Remember all readers are happy to help you so please if you have questions or comments don't hesitate to contact us!

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**Prop Dealers  
Please visit their sites**

[www.unitedmoviecollectorsguild.org](http://www.unitedmoviecollectorsguild.org)





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Stairway to the Stars <http://stairwaytothestars.com/>

The Prop Store of London at [www.propstore.com](http://www.propstore.com) Member of the Movie Prop Association and the Universal Autograph Collectors club

Prop Masters [www.propmasters.net/index.php](http://www.propmasters.net/index.php) Member of the Movie Prop Association.

Backlot Props and Costumes [www.backlotprops.com/](http://www.backlotprops.com/)

Costume Junkie at [www.costumejunkie.com](http://www.costumejunkie.com) Member of the Movie Prop Association and United Movie Collectors Guild

### More great sites to visit

Three places to show your props for free for those of you who don't have a website

1. [www.ketzer.com](http://www.ketzer.com)

2. <http://www.yourprops.com/sitemap.php>

3. The site is 100% free. It is called My Prop Collection and can be seen at [www.mypropcollection.com](http://www.mypropcollection.com). People can register for a free account and open up their own Movie Memorabilia Museum. Each museum even has its own url and is uploaded daily to Google! It is super easy to add items to your museum and there are places to add all kinds of info. There is even a place to set up stuff that you will be using in all of your listing so you don't have to add it manually for new listings because it will add it for you.

Hercules, Xena & Young Hercules episode guide, this information is invaluable!  
<http://whoosh.org/epguide/misc/characters.html>

It's A Wrap Hollywood [www.tvclothes.com](http://www.tvclothes.com) LIVE!

Movie Props <http://www.movieprop.com/index.htm>

Christie's [http://www.christies.com/home\\_page/home\\_page.asp](http://www.christies.com/home_page/home_page.asp)

Check it out a company that insures collectables: <http://www.collectinsure.com/>

Price guide

<http://movieprop.com/xenaprops1.htm>

Great websites that discuss protecting your wardrobe pieces. A must read! Keep your textiles out of direct light and more

<http://www.thehenryford.org/explore/artifacts/textile.asp>

<http://dept.kent.edu/museum/staff/care.html>

### Fan and Blog Sites

All collectors listed below are always available for prop identification and general help with your prop needs so please feel free to email them.

#### New Site!

Cheri's Xena Prop Treasures



<http://www.myxenawp.blogspot.com/>

Tanya's Dolls-n-Daggers

Beautifully made dolls

Check out the Gwyn Tier doll

[http://www.livejournal.com/users/dievalkyrie\\_99/](http://www.livejournal.com/users/dievalkyrie_99/)

Carbonek Blog Site

<http://xenastuff.blogspot.com/>

My Taste of Hollywood

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And a member of the **Movie Prop Association**



Xena, Hercules, Cleopatra2525 and other Sci-Fi Series

<http://mytasteofhollywood.com/>

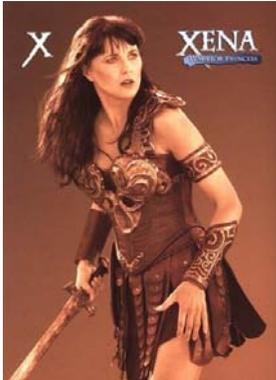
One Fan's Collection by Chris Clogston

<http://c.clogston.googlepages.com/home>

**Original Prop Blog by Jason De Bord**

<http://www.originalprop.com/blog/>

**Phil's Site**



<http://web.me.com/phil.alldridge/Site/Welcome.html>

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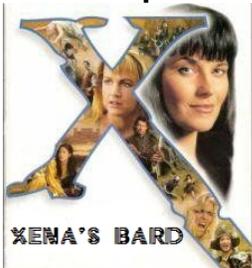
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## The Quill is Mightier



Barbie: (Knocking on door)...Hello! Anybody home??

Man Who Answered Door: Yes, can I help you?

Barbie: (Flashing Badge) Special Agent Barbie Arms of the PIVS.....are you ebay seller "makingamint?"

Man: Yes, I am. What's the PIVS? Your badge is expertly crafted but strangely suspicious....it has a sword and a shield on it and something else.....have guns and tasers been outlawed?

Barbie: The PIVS is a special unit of the FBI. It stands for Prop Investigative Services. And that "something else" is a wooden goblet. I'm working to promote set dressing as legitimate prop material, and not the red-headed stepchild of the hobby for which it has been wrongfully accused.

Man: Prop Investigative Services? Wouldn't that be PIS?

Barbie: You can see how we might not be taken seriously if we used that acronym. Now can we get down to business?

Man: What business is that?

Barbie: I've got a report here of a PFC in progress. That's Prop Fraud Crime, for the acronymally challenged. Our computer hacker...err....networking specialist.... traced it

back to your IP address. I understand you are selling a chakram on eBay that you claim is set-used.

Man: I do have a chakram for sale. And if you read my listing, you'll see that I'm selling it AS set-used. So my listing is dutifully and painfully honest.

Barbie: IS it set-used?

Man: I'm selling it as set-used.

Barbie (making notes on a pad): Subject tends to avoid direct questioning....now sir, you do realize that it is a violation of code 4, article 22, which states that you cannot sell a replica, fan-made item, or official reproduction as "set used." There are a few provisions to that article, but I won't go into those.

Man: Why not? Perhaps my chakram can be sold via one of the provisions. What are they?

Barbie: You also cannot sell a chakram made of Play-Doh, Silly Putty, Cool Whip, Cookie Dough, or the remnants of Stretch Armstrong and call it set-used. Do I need to go into the various fertilizers and lawn implements that you cannot also make a chakram out of, or are you getting the picture? I could draw it in crayon if that makes you feel better. Oh....there's another thing. You cannot melt down a 64-pack of Crayolas and make a chakram out of that and sell it as set-used, either.

Man: I assure you that my chakram is made of the finest metal. Would you like to see it?

Barbie: Of course.

Man: (Handing over chakram): See? This lovely metal chakram is an exact likeness to the one Xena carries onscreen. The craftsmanship is outstanding. And I have a COA, which is printed on really pretty colored paper with an adorable little doggie on the top corner.

Barbie: Let me see the COA.

Man: Here you go. It is a Turner's receipt, which has been copied and re-copied more than 47 times, but less than 200 times.

Barbie: As I suspected, it does not say anything on here about a metal chakram.

Man: This chakram is being sold on consignment. The consigner states that it belongs under the broad and fairly vague category of "sundries."

Barbie: I have expertly documented evidence from several members of my research team that this chakram has the same tool marks as used by a popular reproduction artist, and is worth approximately 300 dollars US, unless you bid on it in a drunken stupor and then it could be worth up to several thousand, depending how many times you press the "zero" key in succession. A bid is a binding contract, you know.

Man: I know. And it is up to 4500 dollars US on eBay right now, so there are obviously collectors out there who would disagree.

Barbie: And did this come from the set?

Man: I am selling it as set-used.

Barbie: Did you know that the odds of you having a metal weapon handled by Xena that actually went through the Turner auction, and got listed under the category of "sundries" is about as likely as me growing a second head while standing here talking to you? Or even more unlikely, as me buying a foam weapon?

Man: Then perhaps this is something very special. Perhaps it was overlooked by It's a Wrap. Perhaps Xena left it in a tavern somewhere and it ended up in the Athenian Lost and Found.

Barbie: Perhaps you think I was born yesterday, or that I don't actually have a degree in History, specializing in Ancient Prop Artifacts That Were Made for Pop Culture Television. And this little trinket that you are selling with the chakram. I suppose this came from the set, too?

Man: I would assume so. It is a little metal necklace in the shape of Xena's name. Probably Lucy Lawless wore it under her breastplate. So everyone would know who she was. Or maybe Gabrielle got it for her as a Solstice present in season 2. Like a friendship bracelet....or an anniversary gift, depending on which "soulmate" theory you favor.

Barbie: And I soak all my props in cherry Jello because it makes their resin coatings more supple. Unlikely, sir. Now please answer my question directly. Is this set-used?

Man: I am selling it as set-used.

Barbie: But is it?

Man: I received it from my consignee along with this Turner receipt, and several other props which you can see are also listed here.

Barbie: Yes I see. But I do not see a chakram on here.

Man: Perhaps in New Zealand, the word for "chakram" is "sundry."

Barbie: Perhaps I will pull all of the carpeting out of my house and put in AstroTurf.

Man: If this were truly a reproduction, it would say "made in New Zealand" on it.

Barbie: True, but only if it were a Creation Entertainment reproduction. Let's not forget about Todd's Costumes, who made infinitely lovely reproductions, the Official Xena store, who jumped on the repro bandwagon and in the process set a new world record for annoying telemarketing techniques, and then there were a few people with scrap metal, blow torches and crudely fashioned table saws who took a crack at it. Have you ever heard of Provenance?

Man: Wasn't that a movie?

Barbie: That was "Deliverance." Provenance is otherwise known as "proof." Have you any?

Man: I am selling it as set-used. I leave it up to the buyer to determine its true value. Although, technically, it may be set-used since it was resting on top of my TV set at one point during an episode of Xena.

Barbie: Perhaps to avoid a hefty fine, the scorn of your kinfolk and a month-long stint in Leavenworth where you could be forced to wear pink and become someone's bi-otch, you would be willing to alter your listing to indicate that you do not have any solid proof that this item came from the set and that it could, indeed, be a reproduction. Then you would be within the confines of eBay rules for selling such an item, as stipulated in Article 77, which states that even if your mother dropped you on your head as a child, that this does not prevent you from being prosecuted for selling reproductions as set-used.

Man: This listing alteration would significantly decrease the value of my item, cut into my profits, and create palpable tension between myself and the consignee, who used to bench-press Volkswagens for a living. Therefore, I am selling it as set-used.

Barbie: Then you leave me no choice except to confiscate your chakram and take you downtown for further questioning.

Man: You and what army? You are but a tiny little woman and back in 1974, I used to chug protein shakes.

Barbie: I have a few of my best agents standing by, sir.

Man: Standing where?

Barbie: (does Amazon bird call): Coo-coo!

Cheri (descends from a tree in the backyard, in full Amazon garb): You know, I've always wondered how long it would take someone to bleed to death from a resin stab wound.

Rachael Ray (emerges from the back of her studio van among a cloud of steam): Xena was right....you hardly notice the heat when cooking over an open fire wearing these leathers. The fabric is very breathable! Oh and by the way, the chicken salad, happily nestled among fresh organic imported grape leaves and sprinkled with a blend of red and black peppercorns, is ready whenever we get this scumbag bagged and tagged.

Barbie: That's "cuffed and stuffed," Rachael, but.... close enough. Come quietly sir, or I will call in Officer Burrow and his Amazonian Mannequinned Swat Team, and they have some *serious* weaponry among them. The MyTasteOfHollywood Crime Division is working closely with us on this one.

Cheri: Oh come on! It will be so much more fun if he resists.

Rachael: Perhaps he would like a modest lunch first. Or is this a shakedown?

Barbie: Takedown, Rachael, it's going to turn into a *takedown* if he resists. Set dressing and random background tapestries could be involved. It might get ugly. Officer Summers is also on her way, but it takes time to get here from Minnesota when you're riding a horse in full Valkyrie gear.

Cheri: Plus, she doesn't want to get intestinal juices on her newly acquired Valkyrie sword. So we should wrap this up before she gets here.

Rachael: You simply cannot take this poor man to jail on an empty stomach. Perhaps just a croissant, with a little hummus and fresh garlic?

Barbie: No.

Rachael: What about a buttered hard roll?

Barbie: No.

Rachael: A breath mint?

Barbie: I can see we're going to need to work on your field skills, Rachael. In the meantime, stand aside.

Man: What is THAT?

Barbie: This is costumer's tape....I use it in place of handcuffs.

Rachael: Because handcuffs are too inhumane?

Barbie: Because I have three hundred and twenty-six rolls of it at home.

Cheri: I say we tie him up, hitch him to my husband's pickup truck, and do the Gabdrag all the way back to the hooskow. He'll have plenty of time to reword his listing, and reorganize his internal organs, on the way.

Barbie: Or we could just walk him to my chariot.

Cheri: Where's the fun in that? Can I at least push him a little?

Man: Chariot?

Barbie: Yes. When this division was formed, I was able to budget enough to get a boatload of extra large props shipped over here from New Zealand. I had it modified with a twin cam overhead V8, satellite radio, and a disco ball, but it is essentially the same as it came off the set. This baby was used by Caligula in "The God You Know."

Cheri: And you know what happened to HIM, don't you sir?

Man: Um....no.....

Rachael: At least he didn't die on an empty stomach!!

Man: What is this, “good cop, bad cop?”

Cheri: I’m an Amazon. She (pointing to Rachael) is just a fry cook with a nice outfit.

Rachael: FRY COOK??????? I never fry! Saturate, dice, chop, broil, bake, steam, and occasionally grill, but never fry! Do you know what partially hydrogenated oils do to your delicate arterial structure?

Cheri: I was leaning toward seeing what my new Helicon sword might do to his delicate arterial *spray*.

Man: Geez people, calm down, all I did was list an item for sale on eBay!! It’s not even my item, technically! Nobody said anything about chariots, costumer’s tape, or ugly, untimely demises.

Barbie: Untimely, perhaps, but there is no reason it has to be ugly. I reserve that term exclusively for Married With Fishsticks, and stripey socks with multicolored toes.

Cheri: Oh I don’t know.....Pistachio-colored lawn furniture is pretty ugly. So are stab wounds.

Man: Okay! Okay! Enough, already! I will revise my listing!!!!

Barbie: See that you do, or we’ll be back. And we have unbelievable resources at our disposal.

Cheri: Aren’t you going to slap him with a fine or something? Can I at least hit him over the head with a wooden goblet, or the copper plate from Cyrene’s tavern? He should take something constructive, and decidedly uncomfortable, away from this little encounter.

Rachael: Oh don’t worry....he is....I’ve emailed him 46 health-conscious recipes in which red wine and chickpeas are the main ingredients!

Barbie: We are REALLY going to have to work on her field skills.....

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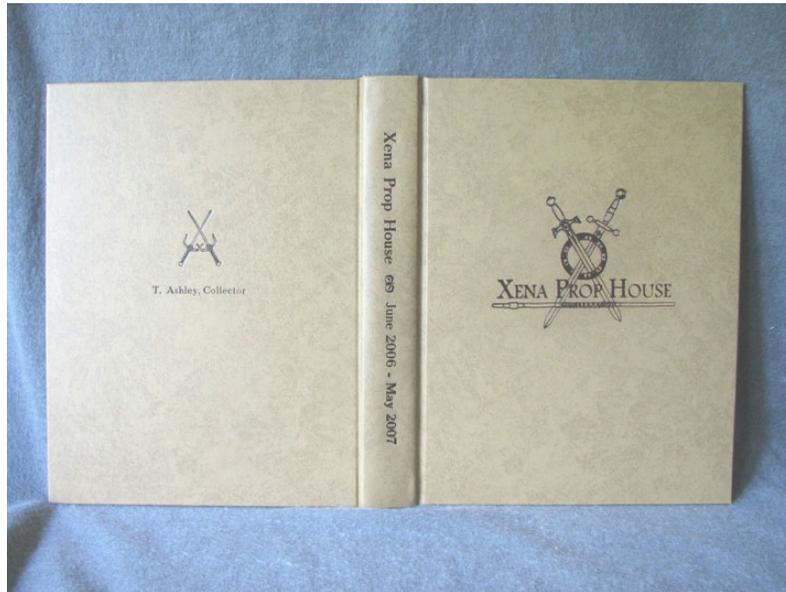
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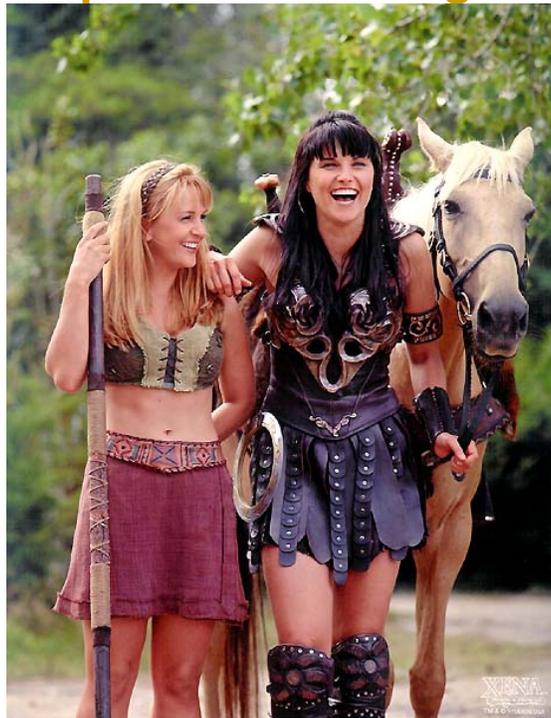
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