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## XENA PROP HOUSE

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## Ties That Bind



Xena Prop House is exclusively designed to unite Xena and Hercules prop, wardrobe, production and set dressing collectors. Our goal is to bring information to collectors 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 prop has a unique story, so lets tell it! Our love of props creates the "Ties That Bind" us together!

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## A Wicked Good Time



Hercules

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

Lets have some fun bidding on our terms without ebay fees and build our collections through other serious Xena and Hercules enthusiasts. We all need to sell items occasionally for various reasons so instead of dealing with the ebay rules and fees lets try selling among ourselves rendering a most satisfying and fun transaction for all.

Xena Prop House will announce the starting time and end of your auction with a comprehensive presentation of what you are selling then you set up the auction. The auction will be backed by XPH through assisting and referring readers and collectors to your designated auction time circulating your email and information throughout the duration of your auction. If you are a new reader and participant that I have never communicated with before and would like to announce your own auction no problem just give me one reference from a seasoned collector I can communicate with to verify your commitment to your auction before I can announce it. This is a great way to make quicker bulk sales but XPH will still keep “**A Day in the Life**” section for the casual individual sale items and for photo sales. I can announce multiple auctions so there is no need for a first come first serve basis.

Contact Barbie at XPH and communicate that you would like to run an email auction. Xena Prop House issues come out by the 15<sup>th</sup> of every month so you would need to make contact by the 7<sup>th</sup> of each month leaving time for the auction to be worked up by me and announced in the issue. It would be suggested you start the auction at least 4-7 days after the issue comes out on the 15<sup>th</sup> so readers have a chance to read about your auction introduce themselves as a potential bidder and your preparation to start receiving their bids. I will help you through the entire process.

#### Results for Kimba's Auction

Reserves were not met during auction but sales were made after auction ended.

1. Morrigan's Wardrobe seen in Hercules **Paul**
2. Xena Special effects Kimono from Friend In Need Finale **Julie**
3. Hercules Metal Scorpion Sword **Mark**
4. Bird Sword From Hercules Episodes **J.L.**

Any questions comments or suggestions on these auctions backed by Xena Prop House please email [allaboutartgalry@aol.com](mailto:allaboutartgalry@aol.com) Please read the Xena Prop House disclosure on the last page of this publication in red before announcing or participating in these auctions. **-Barbie Arms-**

## Prop of the Month Showcase



### Owned by Phyllis

Art piece showcased in June issue number 2 was incorrectly stated by XPH as

**Unpublished art by Mike Deodato. which he submitted as a sample to Dark Horse comics for contract consideration.**

**Correction submitted by Phyllis**

**Mike Deodato didn't confirm that there is still unpublished Xena comic art. The confirmation applied only to the sample artwork that he submitted to Dark Horse and as far as I know, it's the only one not published.**



# Owned by Phyllis X8

Xena Art by Mike Deodato for Dark Horse Comics.

1. A 2-page spread from Issue #3, pgs 4 & 5 - "In Hell"



2. Issue #3, pg 20 - "In Hell"



3. 0306 - Issue #6, pg 5 - "Sacrifice"



4. Issue #6, pg 22 - "Sacrifice"



5. Issue #11, pg 17 - "Darkness Falls"



6. Issue #14, pg 8 - "Last Year's Model"



## 7 & 8 Frying Pan with 2 tankards

The pan is covered with a soft sponge-like material and was probably used to bash a head or two.



[eidelon\\_2000@yahoo.com](mailto:eidelon_2000@yahoo.com)

## Owned by Kyrle X 5

1. Three prong spear with the teeth found in the season 6 Episode 'The Abyss'. Carried by the cannibals.



2. Spear head with the gold round ball design and leather binding seen briefly in Season 6 'Last of the Centaurs' with a bundle of spears as Borias leaves his tent.



3. Large spearhead with binding in middle of staff. 4. Spears with the scull faces 5. Trident Spear



More to come next month if you have any questions please contact [kylre@hotmail.com](mailto:kylre@hotmail.com)

## Coming Home



Here are items available for trade or sale to *match back up* with the props or wardrobe.

I am on a mission to try and see if I can network collectors to match up wardrobe and props that got separated during the feverish Auctions that occurred years ago. Everything was scattered to all four corners of the earth and bringing them back together again is a venture I enjoy, one prop at a time!

## Morgan has For Sale

Hrothgar extra belt pieces to anyone who might have the full costume or at least the belt. It would match up nicely. Notice here another yellow tag.



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

Here are items that were newly acquired and brought back together with pieces already in collections.

## Owned by Mart

Here's a pic of what he thought was a horse head until it was seen with horns from Hercules episode "Norse by Norsevest". The horns were boxed up and he just thought they were spare parts for the makings of an amazon headdress or something, who would have ever thought they would have gone together. The head had the holes and the horns even had the wooden pegs and were cut at an angle to fit behind its ears. **Mart still has another pair of horns if anyone has another head he can either sell his horns or buy the head.** The second pair does not have pegs, but has peg holes.

Antlers available

*Currently owned by Mart*

*Screen Cap Herc Ep. "Norse by Norsevest"*



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

## Surprising find

Barbie acquired this dress through a trade and loved the unusual aspect with the flowing material. I had no clue how the material was supposed to lay on the dress so I thought it was cool to have it draped over the mannequin arm. I always suspected the dress was for a more noble character other than a peasant due to the stencil detailing at the sleeves and drape portals. Recently I was going through Hercules episodes and noticed Deianeira was wearing this dress in episode "Hercules in the Underworld". I don't know if it is the dress Tawny wore because the dress has no tags but at least it was a very cool find and now I know how the dress should be worn.

Old display



Correct display





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

## Forget Me Not



Have you see these props in an episode?

## Owned by Mark

This Skeleton Warrior Banner is 12 feet long!



Please email [jack\\_deth13@yahoo.com](mailto:jack_deth13@yahoo.com)  
If you have seen this in an episode

## 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.



[witches3@comcast.net](mailto:witches3@comcast.net)

## Owned by Mike X 2

### 1. Sword with Blue Jewel



Here is a sword that is similar but not the same seen used by Zarathustra in H5 E 11 "Redemption". The handle tip is a bit different.



### 2. Here is a gorgeous sword



Please contact Mike at [mtmace@pacbell.net](mailto:mtmace@pacbell.net) if you have seen these swords

## Owned by Pam

Here is a Norse looking sword scabbard with buckle. Looks like it could be from Herc episode Norse by Norsevest or Valkyrie. This was acquired from Bob Felix's collection that went on ebay after he passed away, we miss you Bob.



Please contact Pam if you have seen this [stakeford01@o2.co.uk](mailto:stakeford01@o2.co.uk)

## Owned by Paul X 7

1. Paua shell bracelet



2. Small purple stone ring



3. Metal knife that has what looks like fake blood on it. The handle is leather wrapped.



4. Metal bracelets and necklace



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



6. Prop is a Roman sign. It is not a scroll since it is printed on a fairly inflexible plastic type material.



7. This is a foam sword, very light. Has a brown handle and unique gold colored hilt. Should be immediately recognizable if someone has seen it.



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

## Owned by Jason White, Movie Prop King

Coat or cloak seems to be made up of different leather patches to give it a homemade feel. Have you seen this?



[KINGJASON1@aol.com](mailto:KINGJASON1@aol.com)

Owned by Lillas  
Have you seen this sword?



[lillasodell@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:lillasodell@yahoo.co.uk)

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

### 1. Dagger

Trying to find Ares using this dagger as stated on the COA



### 2. Earrings and Ring Marked Lucy



### 3. Silver candlesticks



### 4. 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. Has anyone seen this in an episode?



5. Asian Sword with etching on blade



If you have seen these in an Episode please contact [randisarokoff@aol.com](mailto:randisarokoff@aol.com)

## Owned by Grant x 6

1. Bag or Wine Skin believed to be used by Kevin Smith as Ares but we need to find in an episode to confirm that.
2. Also this young Hercules tunic has a pocket on the inside towards the bottom of the tunic. We think it is for some type of stunt but maybe someone knows what this was for, possibly a radio transmitter for on set?

1.



2.



3. Decorated Incense



4. Sword or juggling knife **FOUND**  
In the Hercules Season Two Episode "The Enforcer"  
Thank You for finding that Paul !



5. Drum front



Drum back



## 6. Large Knife/Dagger



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 on it and an embossing that says.....

First character not legible so a line is in place

\_aracn

Production

Re sil Plated



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 Deb Charowsky  
Armor**



If you have seen this please contact [debbiecharo@aol.com](mailto:debbiecharo@aol.com)

**Owned by Morgan x 6**

**1. Bone Sword **SOLD****



**2. Dagger Sheath**



**3. Roman Sword Scabbard**



**4. Roman Dagger**



**5. Armband**



**6. Newly Acquired Crossbow very heavy with a nice leaf detail. This was not seen in the Valkyrie episodes as originally thought.**



If you have seen any of these in an episode Please contact [xenasbard@earthlink.net](mailto:xenasbard@earthlink.net)

**Owned by Mary**

**Beetle Ring with quartz**



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

**Owned by J.L.**

**Tiara and Veil**

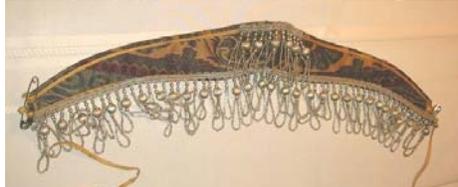


[grafreek@aol.com](mailto:grafreek@aol.com)

Owned by Barbie Arms X 2

### Head Piece

1. This looks very familiar to me but I do not know what episode it was seen in, can anyone help? The dangles are the same as seen on the cherish costume and armbands Lucy wore in X 1 E 17 "The Royal Couple of Thieves". Interesting how the prop makers re used designs.



2. Really nice billowy deep blue silk shirt with wrap ties on the inside and on the outside, no tags. I was told they were worn under armor in late Xena Japanese episodes but haven't had a chance to check. If you have seen these shirts please let me know. I have 3 so if this helps complete a costume please contact me.



If you have located either of these items in an episode please contact Barbie at [allaboutartgalry@aol.com](mailto:allaboutartgalry@aol.com)

### Owned by Mart Burrow x 7

1. Metal Greaves

2. Very beautiful intricate Spear.



3. Gauntlets



4. Dagger soft rubber blade 5. Dagger and Sheath



6. Amazon Necklace



7. Metal Dagger **FOUND**  
Hercules Season 2 Episode "Heedless Hearts"  
Thank you for finding that Paul !





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

**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?

Selling a prop or Wardrobe piece?

I will be happy to assist you free of charge!

Just submit a description, picture and your contact information. I will be happy to 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.....**

**Paul would like to find**

Morrigan's Pants and Boots

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

Xena Sword  
Amazon Sword  
Retractable SFX Sword or any kind  
Callisto Warrior Costume  
Any Hudson Leick Costume  
Caesar/Cupid/Karl Urban Costumes  
Kronus Stone  
Peacock Statue from Hera's Temples  
Bacchus Costume and/or Make-Up Prosthetics  
Lucifer Costume and/or Make-Up Prosthetics  
Mephistopholes 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 or Draco's groups from "Lyre, Lyre..."  
Kali weapon(s) from "The Way"  
Horde Ax  
Discord's back-up men's costumes  
Empress Xena Costume  
Ryan Gosling's Young Hercules Costume **FOUND THE TUNIC TOP**  
Jason's Costume from Young Hercules  
Any SFX Creature costumes, prosthetics or animatronics from any of the series  
Animation cels from the animated film  
Production art: especially costume and set designs  
Octavius Armor and all the accessories: gauntlets, cloak, footwear, sword.  
Please contact me at [scottlukaswilliams@hotmail.com](mailto:scottlukaswilliams@hotmail.com) Thanks!

**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 an Amazon Sword. If you have one 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 [bobadork08@aol.com](mailto:bobadork08@aol.com)

**Phil would like to find** a Creation Callisto Sword. If you have one for sale please contact this email address: [phil\\_alldridge@hotmail.com](mailto:phil_alldridge@hotmail.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 in order of importance

- 1) Scythian Leader's helmet,
- 2) Second in command's helmet,
- 3) Scythian Leader's full costume or at least the vest,
- 4) The second in command's full outfit or at least the vest,
- 5) The Scythian dagger with a skull on the end of the pommel. The 4th season episode "In Sickness And In Hell" =>
- 6) Breastplate of the Apollo army soldier.
- 7) Gauntlets for the Apollo army soldier



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

### HOLY GRAIL ITEMS....

Valkyrie painting from "The Ring," seen in the Norse marketplace by Gabrielle when she first arrives.

Valkyrie sword

Any stunt or special effects weapons

Xena's archery bow, quiver or arrows from "When Fates Collide"

Xena's black leather riding outfit from "When Fates Collide"

Continuity photos or other original production material such as call sheets, costume sheets, original drawings, original onset photos, crew notes or crew gifts, crew invitations, and the plastic "crucifixion scene" snowglobe given to the crew.

Solari's Amazon wardrobe from "The Quest"

Ephiny's headband with silver medallion

One of Gabrielle's scrolls

Belach's large red-stoned ring from "Last of the Centaurs"

Xena's red outfit, including sandals and jewelry, especially the necklace, from "Chakram"

- Gabrielle's scroll from "The Rheingold," the one Xena left her with Xena's lip print on it
- Small leather book from the Quest that Autolycus uses to get to the Ambrosia; when he steals the Dagger of Helios
- Dagger of Helios from THE QUEST; different from the one in season 5.

### OTHER "WANTED" ITEMS...

Valkyrie Boots, helmet, and gauntlets **BOOTS and HELMET FOUND**  
Amazon bird sword  
Amazon "Helicon" sword  
Dinars or dinar bags  
Any Horse gear, including blankets, saddlepads, bridle decorations, rein covers, and faceguards.  
Any Horse-themed items, such as set dressing, roman items, or other decorations.  
Scrolls or quills from any episode  
Octavius's armor  
Belach's boots  
Cyane's (Morgan Reese Fairhead) Amazon wardrobe  
Amazon mask  
Beowulf's wardrobe  
Morrigan's outfit from Hercules

Valkyrie sheath, seen on horses in ROTV on beach scene

Large metal Lock from cabinet holding dagger of helios in the Quest, the one Auto picks to get to the dagger

Xena's jewelry from Chakram, worn with red outfit

White "primitive looking" horsehead dagger from Lifeblood and Them Bones

Xena's sword in resin (that should be on the "yeah, keep dreaming" list!)

#### **ALWAYS INTERESTED IN.....**

Swords, daggers, spears, and other weapons **CROSS BOW FOUND**  
Amazon-related items  
Set dressing items  
Please contact Morgan if you have any leads [xenasbard@earthlink.net](mailto:xenasbard@earthlink.net)

## The Collection of: Xena Museum & Athenaeum proprietor is seeking the following production materials:

1. Set used scripts with notes and so on (not scripts from Creation Entertainment)
  2. Production used continuity photographs
  3. Original storyboards
  4. Original costume design sketches, especially with fabric swatches
  5. Original molds, maquettes or other manufacturing related objects from the set
- if you have any of these items Contact: [Christina@XenaMuseum.com](mailto:Christina@XenaMuseum.com)**

### *Also seeking the following:*

1. Xena's armor, coat and suede pants, and bandolier from The Debt (and all other flashback episodes and sequences)
2. Xena's "bone" choker necklace, sandals, short wig w/braids, and scepter with blue tassel from her Cleopatra costume in Antony & Cleopatra
3. Xena's helmet from the battle scene in "Antony & Cleopatra".
4. Xena's brass wrist cuffs and bikini top & wrap from her Saba costume in "The God You Know".
5. Xena's hero breastplate armor and shoulder armor in resin or copper.
6. Xena's Miss Amphipolis upper armbands for her gold short dress.

7. Xena's Destiny pirate costume's belt and sword.
  8. Xena's Fates Collide riding costume helmet and quiver w/arrows.
  9. Gabrielle's Amazon queen necklace.
  10. Gabby's fighting staff
  11. Pompey's helmet.
  12. Xena's red/black Sacrifice robe (matching to my mask featured in Xena Prop House vol.3)
  13. Joxer's helmet
  14. Original paua inlaid version chakram in excellent condition.
  15. The chakram suitcase from Send in the Clones.
  16. Xena's demon wings from Fallen Angel, we know Howard Berger from KNB has at least one set each of Xena Demon, Gabby Arch Angel and white Arch Angels wings.
  17. Xena's headdress and staff with cronos stone from Hercules' Armageddon Now
  18. Gabby scroll
  19. Marriage contract (with thumb prints) from Soul Possession
  20. Athena's helmet or necklace
  21. Lucy's Lyla (Hercules) Sweater Shrug, and necklace
- Contact: [Christina@XenaMuseum.com](mailto:Christina@XenaMuseum.com)

Always looking for COMPLETE or nearly complete costumes worn by either Xena or Gabrielle

1. Gabby's Egyptian costume from Antony & Cleopatra
2. Gabby's blue china girl costume from The Debt
3. Gabby's costume from Fates Collide final scene
4. Gabby and Xena's FIN samurai costumes
5. Xena's red armor from Bitter Suite or her red "bones" tango dress
6. Xena's wedding dress from Soul Possession
7. Xena as Cleopatra's chains from Antony & Cleopatra
8. Evil Xena costume seen in Hercules' Armageddon Now and also in the flashbacks in Locked Up & Tied Down
9. Xena's alternate reality costume from Hercules Stranger/Strange World episodes
10. Xena's Kali costume accessories needed are the earrings, nose ring, flowers necklace, skull necklace and foot ankle wraps.
11. Gabby season six costume just need the **belt, bracelets, upper armband, necklace and boots.**
12. Livia hero Roman Skirt, chest armor, shoulder armor, boot wraps and boots.

Please email [Christina@XenaMuseum.com](mailto:Christina@XenaMuseum.com) if you have any leads at all

**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" and Bacchae earrings from "Girls Just Wanna Have Fun"

**Mart** needs a boot topper made of leather and deerskin...the leather at the top is braided, it is a standard wrap around and tie. I need another one to complete my Varia outfit .

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



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**Carin** is looking for Gabrielle's silver/leather lace-up wrist cuffs and silver decorated belt from her red velvet outfit. **Also looking for the cuffs (jewelry) Gabrielle wore with her dance costume from Who's Gurkhan.** I would also like the scarf/wrap she enters the room in 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 any items from Najara's wardrobe including upper armbands, gloves, quiver or sword.

Any prop or wardrobe from episode "Hooves and Harlots"

**Any metal swords, any staff or spear.**

I own the Ezra 4 piece cape/corset, blouse and 2 skirts with Turban and would like to find the Ezra shoes and jewelry. 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!

**Satrina's red skirts, quiver, sword, dagger, boots or gloves.**

Xena as Diana crown and veil to complete my Diana wedding train.

**My absolute HOLY GRAIL prop would be the bird head staff seen in Hooves and Harlots, good luck right?!**

**NEW ITEM SEARCH** Autolycus as Philipon's hat, I currently own the robe. The hat went through the Yahoo it's a Wrap Auctions so I know it survived the set.

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

**Kimba** is looking for the gold painted armbands that go with her Cherish costume from Episode "A Royal Couple of Thieves". **I HAVE THE XENA LEATHERS NEED THE COPPER ARMOR ONLY WORN BY LUCY NO RESIN OR REPLICAS**, breastplate and her backpiece along with the shoulder guards, the whole upper torso armor. **Please email [xwpargo@aol.com](mailto:xwpargo@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 Mart



**Xena, Hercules, Cleopatra2525 and other Sci-Fi Series**

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

Here is the link to his sale items page

[http://mytasteofhollywood.com/html/close\\_outs.html](http://mytasteofhollywood.com/html/close_outs.html)

### For Sale by Susan

Broken Chakram

Metal shell inlay COA from It's A Wrap pre-ebay sale

Price to be discussed



If you are interested please contact [susankimpton@gmail.com](mailto:susankimpton@gmail.com) for more details and price.

If you need help with research info about broken chakrams please contact [allaboutartgalry@aol.com](mailto:allaboutartgalry@aol.com)

## For Sale by Erin

There are leather pants, chaps, masks, earrings, amazon skirts, Horde Belts and more.

Please contact Erin to see everything she has!

Please email [erinb@grapevine.net.au](mailto:erinb@grapevine.net.au) to see more items

## For Sale by Barbie X 4

1. I have an original signed Claire Stansfield as Alti, \$15
2. A signed Hudson Leick as Callisto, \$25.00 all with COA.



## 3. Gabby Skirt with tape labeled 'Renee'

I have an early Season rust Gabby skirt for sale the one that is rounded in the front the later season rust skirt had a square edge. OK here is all the background I have on the skirt. I bought this from a collector who got it on a website username of seller was Solari her actual name is Donna Long. I was curious about the tag being masking tape as most tags were not so I brought the skirt to the 2008 Xena Convention to get opinions from Xena wardrobe collectors. Collector One's opinion is that this was an amazon skirt not a Gabby but this style skirt I have never seen on an amazon and other actors would not have worn this signature style skirt in my opinion and opinion of collector number Two. Collector number Two a very seasoned collector said that looking at the skirt through email pictures this is a Gabby Skirt. Collector number 2 also said that they did use masking tape for tags and has seen them with tape safety-pinned to the piece. Collector number 3 saw the skirt in person at the Con and said they have a costume card and felt the texture and purplish threads going through the skirt were like the material in her card. Collector number 4 said that this looked like

a genuine gabby skirt. I felt it was important to research this if there was any question to the validity.

Please contact me if you are interested in the Gabby Skirt or more photos. I paid \$300 for it and if I cannot get that back I will just keep it as a rare item.



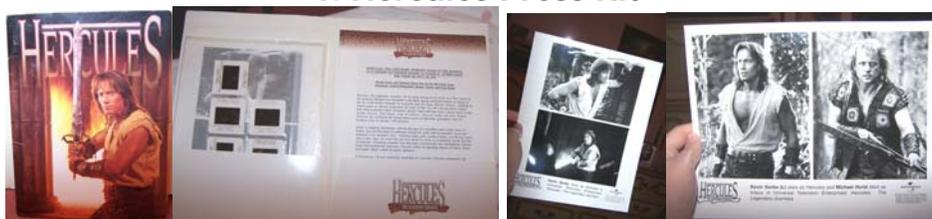
### 3. Continuity Photos for Sale

I have some of Lucy showing arm wounds and other various. These are Polaroid photos and were taken on set so wounds, hair, make-up and jewelry could be placed exactly the same on the body for the duration of filming the Episode. These were generally thrown away after the Episode ended so they are very rare. These are not copies but are rare original photos. The pics for sale are not watermarked so please contact me to see the pics as I will release the unmarked photo to readers I know rather than the general public.

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

## For Sale by Elizabeth X 2

### 1. Hercules Press Kit



Asking price is \$100 or trade

### 2. Group of Xena photos for sale, link here below Example of one from Photo Club December 2000 #2



<http://picasaweb.google.com/lizxenascans/XenaAndCharmedStuffForSale>

Please email if you are interested in any of these items  
[elizabethelfman704@hotmail.com](mailto:elizabethelfman704@hotmail.com)

### For Sale by Peg

Raffia animal asking price \$100.00. This sweet animal is 9"LONG 4-5"HIGH AND 4-5"DEEP and comes with THE AUCTION PAPERS. This has been stored and protected in a display case. This may have been a set prop for "A Solstice Carol" or scene with a child.



[ppalmeri@tampabay.rr.com](mailto:ppalmeri@tampabay.rr.com)

## For Sale by The Xena Museum & Athenaeum

### Northern Amazon Queen costume

The price would be \$1850 for everything. I prefer to sell together but will entertain offers for individual pieces to sell separately. The necklace is not for sale.

Amazon Queen feathered cloak



Amazon Queen gauntlets



Amazon Queen Jewelry



Amazon Queen top



Amazon Queen wrap



Amazon Queen skirting



Please contact [christina@xenamuseum.com](mailto:christina@xenamuseum.com) if you would like to purchase this wardrobe.

More for sale Please visit the website

[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)

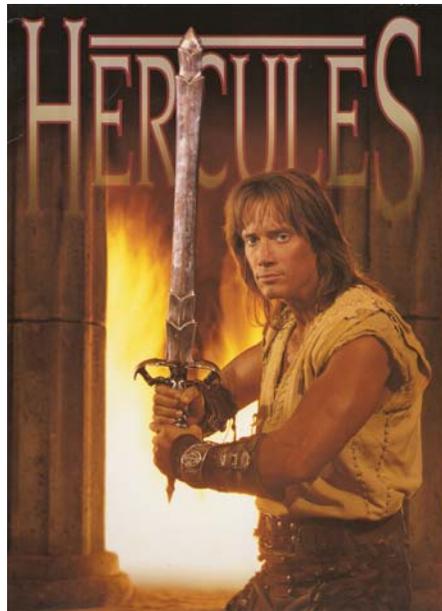
## **Paradise Found**



**NEWLY PURCHASED ITEMS**

## Owned by Mark

Newly acquired sword on top of the rack is the metal Hercules sword seen in promotional shots. Nice Display Mark!



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

**Owned by Paul**

**Morrigan Wardrobe on a mannequin**



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

Owned by Kimba  
Sword

Seen used by Xena and Borias





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

### Owned by Scott X 3

1. Tunic seen in Young Hercules worn by Young Hercules played by Ryan Gosling



2. Blue Mask please let us know if you have seen this



3. Octavius Wardrobe Screen capture from episode “Antony and Cleopatra”



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

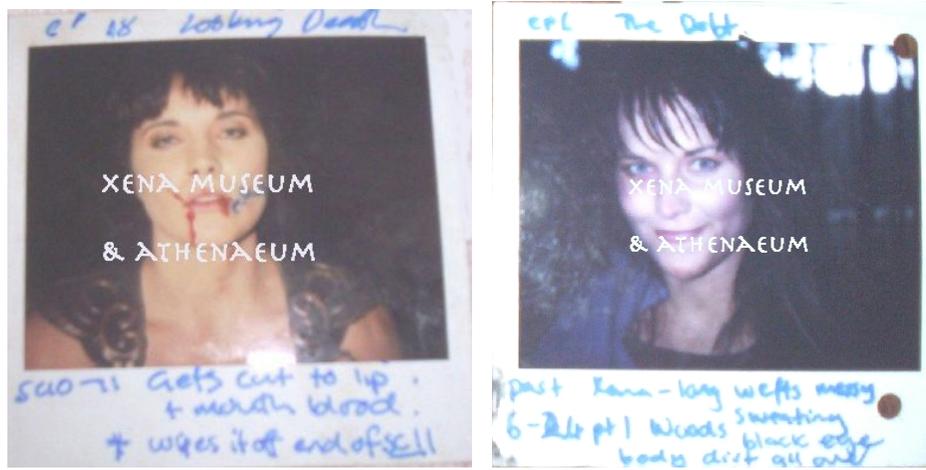
Owned by The Xena Museum & Athenaeum X3

1. Xena's Breast Dagger

This came with a COA signed by Liz Friedman donated for a charity event. The blade is resin.



## 2 & 3 Continuity photos

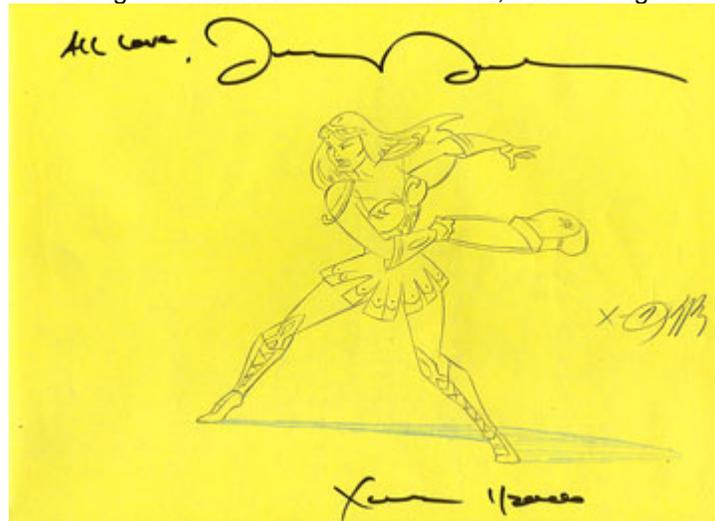


[christina@xenamuseum.com](mailto:christina@xenamuseum.com)

## Owned by Morgan X 4

### 1. Signed Xena Drawing

Original drawing from the Xena animated movie; it is also signed by Lucy.



## 2. Xena Animation Cel



## 3. Amazon Club

This was seen in Xena episode "Lifeblood"



4. Morgan has a new Crossbow in the Forget me Not Section for ID

Please visit Morgan's website to get more detailed descriptions on her new items

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

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

Owned by Mart

### Aphrodite Bust

According to the previous owner this life size bust had been severely damaged during shipping but beautifully restored by Hamlin's Restoration.





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

### **Owned by Barbie**

Wardrobe worn by Deianeira in Hercules Episode "The Other Side". Looking for the skirt and top I found that Tawny wore many dresses throughout her appearances and they changed her wardrobe 3 times in one episode. This has nice trim stencil work on the top and bottom of the sleeves skirt and front of top, a nice gold band on the top edge and beads up by the shoulders that hang down the back of the sleeve. I wanted to relieve stress where the material pulls down on the armholes so I got this flexible mannequin so the arms could flare out and eliminate some of the gravity and create a natural look where the arm material flutes at the wrist. This will go in my closet to keep sunlight away from it. The outfit has faded over the years. This does have tags that say Deianeira Hercules Episode 5.





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'A Good Day'



**If you have pictures of yourself with an actor or pictures from the set of Xena or Hercules series please share with us for 'A Good Day'**

Here is Paul with David Franklin



Here is Cheri with Hudson Leick

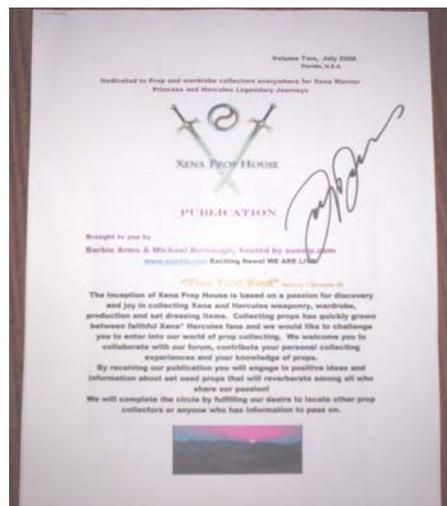
and Meg Foster



More of Cheri with the stars next Month! [witches3@comcast.net](mailto:witches3@comcast.net)

Please contact Barbie if you have a pic to share!  
[allaboutartgalry@aol.com](mailto:allaboutartgalry@aol.com)

## 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!

### **Announcement**

Morgan donated some wonderful Xena items to XPH and the auction had bidding activity. Proceeds will go to Kindred Spirits Sanctuary a rescue for abused and neglected farm animals, thank you Morgan!

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

#### **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>

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

## **"If the Shoe Fits"**



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.

**Q 1 Does anyone know where Athena's wardrobe and Accessories are?**

At the U.K. Con Paris Jefferson was on stage and wondered what had happened to her Athena helmet (someone asked her if she got to keep one and she didn't). Someone in the audience mentioned that there are websites displaying props and said she had never seen any Athena stuff. Paris couldn't believe there were all those props/costumes out there going for all that money!!

Paris also spoke about how comfortable the costumes were to wear, and how she got told she looked so much better with the helmet on!!! She only saw the helmet when it was pretty much completed, whereas Adrienne spoke about how she went through all the stages of Livia's costume, starting from bits pieced together to the final costume. **Louise**

**Q 2 What is your favorite Prop, Wardrobe or production piece?**

**Chris**

**A 2** I have a few favorites, one would of course be my aluminum original chakram from the Universal online auction back in Dec of 97, As for my favorite wardrobe piece it would have to be my one off -Sun Moon crown from Bitter Suite and a complete wardrobe costume would still be my Destiny costume of Lucy's. **KIMBA**

**A 2** My favorite wardrobe is my Ezra worn by Xena in "Vanishing Act". It consists of many different colors making it very whimsical and the beading work and embroidery are exquisite. My favorite prop is probably my metal sword seen in Hercules "Sword of Veracity" and Xena "Dreamworker". It is very large and very heavy and has the signature paua shell on the handle tip. I bought it from my friend Bob who passed away last year so it is very special to me. **BARBIE**

Please tell us your favorite prop you now own and why!

Please email [allaboutartgalry@aol.com](mailto:allaboutartgalry@aol.com) with your questions or comments or if you are able to add additional information to any answers or questions that are listed here for our readers.

## Anything for a Dinar?



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.

**Due to personal circumstances AFAD 8 will be delayed by a couple of months, but will be back in business as soon as possible. Thanks so much!**

**-Louise-**

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!

£21(\$41.70) for any new subscriptions  
(£19)(\$37.75) will now run from issue 7,  
and issues still cost £3.50, (\$6.95) each



Issues 1 through 6

Louise was so kind to put together a fantastic article called "One On One" about Xena One-off props, wardrobe and artwork. You can view this wonderful article on the Ausxip website. Go to [www.ausxip.com](http://www.ausxip.com) then click on the Ausxip Network bar at the top of the homepage, click on Xena

Prop House and the article is on the lower left hand column, thank you Louise. Or use this link <http://www.ausxip.com/xenaprophouse/>  
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



### Trusted Dealers, Fan Blog Sites and Display Cases

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!

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

**Prop Dealers  
Please visit their sites**

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



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





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

Movie Prop King at [www.moviepropking.com](http://www.moviepropking.com) Member of the Movie Prop Association. Darran can make you a custom display case at very reasonable prices, so please inquire. [Kingjason1@aol.com](mailto:Kingjason1@aol.com)

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

Check out what Michael and his wife Jennifer are up to!

<http://michaelhurstnow.com/>

Michael got a smash review in the NZ Herald and he is thrilled. Go to [www.nzherald.co.nz](http://www.nzherald.co.nz) for the review and several articles about the show, Threepenny Opera.

<http://www.jenniferwardlealand.com/>

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>

1. 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 it's 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.

#### Carbonek Blog Site

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

#### Please visit to see pics of the 2008 con

Would Xena and Hercules collectors like the chance to meet face to face? How about hearing presentations on props and costumes geared toward the collector? Would you like to have a place where you can exchange ideas on conservation and display, on price negotiations and value, and on authenticity and verification? How about a setting where we can share items with each other and not worry about security and crowd control?

It's not too soon to start thinking about just such a collectors' gathering. It could be scheduled around the annual Southern California convention if a lot of collectors are planning to attend that, or it could be decoupled from the convention and could be a stand-alone event.

Please email me your thoughts on such a gathering at [c.clogston@gmail.com](mailto:c.clogston@gmail.com) -- I'd love to hear from you!

#### My Taste of Hollywood

Mart Burrow member of the United Movie Collectors Guild  
Member 070407



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<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\_London's Site**



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

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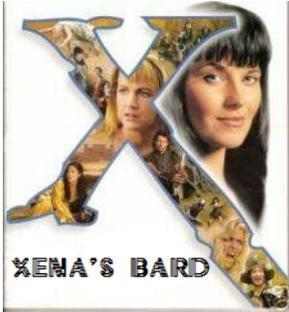
IF YOU HAVE PROPS, COSTUMES OR PRODUCTION MATERIAL THAT WAS USED IN THE MAKING OF XENA WARRIOR PRINCESS, AND WOULD LIKE YOUR COLLECTION FEATURED AT THE XENA MUSEUM & ATHENAEUM, PLEASE SUBMIT PHOTOS VIA EMAIL TO THE CURATOR FOR CONSIDERATION. IF YOUR ITEMS ARE SELECTED THEY WILL EITHER BE FEATURED ON A THEME PAGE CREDITING YOU OR BECOME PART OF A NEW ON LOAN SECTION. PLEASE DO NOT SUBMIT ANY REPRODUCTIONS, OFFICIAL OR OTHERWISE. ALL ITEMS FEATURED AT THE XMA ARE GENUINE SET AND SCREEN USED MATERIALS. PLEASE VISIT [WWW.XENAMUSEUM.COM](http://WWW.XENAMUSEUM.COM) AND CLICK ON SUBMIT YOUR COLLECTION PICTURES FOR DETAILS

**Announcing the Xena Museum & Athenaeum pinback buttons for charity**

**Please visit the site for more info on how to help and the great work they are doing**

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

**Morgan Sumner's site**  
**Xena Prop and Wardrobe Preservation Project**



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

**Xena Prop House/Barbie Arms  
Personal Collection**

Member of the United Movie Collectors Guild



<http://xph1.blogspot.com/>

**Paul Rabogliatti's Gabrielle Tribute Page**



<http://www.ihavemanyskills.com/>

Paul has some great pics of the Xena 2008 Con on his Site!

**Check this out!**

**Invitation to experience Amazon life at Camp Amazon NZ Visit the Website!**



The tentative tour dates are as below:

Tour dates. To be confirmed.

**4 days - 3 nights**

Fri 2nd Oct - Mon 5 Oct 09 Tour Code AV4-1 - Full Moon Tour.

\$1790 AUD - approx US \$1660

**7 days - 6 nights**

Fri 2nd Oct - Thu 8th Oct 09 Tour Code AV7-5 - Full Moon Tour.

\$3240 AUD - approx US \$3000

**11 days - 10 nights**

Fri 2nd Oct - Mon 12th Oct 09 Tour Code AV11-8 - Full Moon Tour.

\$4850 AUD - approx US \$4500

Please contact Jeanette if you are interested in this fantastic opportunity to attend Amazon camp!

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**Please let me know if you have a website to post!**

**Beautiful Official Xena Photos, Cards and more by eBay members  
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piece is as if it is going into his own home and has thousands of satisfied customers.  
Prices are very reasonable for the work and craftsmanship.  
Bruce will ship in the United States and International.  
<http://stores.ebay.com/displays-by-bruce1t> email [bruce1t@aol.com](mailto:bruce1t@aol.com)

**These props are so precious; please invest in displays to preserve your treasures, which also add to the beauty of your props!**

**If you have any cool displays, please share! [allaboutartgalry@aol.com](mailto:allaboutartgalry@aol.com)**

## THE QUILL IS MIGHTIER



**Here is a new section that will be written and submitted by Morgan Sumners every month. Her humorous wit is just too precious and this will be a permanent section, Enjoy!**

After the Xena series ended in 2001, and Pacific Renaissance (I always thought that would be a great name for a rock band!) packed up all the weapons, wardrobe, and set dressing pieces for shipment to the Turner auction, Xenites everywhere began to focus their energy on begging for a Xena movie, rewriting a happier ending to FIN, and posting You Tube videos of the “kiss of life,” carefully and painstakingly redone in super slow motion.

But little did they know that the Turner auction would set off a spark called prop collecting that soon turned into a raging inferno. And some of us would get burned...literally. Once all the paraphernalia was disbursed and many New Zealanders' checkbooks were still smoking, the wonder that is eBay and UPS worldwide would enable many of those precious props to land in the hands of fans everywhere. I'll never forget finding my first prop onscreen and marveling at the fact that this carefully constructed piece of resin that sat on my desk had at one time been stuck in the left thigh of a warlord in New Zealand.

So props were bought and sold, traded, lost, found, and some are probably to this day wedged in a box at the bottom of someone's long forgotten storage building. The horrifically painful visual of a family of half-crazed field mice using Gabrielle's scroll bag for an afternoon snack just makes my fillings hurt. Or it could be that triple chocolate layer cake I had for an afternoon snack. Either way, I don't want to think about it.

Yet here we are, embarking on a never-ending quest to find and add these little gems to our collections. And some not so scrupulous characters have tried to capitalize on our collective insanity. Sure, we all love a great bargain. But there are limits.....

Morgan: Hey you guys, check this out! This dude is having a Xena prop GARAGE SALE! Can you believe it??? Hasn't he ever heard of eBay???

Barbie: I understand that he inherited three storage buildings worth of stuff from his brother, who suddenly and unexpectedly abandoned prop collecting to start a meditation center.

Tedra: Can you blame him? It probably took him six years just to find the sword of Ares, only to find that the closed cell foam blade smelled like mothballs and had been gnawed on by a rabid squirrel.

Brad: I need to see that sword! Is this the place?

Kimba: This is it. And in case you can't see the flashing chakram sign out front, there is someone on the lawn who looks a little too much like Callisto. And...I think she's bleeding.

Lilias: Everyone get ready. The doors are about to open!

Barbie: runs towards the open garage with about 45 other rabid fans. The frenzy suddenly comes to a screeching halt.

Chris: All I see are a bunch of plastic Frisbees, metal pie tins, and ice cream bucket lids.

Seller: Hello, ladies and gents! Welcome to my prop sale!

Paul: I thought your ad said you had genuine, set-used items here. All I see is a bunch of junk.

Seller: Ahh, my good people, this is not junk. See, most people do not know that resin, foam and metal were not the only methods used to cast Xena's weapons. Other materials were often utilized as well, such as plastic. This was to ensure that if anyone got hit by the chakram, it would not leave a mark!

Chris: The only mark this is going to leave is a little impression that says “Kemps 1 Gallon Vanilla.”

Seller: You should not bother yourself with these trifles, though, when I have the ultimate item, genuine, from the set!! And this has not been in storage very long, either!

Mike: Genuine, from the set, WHAT?

Scam Artist (I mean “seller”): Check this out! Seller walks into his garage, and returns, holding the hand of a woman, approximately 90 years old, dressed in the outfit of an aging warrior princess.

Seller: Isn’t this wonderful? You can buy this for just 8500 US dollars!

Mart: Just what are we looking at here?

“Xena” (coughs loudly, leans on her cane)

Seller: Direct from the set, this is a one-off prop.....a princess warrior!

Morgan: I’m sorry, but did you say you are trying to *sell* Xena: Warrior Princess???

Seller: Yes, yes! DIRECT from the set! She did not pass go, did not collect 200 dinars!

Barbie: (looks at woman thoroughly, replies with carefully concealed sarcasm): I thought she’d be taller.

Seller: Always, they say this!!! But this is absolutely genuine, from the set of the iconic and sometimes endearingly campy, often subtext-laden show! What could be more, how do you collectors refer to it...what could be more of a “holy grail” item than the warrior princess herself?????

Mart: Her outfit looks like it was cut from a shower curtain. A really old, really moldy shower curtain. And I could be mistaken, but those are steel toed boots (peers down the boot)...with orthotics!! You do know the show ended in 01, right?

“Xena” spits on the ground, accidentally sending her dentures flying.

Seller: See? She even throws her teeth like that round killing thing! Those molars are capped, people, so stand back! Now you know for sure that she is genuine!!

Phyllis: (watches “Xena” attempt to recover her teeth by putting a little chewing gum on the end of her cane and stabbing blindly at the ground) He meant the show ended in *two thousand* and one, not 1901!!! And is she wearing a diaper???

Seller: Time takes its toll on everyone, even kick-butt, “smackdown now and take names later” warrior princesses, do you agree? Even Xena, with the help of her little blond “friend,” cannot halt the sands of time!!! However, to sweeten the deal, and because I like your shoes with the little chakram charms on the laces, I will throw in the sword of Xena! A metal version, even!! Lifts up elongated metal item for all to see.

Carin: You do know that’s a *golf club*, right?

Seller: Well it does show extensive set wear; so maybe it is not a sword after all but maybe an Amazon club! Yes, I’m sure that’s it!

Morgan: Yeah, I seem to remember that episode when Ephiny and Solari rented a golf cart and went 18 holes at the Hanging Gardens of Athens. Marc Antony was their caddie, until Cleo got wind of it and sent him back to the castle to scrub the marble floors.

Seller: Yes, that was the episode! It was a flash-forward show; but one that never actually aired. So that makes this prop twice as valuable. Therefore I will increase the price accordingly. I’m sure you understand.

Christina: (helps “Xena” up, and puts her teeth back in). Where is this poor woman’s “chakram?”

Seller: (pulls out pie tin, with the name of a restaurant engraved in the bottom) Here we go! This is authentic! Metal too! But it is not finished, and we know this because there are no paua shells! Still, not bad for an unfinished Round killing thing! I will let it go for only 300 dollars!

Julie: I thought this was a PROP sale! All you have is a bunch of junk and a few toys. Hey, is that Barbie’s dreamhouse?

Chris: (picking up plastic horse) Complete with Barbie’s little plastic pony!!

Seller: Oh that is not just ANY pony, my dear that is in fact, Xena’s horse ARGO!

Barbie: This I have GOT to hear.

Seller: You see, in Season five, there was an episode where Argo was made tiny by this really depressing god who in my opinion needed a haircut and probably some hygiene enhancement suggestions. But I digress. This is the actual, set used model that they had in that scene!! It is very hard to come by original production material, ladies and gents!

Mart: Actually, they used a Shetland pony in that scene. Small. Cute. Furry. Not plastic.

Seller: That is a common misconception. It is amazing what one can do with CGI these days.

All the xenites turn collectively to look at the driveway, where a giant flashing ball of light has appeared; lightning bolts begin shooting out the side and take out the rear window of the neighbor's Toyota. Ares materializes.

Brad: A-a-ares?????? Is that you?

Ares, God of War: Yes, it's me, you little gnats! Just what in the name of.....ME....is going on here? Who are all you people? I'm looking for.....GASP!

"Xena" emerges from the garage.

Ares: Xena! I heard you were hanging out with mortals but....umm.....gee you aren't looking so good these days, toots. I had this tired old line, leftover from season 5, about wanting you to be the mother of my child, yadda yadda yadda....but I think I might have just changed my mind. Ares picks up the unfinished "round killing thing". What is this crap?

Seller: Ahh good sir, it looks like you have put a lot of effort into the construction of that costume, as well as I'm sure there was a junior chemistry set purchased at my last garage sale involved in your overly dramatic entrance. A bit over the top but still clever.....however, without a wardrobe tag, you have no way to prove you are authentic.

Ares: I've got a lightning bolt aimed right at your butt that says otherwise.

Seller: A mere parlor trick I am sure. Perhaps the truth is that you are only here attempting to cut in on my lucrative business.

Ares: Ya think so? Hmmm...let's see.

Ares winds up and pitches a flaming blue fireball at the house. Having seen every episode with Ares and therefore immediately recognizing a category 5 fireball, Chris grabs "Xena" and runs from the garage. Seconds later, the entire structure goes up in a single glorious flash. "Callisto" continues to dance on the lawn while singed drywall swirls all around her like rain.

Barbie: Let's get out of here!! The group disburses, and minutes later two figures emerge from the wreckage, deep in conversation.

Ares: Brad? What is the meaning of this??? Closed cell foam? I am Ares, God of War! Nobody makes my sword out of closed cell foam!!!!!!!!!! Someone is going to pay for this!!!

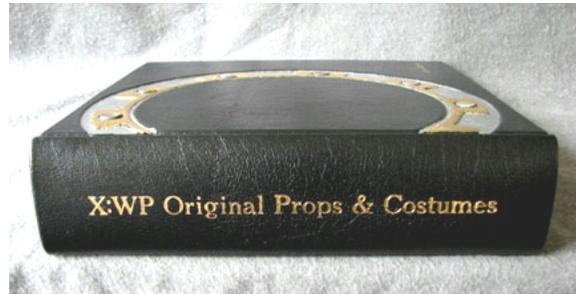
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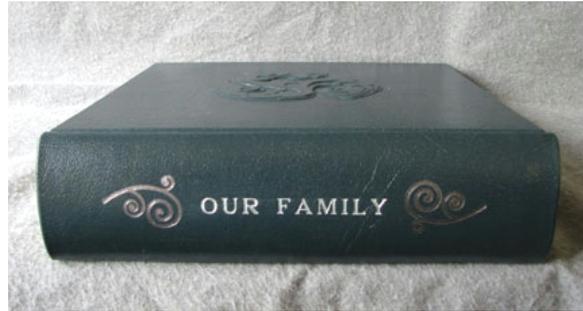
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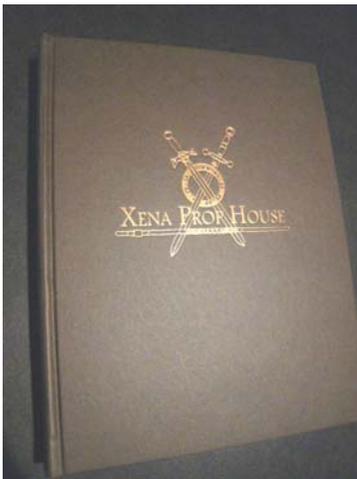


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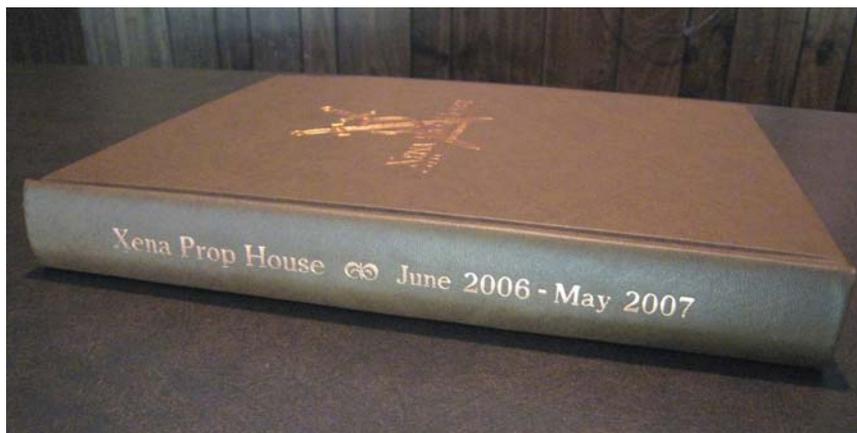
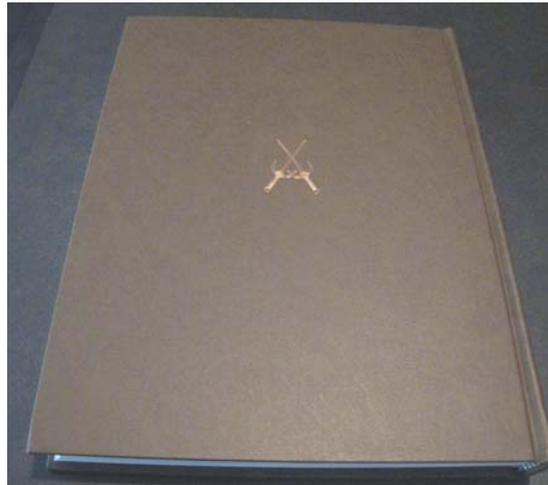
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This is mark's book he purchased last year

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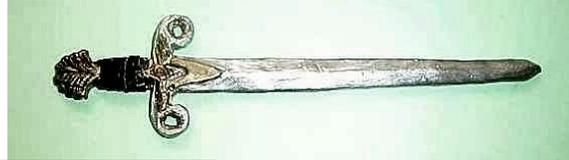
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