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## “Ties That Bind”



X1 E 20

**Cool Sword!!!!!!**

The inception of Xena Prop House is based on a passion for discovery and joy in collecting Xena and Hercules weaponry, wardrobe, production and set dressing items. Collecting props has quickly grown between faithful Xena and Hercules fans and we would like to challenge you to enter into our world of prop collecting. We welcome you to collaborate with our forum, contribute your personal collecting experiences and your knowledge of props, thus creating the ties that bind us together.

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# Article

## Blind Faith Part 2



X 2 E 18

Last issue we talked about the tremendous abuse in the COA business and to be careful and do research!! Lots of props and wardrobe that have changed hands over the years are very susceptible to added embellishments and “Stories” that are just not true so the item can be sold for a good price. Since COAs are only as valuable as the source they are derived from, make sure you trust the seller. However in my case I bought a very expensive prop from a trusted seller and it still turned out to originate from a scam!

Here is my story, a very condensed version.

I, Barbie Arms, had purchased a chakram from what we shall call **Seller** on April 11, 2006, and I will call myself chakram owner number **Two** since the story has many facets and identities are not disclosed other than mine. Seller told me they purchased some items from Anthony Launer a man who won “A Day with Xena” with his family back in the summer of 1997 during filming of “The Bitter Suite” and in doing so seller found out about this chakram Anthony had. One of the articles about the Launer’s visit to the set said they were invited into Lucy’s trailer where Lucy handed **a** (one) chakram to Anthony’s daughter. Seller bought a chakram, this chakram from supposedly Mr. Launer in September 2003 and was willing to sell the chakram to me in 2006 and of course I was very interested! Well I initiated correspondence back and forth vigorously with endless questions for 3 months with seller trying to validate the “Day With Xena” and the facts surrounding the chakram and that they actually paid for the chakram into Mr Launer’s account, and that it was the chakram Lucy handed to Mr. Launer’s daughter. The pictures and paperwork all seemed to match up and of course my biggest piece of the puzzle was that I trusted the source. So I bought into what I now know to be a huge scam, how did this happen to me?

There is a scammer lurking around every corner and a trusting soul to match, someone was posing as Mr. Launer or he was *involved* in the scam somehow himself we are not sure at this point investigations by chakram owner number **one** continue. It is heartbreaking to not have what you thought and well a big chunk of money hurts too! This all came under scrutiny because a chakram that looked very much like mine we will call chakram owner number **Three** came up on ebay with the same story attached to it "A Day with Xena" and the same clear stones as mine which I thought was for special effect but the wolf said they only used paua shell and nothing else!!

My chakram, owner Number **Two** with clear stones, Wolf says **not** made by PR



Owner number **Three** Chakram sold on ebay notice the clear stones like mine.



Seems as Lucy was handing out chakrams like candy, NOT. I also found out about another collector during this auction (yes we were coming out of the woodwork) we will call owner number **One** who also has a chakram with this same story attached to it with pictures and articles. I guess I was a bit naïve to think I could have access to such a gem but It definitely brought me down to earth and know that collecting is challenging and fun but heartbreaking at times also.

Owner Number **One's** chakram Wolf says not made by PR



This owner number **One** had email communications with Seller discussing the chakrams and indicating that Seller or owner number **One may** have been the recipient of a scam on August 28, 2005 **before** Seller sold me my chakram in 2006. Here is what owner number **One** says.....

***“I wrote to Seller because I saw they were selling a chakram with the same story as mine. Seller did write back to me a while later to ask me if I thought the guy was a scammer and said perhaps he had acquired more than one chakram (I just checked my old e-mails to recall this). Seller said they checked the scammer lists and his name was not on it”***

**Seller’s actual reply.....**

***“ I got mine from a guy who sent me pics that had him and his family with Lucy on set. He even sent me pics of the clippings of him in the magazine. He did tell me he did get quite a bit of stuff, so he may have gotten more than one chakram? I’ve had no other reports about this guy from anyone else and he isn’t on the current scammers list. But who knows. Did he say anything to you that would have led you to believe him as a scammer?”***

Speechless..... To sell a chakram to someone knowing it **could** be a scam, **“He may have gotten more than one chakram?”** checking scam lists saying **“But who knows?”** and knowing there are at least two now with the same “Day with Xena” story all under question? Guilt by omission, this NEVER came up in 3 months of asking seller questions.



Bad Dog! “Who’s Gurkhan” X 6 E 4

Seller did respond about this after I approached them back in December 2006 when the Wolf said they never used anything other than Paua shells in the

chakrams and mine has clear round stones. Seller just recapped the story of how they got the chakram and in the body of the email made this statement.....

**“I could never say for sure it is a genuine chakram”.**

### **What? Seller signed 2 COAs saying it was set used by Lucy Lawless?**

Recent emails in June 2007 from me to seller after I knew they sold me a fake chakram turned up a response that they really feel bad about what happened but do not remember the email exchange with chakram owner number **One** back in 2005, what? they don't remember? Wow, that email above from a collector approaching me regarding the possibility of a scam about my prop and there are now two with the same “A Day with Xena” story would burn in my brain! where there is smoke there is fire.

In Part One of Blind faith I talked about how a seller should take responsibility once a document is handwritten or signed by that seller describing a prop and or placing it in a specific episode or in this case “incident”. The responsibility of authenticity should be with that seller regardless of the origin because they threw themselves into the ring. If the seller or buyer finds out later, months or years down the road that the prop is not as stated on the COA the seller should be willing to buy back the prop as the document is now fraudulent hence the transaction no longer valid. Even if a seller innocently passed on the document with incorrect information, it does not change that the document is still fraudulent that they took responsibility for it with their signature. Seller did just that typed up a letter and a COA signed them both regarding history and origin of the chakram from “A Day with Xena” visit, set used by Lucy lawless, all after having a discussion with another collector that had the same chakram with the same story? Collectors if you are not sure 100% about a prop or wardrobe please don't pass along a made up COA they are very damning to you and will come back to haunt you. A buyer that may be new to the prop world puts their complete trust in you. Just tell them everything you believe about the prop and just pass along what paperwork you got when you bought it. If you offer a Letter of Authenticity to state where the prop came from and who the current owner will be like you are presenting it to them that is fine just type your name on it and don't sign it. Only sign documents reflecting props that you are **sure** about. That way the buyer can make the decision to buy the prop knowing without a signature there may be no recourse on the item. If you are sure about the prop or wardrobe then do sign it. The buyer will now have the ease and open door to go back to the seller and feel free to discuss any problems that may arise requiring investigation about that item. Those that have nothing to hide, hide nothing. If you sign a document be prepared to buy the item back **if solid** evidence proves it is not what was on your signed COA.



Signature is blocked to protect seller

Knowing the chakram was not as stated on my COAs I still had pictures sent to the man that created Xena's chakram, Roger Murray AKA the Black Wolf and he said after viewing my chakram it was not one he or his production team ever made for use on the Xena set. The real one is still out there! Too bad the owner of the REAL one may have a hard time ever selling it when they choose to, shows how damaging these scammers are to the collecting world.

Believe me I do not take pleasure in all of this but a new day is dawning the "Twilight of the Gods" are upon us!

I **welcome** any comments about this article. Please contact me at [allaboutartgalry@aol.com](mailto:allaboutartgalry@aol.com)



X 5 E 22 "Motherhood"



Want to buy my chakram? LOL Barbie Arms-

# Prop of the Month

Rings in Category of Jewelry

Owned by Mark

**Caesar's Imperial Ring**

**When Fates Collide capture X 6 E 18**



Please contact mark if you have any comments [jack\\_deth13@yahoo.com](mailto:jack_deth13@yahoo.com)

**Owned by the Xena Museum and Athenaeum X 5**

1 - 4 Rings worn by Xena posing as Ezra in X E "Vanishing Act"



5. This ring came with the Devi wardrobe pieces but Gabrielle as Tataka in Devi did not wear a ring so this could be from another character. If you have any information on this please share.



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

**Owned by Barbie**

**Rings from Legacy**

**Four rings, 2 are blue**

**Screen capture of Xena as Fasmia in X6 E 5 "Legacy"**



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

## Forget Me Not



X 3 E 17

Have you see these props in an episode?

### Owned by Mark x 5

1. Here is a large, long, heavy metal sword with a scorpion-like arachnid as the handle. It was acquired from It's A Wrap, post the Yahoo auctions. There was no ID tag on it. It may have been used in Hercules.



2. Here is the familiar looking sword that we've seen in so many episodes such as Draco's sword, Deimos' sword, "The Xena Scrolls" and Petraclous sword, but this one is in gold, which I don't recall seeing. Maybe used in a Hercules episode?



**Have you seen this?**

**3.** Here is an awesome-looking sword with several skulls making up the handle. It did come with a studio tag attached that reads "Hells Blade", but nothing telling what show/episode it was from. Again may be from Hercules.



**4.** Horse Head Staff, It is the same cast horse head we see as the handle to the magic Amazon dagger from the episode "Lifeblood", but this horse-head is atop a long gnarled wooden staff.



**5.** Lucy Lawless Hot Pants, The original It's A Wrap-Yahoo auction description read: "A sexy little pair of Hot Pants worn by Lucy Lawless as Xena, they are made of brown leather with brown

leather petals and right side brown leather lace up. This collectible is accompanied by a custom Costume Department label that reads "Xena, Lucy". Item #7133."  
I suppose for anyone that wondered what Xena wore under her brown leathers, this may answer the question but I just don't recall ever seeing it.



Please email Mark if have any information about these items [jack\\_deth13@yahoo.com](mailto:jack_deth13@yahoo.com)

**Owned by Deb Charowsky  
Armor**



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

## Owned by Morgan x 4

1. Unfinished dagger



2. Horse head



3. Armor



4. Army Skirt



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

## Owned by Movie Prop King Green Wig

This was used on one of the Renaissance Pictures shows but we have not found it, any help would be appreciated.



Please visit the website [www.moviepropking.com](http://www.moviepropking.com)  
Please contact Jason at [kingjason1@aol.com](mailto:kingjason1@aol.com) if you have seen this prop.

**Owned by Mary**

**Beetle Ring with quartz**



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

**Owned by J.L. x 2**

**1. Tiara and Veil**



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

**Owned by Kimba X 3**

**This dress has Lucy written on tape inside the dress. Has anyone seen this dress in an episode?**



## 2. Silver Bracelet



## 3. Dagger and sheath



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

## Owned by Carin

Here are silver bracelets 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?



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

## Owned by T. Ashley

### 1. Kimono

Possibly from the Debt II or an outer layer of Xena's fallen angel costume (an outer robe perhaps) or maybe it was used on the actors in "Fallen Angel" when they filmed the scene of Xena ascending from heaven

1. *Xena blue kimono*



If you have seen the Kimono contact [tedra@fineblankbooks.com](mailto:tedra@fineblankbooks.com)

## Owned by Liliias

Spear



Please contact Liliias if you have seen this spear

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

## Owned by Barbie Arms Head Piece

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.



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

## Owned by Mart Burrow x 4

1. Metal Greaves. We originally thought these were gauntlets but they are too big so they look like they are greaves. Have you seen these?



2. Spear very intricate and beautiful



### 3. Gauntlets

***These are very well made, all leather, the design on it is like a braided canvas and leather sewn on to the main band, they could possibly be a main character as well made as they are.***



4. Dagger with soft rubber blade or closed cell foam



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**



**X 2 E 13**

**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.**

**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 Ares played by Kevin Smith either from Young Herc, Herc or Xena. Please contact him at [valeron5@yahoo.com](mailto:valeron5@yahoo.com) to discuss what you have for a possible purchase.

**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)

### **Sal would like to find the following items**

Xena Main Costume - Chest Armor, Shoulder Armor, Gauntlets & Armbands.

\_Xena Main Costume - Boots, Knee Guards & Scabbard.

\_Xena Chakram (both styles).

\_Xena Samurai Costume and Katana.

\_Gabrielle Main Costume - Belt, Boots & Staff (season 3 - 4 style).

\_Gabrielle Main Costume - Season 6 "and/or" Season 5.

\_Gabrielle Sai.

\_Callisto Main Costume.

Please contact Mike at [mburnaugh64@comcast.net](mailto:mburnaugh64@comcast.net) in behalf of Sal's search if you have any of these items for sale

### **Mike would like to find the following**

Egg compass from HM2 "Hercules and the Lost Kingdom. Mike would also like to find Zeus's Urn and Pandora's Box from Xena X 1 E 4 "Cradle of Hope". If you are reading this and have this box or know where it is please come forward! Mike will grant you three wishes from the blue Genie bottle when he finds that from Hercules H 5 E 4 "Genies And Grecians and Geeks, Oh My! Mike also wants to find the staff seen in Hercules Season 5 Episode 21 "My Best Girls Wedding" where Aphrodite disguises Iolaus as an old priest and then again in H 5 E 22 "Revelations" seen the priest of Ares. Please contact Mike at [mburnaugh64@comcast.net](mailto:mburnaugh64@comcast.net)

**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 Autolykus belt to go with their wardrobe pieces. [kingjason1@aol.com](mailto:kingjason1@aol.com)

### **Morgan Would like to find the following**

1. Any props from the Valkyrie episodes, including weapons, outfits or pieces of outfits worn by the Valkyrie, Beowulf, or any other characters featured in the Valkyrie arc. I am especially interested in completing my Valkyrie riders outfit or finding a Valkyrie saddlepad and the face guard worn by the horses.
2. Any horse/equestrian related item from any Xena episode, including saddle blankets, breast collars, bridles, saddles, face guards, or other horse armor or decoration.

3. Xena's equestrian outfit from When Fates Collide.
  4. Cast/Crew items-specifically seeking party invitations, the 100th episode Xena crew hat, and the snowglobe Lucy gave out to cast members with the X/G crucifixion scene on it.
  5. Actual photos taken on set by cast/crew or visitors.
  6. Weapons from any episode, particularly foam/resin daggers, spears and swords.
  7. Any Amazon-related props-jewelry, belts, armbands, tops and skirts, weapons, etc.
- 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. Ares ring
11. Gabby's fighting staff
12. Pompey's helmet.
13. Xena's red/black Sacrifice robe (matching to my mask featured in Xena Prop House vol.3)
14. Joxer's helmet
15. Original paua inlaid version chakram in excellent condition.
16. Xena's breast dagger.
17. The chakram suitcase from Send in the Clones.
18. 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.
19. Xena's headdress and staff with Cronos stone from Hercules' Armageddon Now
20. Gabby scroll
21. Marriage contract (with thumb prints) from Soul Possession
22. Athena's helmet or necklace
23. 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. Ares hero costume
3. Gabby's blue china girl costume from The Debt
4. Gabby's costume from Fates Collide final scene
5. Gabby and Xena's FIN samurai costumes
6. Xena's red armor from Bitter Suite or her red "bones" tango dress
7. Xena's wedding dress from Soul Possession
8. Xena as Cleopatra's chains from Antony & Cleopatra
9. Evil Xena costume seen in Hercules' Armageddon Now and also in the flashbacks in Locked Up & Tied Down
10. Xena's alternate reality costume from Hercules Stranger/Strange World episodes
11. Xena's Kali costume accessories needed are the earrings, nose ring, flowers necklace, skull necklace and foot ankle wraps.
12. Gabby's season six costume with belt and jewelry

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.

**Theresa** would love to find Xena's blue felt boot with thick white sole from episode "The Debt". She has one but would like to find the matching boot to make a pair. She is also looking for any singles boots (mostly the leather warrior type, that are from the LEFT foot only). Most every boot I have is from the Right foot. I have from the left foot an amazon-soft boot with fur single boot, that is it so LEFT are needed. If you have any leads please email Theresa at [thepuppypad@yahoo.com](mailto:thepuppypad@yahoo.com) she also does trades.

**Tedra** is looking for Xena's main costume gauntlets. Stunt or metal, worn by Lucy or Zoe Bell, either would be fine. You can contact Tedra at email [tedra@fineblankbooks.com](mailto:tedra@fineblankbooks.com)

**Lilias** has many awesome props and wardrobe and would like to 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" [proxyblue@aol.com](mailto:proxyblue@aol.com)

**Carin** is looking for Gabrielle's silver/leather lace-up wrist cuffs and silver decorated belt from her red velvet outfit. 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. I would love to purchase any staff, spears or weapons. I also have 2 gabby skirts one the orange rust color from Season one and rust from season 3-4. I need any one of the tops Renee wore or her double. Would also love Hercules items worn by Kevin Sorbo or double, leather pants, belt or boots. Would like any stained glass items from either series. 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". If you have a pair for sale 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!



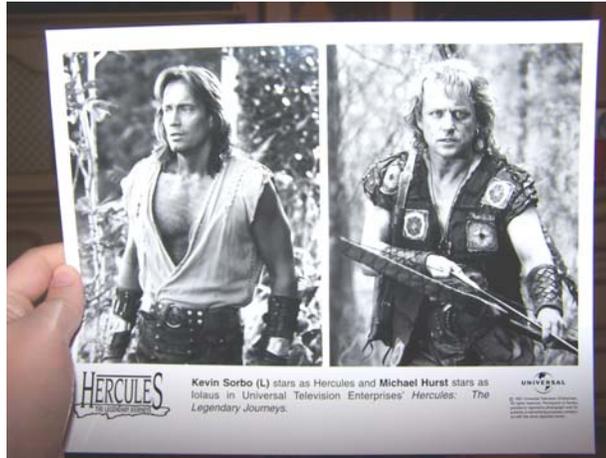
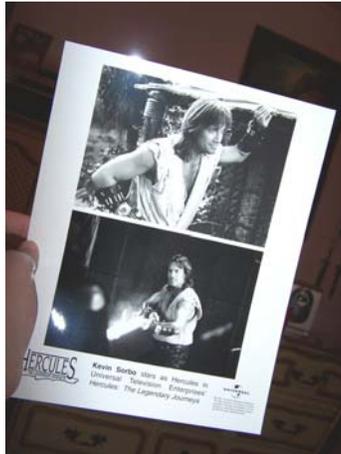
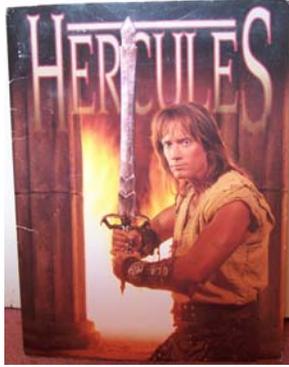
"A Day in the life"



X 2 E 15

Items For sale

**For Sale by Elizabeth**  
Hercules Press Kit



Asking price is \$100 or trade please contact [elizabethelfman704@hotmail.com](mailto:elizabethelfman704@hotmail.com)

### For Sale by Barbie

Photo of Altı hand signed by Claire Stansfield. Comes with a COA from Creation Entertainment.

\$25.00 or a trade.



I am selling this because a friend of mine that is friendly with Claire had her sign a candid photo of herself for me addressed to Barbie Bunny!



Claire Stansfield signed this for me!

## For Sale by Kimba

Queen Amazon mask acquired from Anne in NZ and it come with the Turners paperwork. The mask is labeled Melosa on the back. Asking price is \$ 875, that includes shipping in the States. Made of raffia, foam resin to form the bird head, and feathers.

**Kimba's mask for sale** Screen capture of Queen Melosa in "Hooves and Harlots"



If you would like to purchase this mask please contact [xwpargo@aol.com](mailto:xwpargo@aol.com)

## For Sale by Peg

Raffia animal asking price \$125.00. 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.



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

## For Sale by Liliias

### 1. Turban with gold spike and tassel

Very beautiful headpiece with a tassel down the back, please inquire about additional pictures to see the full glory of the piece.

Mart Burrow thinks this was from an India episode and Liliias says she has seen it but not sure which episode maybe someone knows?

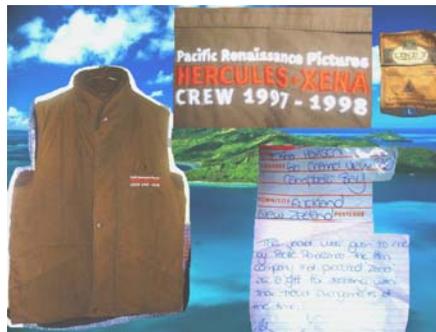
Price is £35 GBP or approximately \$68.50 USD.



Please contact Liliias at [liliiasodell@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:liliiasodell@yahoo.co.uk) if you would like to make a purchase

## For Sale by Theresa Crew Jacket for \$139.00, Size Large.

Comes with a letter from the owner that received the vest from Pacific Renaissance Pictures. The brown sleeveless jacket has 'Pacific Renaissance Pictures, Hercules - Xena, Crew 1997 - 1998' written on the chest in red and white.



Please contact Theresa at [thepuppypad@yahoo.com](mailto:thepuppypad@yahoo.com) if you are interested

## For Sale by The Xena Museum & Athenaeum

### Xena Props and Costumes



1. Xena's Brown Suede Ribbed top with Screen capture-"The Debt" \$875
2. Morloch's Chrome Triangle Chakram with screen capture-"Dangerous Prey" \$450
3. Ares Hero Boots, one pair offered \$1290
4. Amazon suede and cotton panties \$25 (not shown)
5. Centaur Water Jug w Leather, Fur and Feathers \$50



6. Centaur Criss Cross Bandolier \$30
7. Red Silk Sash w Elaborate Gold Metallic Floral Embroidery \$20



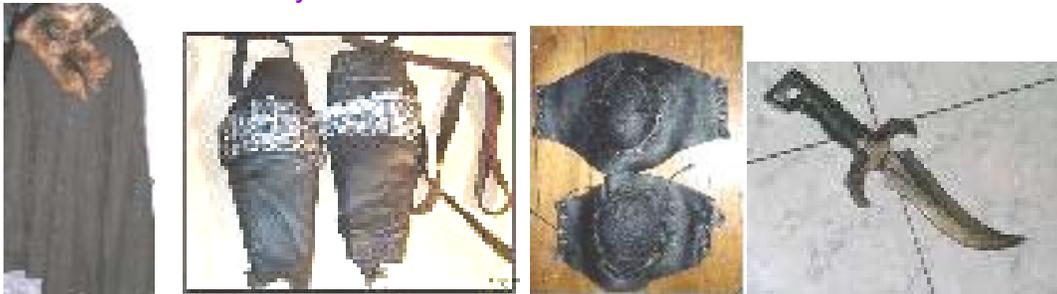
8. Bacchae costume with screen capture includes the top, skirt, cape, arm wraps and boots seen in X 2 E 4 "Girls Just Wanna Have Fun" \$575

### Hercules Legendary Journeys Prop and Costumes For Sale

1. Amazon Sword w Bat/Skull Hilt used in 'Prodigal Sister' \$250 **SALE PENDING**
2. Crossbow w Paua Shell inlay "Prodigal Sister" \$450, Heavy item
3. Warrior Sword seen in "Encounter" \$65 **SALE PENDING**



4. Norse Warrior Cloak, Black wool fur collar Xena "Return of the Valkyrie" or Hercules "Norse by Norsevest"? \$275



5. Warrior Greaves with Woven Metal \$75
6. Amazon Kneepads Leather and Brass, possibly from Young Herc \$60
7. Large Resin Dagger \$45 **SALE PENDING**

### Young Hercules Costume Pieces For Sale

1. Orpheus Armband, seen in "Lure of the Lyre" \$45
2. Ares Leather Pants Labeled Ares/Timor from "Con Ares" \$750

### Miscellaneous For Sale

1. **Tag Reads "Hero Mirror"** acquired from It's a Wrap with a Registered Number 5072, episode unknown, mirror is cracked but still very beautiful. \$125



2. **Misc. items**, Leather and Suede belts and bandoliers, black sash with gold fringe, single small gauntlet with metallic threads, braided suede arm wraps and belts, pair of leather wrist wraps with matched leather riveted arm wrap, wide heavy leather belt with fur and beads Prices range from \$5-17.50
3. **Crown** This is a small crown made of plastic worn by character Queen Meliphany in H3 Episode "A Star to Guide Them" with

red faux gems. One gold scrolled round piece that sat over the red gems is missing. \$10

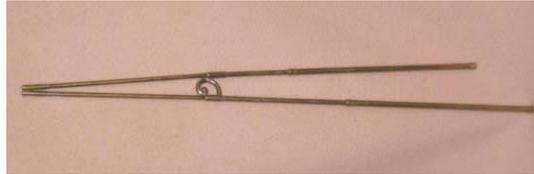


If you are interested in any of these items for sale please contact Christina  
[Christina@XenaMuseum.com](mailto:Christina@XenaMuseum.com)

## FOR SALE BY MOVIE PROP KING

2. Original screen used Brass flute ( Prop - not a real Flute )"Who's Gurkhan" ( Season Six ) Used by member of Gurkhan's courtyard as Gabrielle and Xena do their famous dances Measures just over 26 inches long Price **\$135.00**

### 2. Flute



Please check out Website [www.moviepropking.com](http://www.moviepropking.com)

## Paradise Found



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NO NEW PURCHASED ITEMS SUBMITTED FOR THIS ISSUE

"A Good Day"



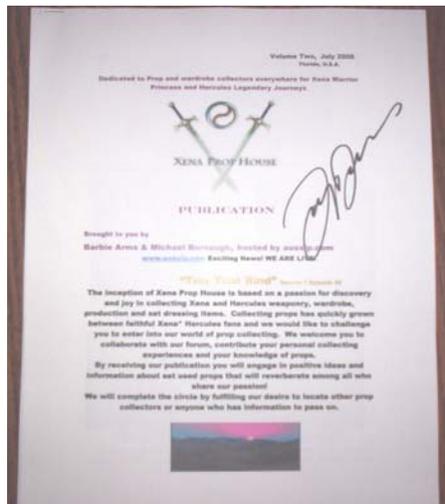
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Lilias has a Caesar Helmet!

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

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

THE GREATER GOOD X 1 E 21



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

I would like to run at least one auction a month so please check your inventory and see if you have any items to donate or if there is an item up for auction you would like to bid on. Participating in the auctions is a great way to own a piece of Xena history and show your support! 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 to have 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**

**June Auction 2007**

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

**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 Auxip 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 Auxip 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>

## **NEW SECTION!!!!!!**

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

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



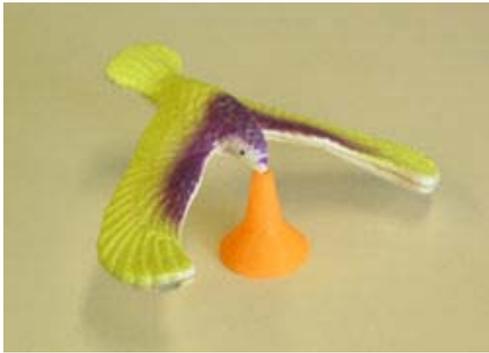
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**If you have a question please send to Barbie at [allaboutartgalry@aol.com](mailto:allaboutartgalry@aol.com) and I will direct the question to the collector(s) who I feel will know the**

**answer, finding a good fit! Anyone who has the answer are most welcome to reply. I will keep the questions posted until a satisfying answer is obtained. All questions answered will be posted, then removed, before the next issue to keep the section tidy.**

### **New reader Shelley wants to know**

**Q** Where did the idea or origin of the Bird for the Amazon Sword Hilt come from? Also it looks almost identical to this popular balancing bird toy made back in the 90's. Look at the tail shape, wing shape with lines for feathers and head shape similarities below!



**A** Consider the following about the symbolism of eagles in ancient times and belief systems. Firstly shamanism - which as we know in the Xenaverse was practiced by the Northern Amazons, but seemingly not by the Greek Amazons, though presumably there were some shared influences. Shamanism actually covers a multitude of belief systems, all of which share in common the belief in the power of nature and in the existence of parallel plains of consciousness. The symbolism of the eagle in shamanism is variable from one area to another, with the common factor being that it is seen as the highest form of power, being the closest to the spirit and spiritual healing.

In ancient Greece, eagles were a common symbol for supreme spiritual energy. For example - Zeus was attended to by an eagle, and an eagle carried souls to Hades.

Within other cultures the eagle represented such concepts as royalty, power, authority, victory, fertility, storms, lightning, and is commonly the antithesis of the serpent, plus the double-headed serpent (Garudabird) was worshipped by the Hittites as a symbol of omniscience.

On the other hand, it was also identified with the Zu bird - a storm demon and worker of disaster and evil. **Thank you Liliias [liliasodell@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:liliasodell@yahoo.co.uk)**

**Q** I wanted clarity on the use of the term "hero" in regard to collecting. I feel that some folks think that "hero" = "worn/used by the Lead". But in reading definitions on prop collecting sites it seems that the term "hero" applies to the quality of the prop/costume, and not necessarily who wore/used it? **Mark [jack\\_deth13@yahoo.com](mailto:jack_deth13@yahoo.com)**

**A** Hero: A type of prop or wardrobe that is regarded as the type of highest and best use; often attributed to use by the star or a principal of the production as well as close-up shots. 1) The "hero" prop is not the "stunt" version or "special fx" version, or any other special/specific use version of the prop; 2) the "hero" version of the prop is frequently the most highly detailed and/or functional and is usually (though not always) made of superior materials (i.e. metal vs. rubber or

resin) and of a higher quality of workmanship; 3) the “hero” version of the prop is frequently intended for use in close-up shots and/or publicity material; 4) the “hero” version of the prop is frequently used by the star/lead of the film; 5) in terms of collecting, “hero” props command a premium in price, value, rarity, and demand. **Jason De Bord**

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

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 for our readers.

## Anything for a Dinar?

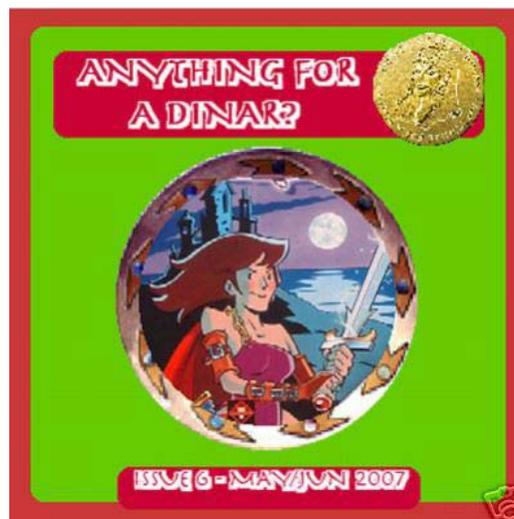
Louise is publisher of this wonderful Fanzine providing information about Xena collectibles, so beautifully and professionally done.

Her ebay member name is thebattlingbard to sign up for your low cost issues.

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---

\*\*\*\*\*New Release\*\*\*\*\* Issue #6



**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?

**THANK YOU LOUISE FOR OUR NEW LOGO!**

## Seeds of Faith X 5 E 9



Nice set!

### Trusted Dealers, Fan and Blog Sites, 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 TV episode or movie. 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) or [xenafunbarbie@aol.com](mailto:xenafunbarbie@aol.com)

## Update

Ebay.com is no longer automatically showing most listings on its sites elsewhere in the world such as ebay.co.uk. If you're looking for something under xena props and want to find items listed outside the .com site, you now need to click the 'worldwide' box on the left side of the search results page, and then click on 'search' underneath this. Thank you for telling us Liliias!

Movie Prop King at [www.moviepropking.com](http://www.moviepropking.com) Member of the M.P.A (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 M.P.A (Movie Prop Association), and the U.A.C.C (Universal Autograph Collectors Club).

### More great sites to visit!

Two Places to show your props for free

1. [www.ketzer.com](http://www.ketzer.com)
2. <http://www.yourprops.com/sitemap.php>

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) GOING 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.

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/>

Xena Museum & Athenaeum  
<http://xenamuseum.googlepages.com/home>  
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>

Xena Prop House by Barbie Arms  
<http://xenaprohouse.blogspot.com/>

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

**Beautiful Official Xena Photos, Cards and more by eBay members**  
Please paste these addresses onto your browser

**Deankhs Delights** please check Deaette's eBay Store [http://stores.ebay.com/Deankhs-Delights\\_W0QQssPageNameZstrkQ3amefsQ3amesstQQtZkm](http://stores.ebay.com/Deankhs-Delights_W0QQssPageNameZstrkQ3amefsQ3amesstQQtZkm)

**Entertainment Collectibles** please check out Patty's store  
[http://stores.ebay.com/Entertainment-Collectables\\_W0QQssPageNameZstrkQ3amefsQ3amesstQQtZkm](http://stores.ebay.com/Entertainment-Collectables_W0QQssPageNameZstrkQ3amefsQ3amesstQQtZkm)

**Star System Collectibles** please check out Keith's Store  
[http://stores.ebay.com/Star-System-Collectibles\\_Xena-Hercules\\_W0QQcolZ2QQdirZQ2d1QQfsubZ10QQftidZ2QQtZkm](http://stores.ebay.com/Star-System-Collectibles_Xena-Hercules_W0QQcolZ2QQdirZQ2d1QQfsubZ10QQftidZ2QQtZkm)

### Collectibles Insurance Agency

If your collection is growing and you need insurance coverage please visit their website [www.collectinsure.com](http://www.collectinsure.com) to get more information. I checked over their rates and they are very reasonable. They have been in business since 1966.

**CUSTOM DISPLAYS FOR YOUR TREASURES**



*Had to share this with you!*

Xena's Armor from X5 E3 "Succession" owned by Mark



Please contact Mark at email [jack\\_deth13@yahoo.com](mailto:jack_deth13@yahoo.com) if you have any comments

### *T. Ashley Books and Journals*

*Tedra makes fantastic books and Journals, the craftsmanship is stunning and her work is one of a kind. Every crafted item is never exactly duplicated so your personal purchase would be a rare and one off piece. We will feature a few examples of her work in every issue. Please check website [www.fineblankbooks.com](http://www.fineblankbooks.com) to see more of Tedra's work. You can also email Tedra at [tedra@fineblankbooks.com](mailto:tedra@fineblankbooks.com) if you would like her to do a special project for you. Prices correlate to extremely high quality books, journals and boxes.*

*Xena Prop House Books are Coming!*

Available exclusively to Xena Prop House readers is a book handcrafted by bookbinder Tedra Ashley- W. She will bind a full year of Xena Prop House publication into a single hardcover volume. The book will be printed in color on acid free paper from the first June 2006 issue to May 2007. The cover will be a standard layout, not custom, so it can be made in quantity. However, you will be able to choose your cover color and stamping color from those listed below. You can also have your name added under the sais on the back if you like for no additional cost. If you would like to own a book please contact Tedra so she can get an approximate count of readers who are interested.

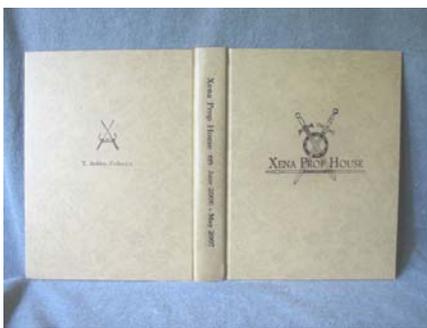
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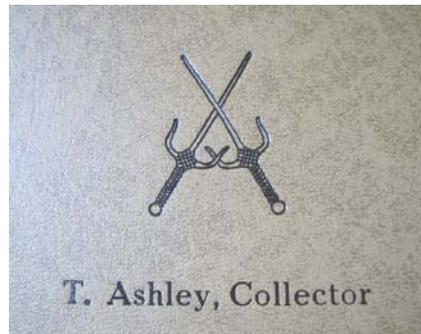
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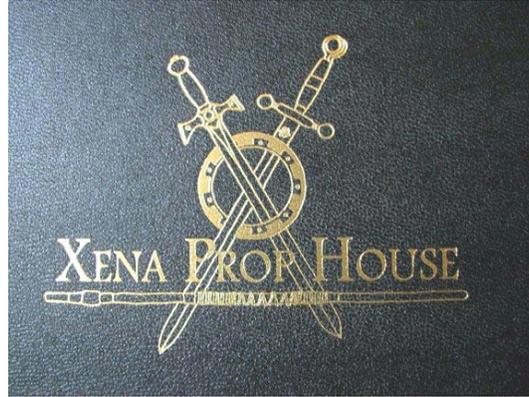


Entire cover



Back of book

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*Copper stamping on Burgundy*



*Spine*



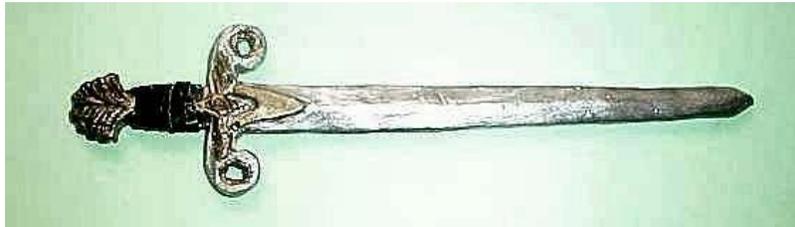
*The books will cost \$160 per book if we get between 1 and 29 orders. This includes shipping within the U.S. only. We will gladly ship overseas, but overseas shipping will cost more. The books will cost \$110 per book if we get 30 orders or more (U.S. shipping included as above). Please contact Tedra for more information on cover choices.*

*This is a great opportunity to have your props that were featured and any participation you may have had in the publication archived in your very own book. These are real, sewn, hardcover books that are made to last.*

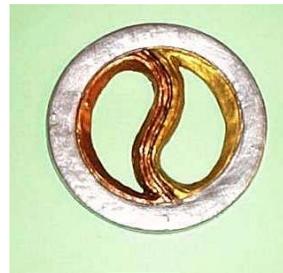
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## Magnets and Novelties by Velda

### New Item! Callisto Sword



### More great items



. Each item is signed by myself and I will be making 100 of each. That item will then be retired. If you wish to purchase any of these items, I sell them on a regular basis on e bay every fortnight under the ID of **starwarriorbabe**. Unfortunately due to health problems, I can't take bulk orders. **If you have any questions about these wonderful magnets and to see more that Velda makes please contact Velda [warriorbabe61@tiscali.co.uk](mailto:warriorbabe61@tiscali.co.uk)**

## Facts of the Month



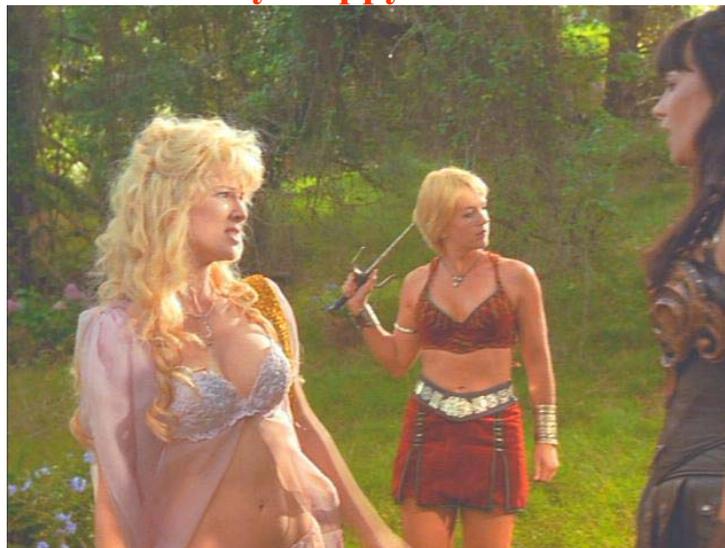
The Black Wolf says.....

*1. The Indrajit axe I can say is my favorite prop and the best one I made for Xena. I also designed it for the production folio for that episode. I also still have one in my office –*

*- 2. The Trojan horse got trashed too big and flammable!*

**Roger Moore**

**Many Happy Returns!** X 6 E 19



**COMING IN AUGUST**

- **Prop of the month for August will be Necklaces. I will be splitting up categories for Jewelry in the upcoming issues.**

- Please contact me I would love to hear from you! Remember this is your publication too!
- I welcome any additional ideas, information or comments you would like to share! This publication is not effective without reader participation!
  - Please send pictures of your displays
- Let us know about your new purchases we will post it with pictures you submit!
  - Any props for sale? Post it for free!
  - Need to find a prop in an episode? Let us help!

**\*DEADLINE TO SUBMIT INFO FOR THE AUGUST ISSUE IS AUGUST 7, 2007\***

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For screen captures or for any reason at all please contact Barbie at [allaboutartgalry@aol.com](mailto:allaboutartgalry@aol.com)

## Hope to See You Again!



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