

Seeing the signs

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Andrew Mason — 16 Dec 2010, 22:45

Jeff Wilson wrote:

Given my current exploration of the role of Dionysus and Great God Pan in the Sun series I was less interested in the PROPHET's crudely carved staff and more interested in the goatskin he was wearing (heh).

Another Inire-Faunus-Inuus reference? Awfully pagan at any rate, which might be a bit odd from a straight

Judeo-Christian interpretation for a prophet in a play called Eschatology and Genesis

This doesn't strike me as particularly pagan - Moses leading the tribes through the desert could have looked much the same, and he did sympathetic magic like nailing an effigy snake to a pole to ward off death by snake venom.

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James Wynn — 16 Dec 2010, 23:00 · in reply to Andrew Mason

Andrew Mason-

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Apparently it refers to People of Faith who fled towns for unpopulated areas during persecution.

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