



HERMANUBIS II

Offerings from this series were created under the auspices of the psychopomp Hermanubis during a rare Mercury Rx Eclipse of the Sun on 11/11/2019 in the second decan of Scorpio. They act as powerful veil renders between ourselves and the underworld, drawing the Dead and enhancing our ability to commune with the dearly departed, as well as psychically journey the chthonic realms.

Use in Necromancy + Ancestral Rites: Stir, call, and communicate with individual Dead or classes of Ancestors. Burn the Incense or spray the Elixir while praying to Hermanubis with any specific requests to open each ritual session (see that X is brought to the table, allocate offerings, deliver messages, help clarify what the Dead have to tell you, &c). Anoint offerings, letters, graves, urns.

Applied to the Living Individual: Typically induces light to deep trance states, depending on the amount used, whether or not multiple items are being layered, and the sensitivity of the operator. Primes to psychically receive transmissions from Amenti and journey through astral travel and lucid dreaming. Enhances mediumship abilities and informs meditations on Death and transition.

Side effects: Increased sensitivity and potential psychic disturbance, queasiness from activation of the Earth element within the vessel, feeling drained of vitality or heavy. For this reason, it is advised to use life-affirming materia/ talismans and cleanse following significant interface with Hermanubis or the Dead. Materia belonging to Asclepius, Son of Apollo, and Golden Sol can all be used for this purpose, in addition to the herb rosemary and/ or fumigation of frankincense. Body and space (if working indoors) alike.

Invitations, License to Depart, Storage: Be specific with your calls and intentions. Keep these offerings stowed when not in use, as they function as attractants for any and all Dead, and in that way, can lead to inadvertent hauntings. Make sure to dismiss whoever was called at the conclusion of each operation or offering by asking Hermanubis to deliver them to where would be most beneficial, rather than lingering.

Aiding in Life-Death Transition: Anoint the body (or images/ belongings) of the dying or recently deceased, ask Hermanubis to help them navigate the process and get to their destination.

Keyword: “Apherou”, meaning Way Opener.

Prayer: For a pre-written prayer and ritual dedicated to Hermanubis, please refer to The Armies of the Dead section of Gordon White’s *The Chaos Protocols*, which was how I was first introduced to “the most magically useful God you have never heard of”. Credit where it is due, paying it forward, all that! Otherwise (and always), pray simply, from the Heart...

*Hermanubis, Hermanubis, Hermanubis, I call!
Deliverer of Souls into the realm of Amenti
Way Opener, Truth Teller, Chthonic Courier,
I ask that... (insert request...)*