

Re: Annedoti, Anon (Re: A China–Sumer connection)

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Apparently on date Thu, 03 Mar 2005 22:44:13 +1300, benlizross <benlizro@ihug.co.nz> said:

>Comm wrote:

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>> "benlizross" <benlizro@ihug.co.nz> wrote in message

>> news:42262606.539E@ihug.co.nz...

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>> >> They were also called Musarus and Oannes in Greek. Odacon is a name that

>> >> came up for ? a person back then. Sumerians state that "SOMEONE" came to

>> >> them from the sea and taught them what they knew. They didn't claim to

>> >> have invented it. They didn't claim their gods gave it to them. Logic

>> >> dictates that sea faring people taught them. WHO? Austronesians are a

>> >> very

>> >> good guess since they WERE sea faring people that would be likely to wear

>> >> fish costumes (totems).

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>> > Really? Who could deny that the Austronesians were seafarers? But I'm

>> > not familiar with any of them wearing fish costumes. Still, there are a

>> > lot of different cultures, and maybe some of them do or did. I won't ask

>> > you to provide evidence of this, since I know it's against your

>> > principles. But if there is any, I'm sure Paul has dug it up by now.

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>> I don't have references on hand – and even if I found some by digging thru

>> heaps – it would not be in etext. Sure, PKM seems to know more than I

>> know – he has an idea WHO they were. He mentioned fish totems – ask him.

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>> >> Yeah, Greeks talked about this stuff too, some claiming to have met these

>> >> people. Anyone can go read what Berossus had to say. Thales also spoke

>> >> about this.