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## Greek Myths and the Wonders of Nature: Explaining Seasons and Thunderstorms

### Short Answer

1. Explain how the myth of Demeter and Persephone explains the changing seasons.
2. Describe the role of Zeus in Greek mythology regarding thunderstorms.
3. What compromise allowed the seasons to change in the myth of Demeter and Persephone?
4. How did people in ancient Greece view Zeus's thunderbolts, and why did they build temples and altars dedicated to him?
5. What is the significance of Greek myths in understanding the natural world, even in modern times?

