



WEST AFRICAN FOLK TALES

## ***West African Folk Tales***

by William H. Barker (1882-1929)

A collection of folk tales mostly centered around Anansi. In West African lore Anansi is known as a trickster god, and is often depicted as either a spider, a human or a combination of both. Thus many of the stories are attempts by Anansi to trick others for his own gain. Other stories explain why certain animals act in certain ways.

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