

**Dulcarnon** (dūl kar' non). The horns of a DILEMMA (or *syllogismum cornutum*); at my wit's end; a puzzling question. From an Arabic word meaning "the possessor of two horns". The 47th proposition of the First Book of EUCLID is called the Dulcarnon (the theorem of PYTHAGORAS), because the two squares which contain the right angle roughly represent horns.