**SCHEMING in IDYLLS & ECLOGUES**: motif registers: pastoral (gts=goats/shp=sheep/buc=olive/crus=agricultural) aka farming georgic/civic-heroic (war, epic)

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**Fictional Figures Adapted from Tradition**

*times, places, actions defining narrative (chrono+topo+practo+logy!)*

**Id 1** Thyrhis (shp)/'goatherd':

- [Meliboeus (gts, agr) exile] / Tityrus (shp, buc): Rome trip, new god; growth
- [Narr'r (Corydon (shp, gts) prefers city boy] to Menalcas: Pan, Damoetas' pipe
- [bard'] ambition loses[

**Id 2** Sinaetha [curses on Delphis in city; herstory—trip to rite]

**Id 3** Battus / Corydon (buc Aegon's): A’s trip to Olympia

**Id 5** Comatas (shps) / Lacon (shp) / Morson (woodcutter) [match: victory]

**Id 6** Narrator [Daphnis: Polyphemus (cyclops) wooed by Galatea (sea nymph) / Damoetas: Polyphemus teases Galatea] both good, prizes exchanged

**Id 7** Simichidas (nar'r, fro city) [Lycidas (gts)] [Daphnis, arrives in country, harvest season, ritual feast]

**Id 11** narrator (love’s cure) [Polyphemus woos Galatea]

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**SC** 7 Jul. Thomalin (shp, low) / Morrell (gts, high)

**SC** 8 Aug. Willie [Perigot] (shps/Cuddie (buc)] [roulde:

**SC** 9 Sep. Hobbinol3/Diggon (shp) [wandered far: false

**SC** 10 Oct. Pierce2/Cuddiel [C. worn out, urged to higher

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**C** 1 Jan. Narr'r [Colin: love's pain, cause—trip to town humble vs haughty in Xian churches]

**C** 2 Feb. Cuddie (youth) / Thenot (age) [Tityrus (Virgil Chaucer) 'Oak & Briar'] quals: Colin1 ['woe' sestina]

**C** 3 Mar. Willie / Tomalin (shps) [Th hunted love, was hit]

**C** 4 Apr. Thenot / Hobbinol (shps), spurned by Colin2, reports his laye [Eliza]

**C** 5 May. Palinode (cheerful, worldly) / Piers (puritanical) [two styles of clergy]

**C** 6 Jun. Hobbinol2/Colin3 [paradisal place, season / Tityrus dead; C. low in love]

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**Ec** 6 Tityrus2 (shp, narr'') reduced by Apollo [Silenus bard:

**Ec** 7 Meliboeus2 (gts, narr'') | Daphnis & Arcadians:

**Ec** 8 Narr'r [Arcadian lover dies/sorceress draws Daphnis

**Ec** 9 Lycidas ('bard?')/Moeris [Menalcas! songs defeated]

**Ec** 10 Narr'r (Arethusa in Arcadia) [Gallus2 dying rewrites

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**rt: Romish Tityrus, Bacchus**

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