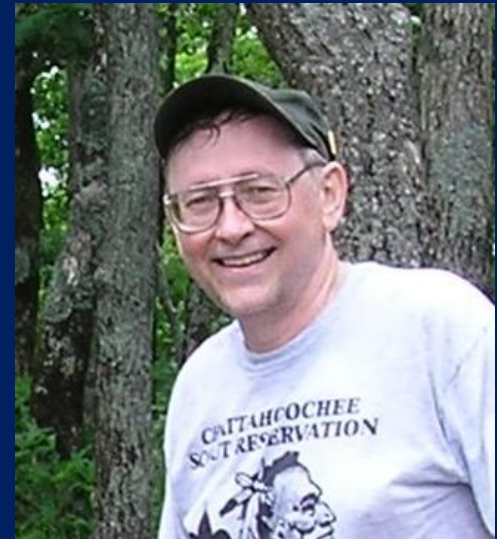




Chapter 5-B ***Roman Republic***



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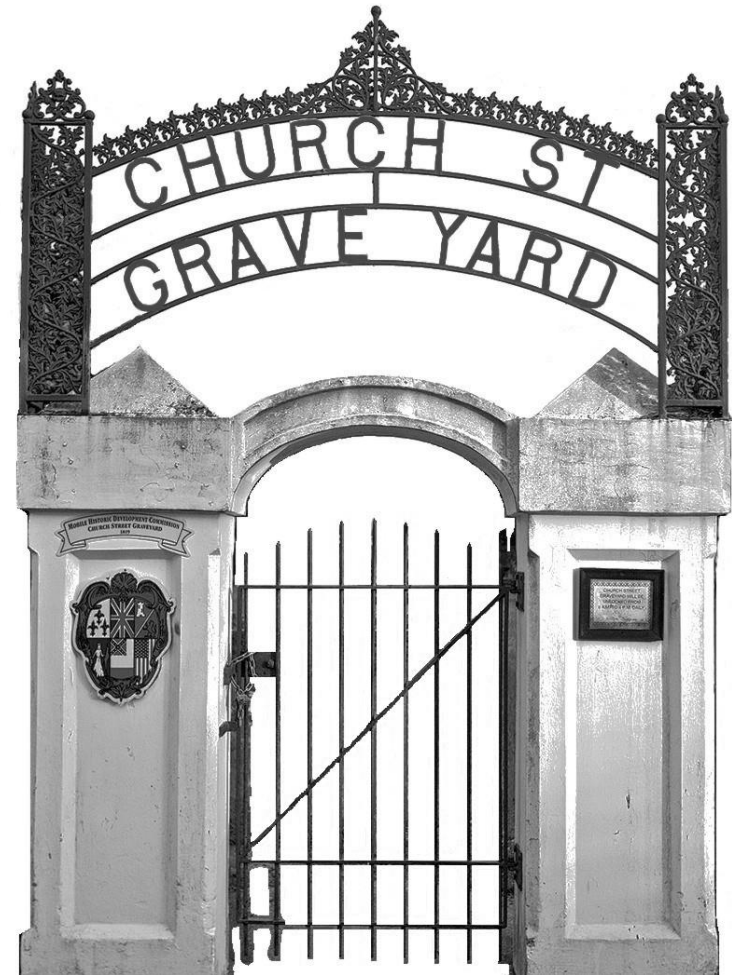
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Sept. 3	On-Line Quiz (Ch. 5)
Sept. 6	Review Session – Time TBD
Sept. 7	EXAM ONE – Ch 1-5
Sept. 14	On-Line Quiz (Ch. 6)
Sept. 24	On-Line Quiz (Ch. 7)
Sept. 26	Article Two Approval
Oct. 1	On-Line Quiz (Ch. 8)
Oct. 3	Article Two - DUE

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Western Civilization I



**Eagle Project
Church Street Graveyard
Work Day**

**Saturday, Sept. 30
8:00am – 1:00 pm**

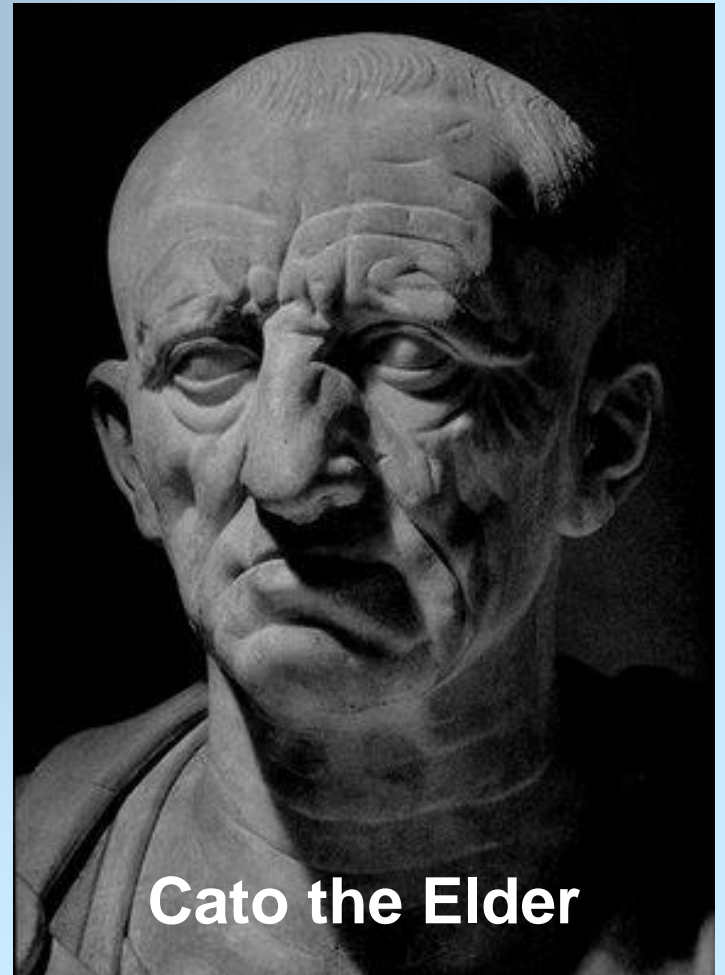
**Stone restoration training
provided by Build Mobile**

Lunch provided

**Four Person Teams needed
Contact Ethan Henry
Ethan.c.h.2008@gmail.com**



Carthago Delenda est



Cato the Elder

Carthage Must Be Destroyed

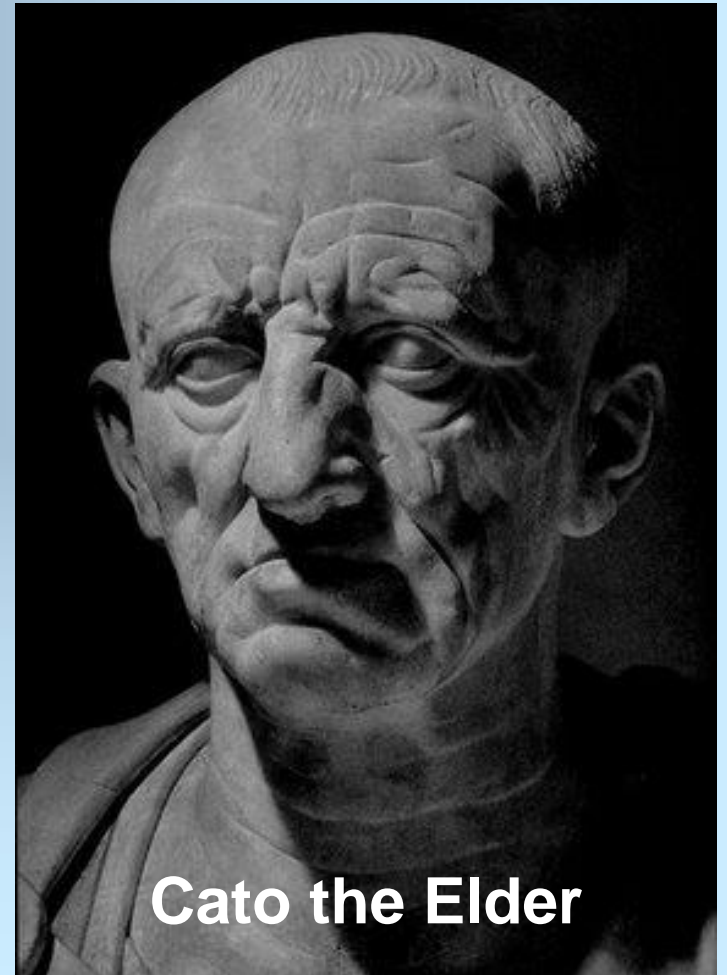
The Third Punic War

149 - 146 B.C.E.



Rome

Victorious



Cato the Elder

Carthage Utterly Destroyed

The Third Punic War

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Rome

Victorious

50,000 sold into slavery

City burned for 17 days

**Walls and buildings
destroyed**

Land cursed

**Territories annexed by
Rome**

Hannibal's Legacy



**The beginning of the end
for the
Roman Republic**

Small farmers ruined by years of fighting on/near their land

Wealthy citizens gained – war profits, buy up small farms

Displaced farmers added to rolls of urban permanently unemployed

Farmers no longer source of army recruits

Spartacus – Slave Revolts

Servile Wars

**First Servile War
(135-132 BC) Sicily
70,000 slaves**

**Second Servile War
(104-100 BC) Sicily
25,000 slaves**

**Third Servile War (73-71 BC)
“War of Spartacus”
120,000 slaves**



The Rich Get Richer

The Gracchi Brothers

Tiberius and Gracchus

Tribune of the Plebs

133 BC – 123 BC

Starts distribution of land

Tiberius runs for reelection

(against custom – slippery slope of man over custom)

Group of Senators provoke riot

Tiberius clubbed to death

(slippery slope of assassination)

Gaius sought support from equestrians who had become senators

Plans to extend rights to non-Roman Italians were vetoed. A substantial proportion of the Roman poor, protective of their privileged Roman citizenship, turned against Gaius.



The Gracchi Brothers

Gaius Gracchus

123 BC – Tribune (10 years after brother)

Starts distribution of land (again)

Fixed prices of grain for urban population

Improved citizenship for those living outside Rome

Gaius reelection (Still illegal)

Roman poor prove to be unreliable as a political powerbase – failed to realize how corrupt and selfish all Romans had become.

Group of Senators provoke riot (again)

Gaius commits suicide. 3,000 supporters arrested and put to death.



THE DEATH OF CAIUS GRACCHUS.

Marius, novus homo

Gaius Marius

Success on battlefields in
Africa and Europe

Abolished property
requirement for soldiers

Permitted volunteers –
poor/landless

Armies become tools of
commanders



Consul

7 times

(107 – 86 BC)



Julius Caesar



Flamen Dialis, high priest of Jupiter

Sulla strips Caesar of priesthood – joins army and leave Rome

Pontifex Maximus (63 BC) greatest bridge-maker
Established the Julian Calendar

Galic Wars (58-51 BC)

Crosses the Rubicon (49 BC)

“Let the die be cast.”

Goes to Egypt in pursuit of Pompey (48 BC)

You too, child? / Et tu, Brute? (44 BC)

Consul – 5 times

Dictator – 4 times

(11 days to life)

The murder of Caesar



THE IDES OF MARCH

Beware them.

Rumors

Omens:

**Warning
of Seer**

**Nightmare
of wife**

**Badgered
into going**

Murder, or an effort to protect the Republic



Julius
Caesar:

**Ignored
the Senate**

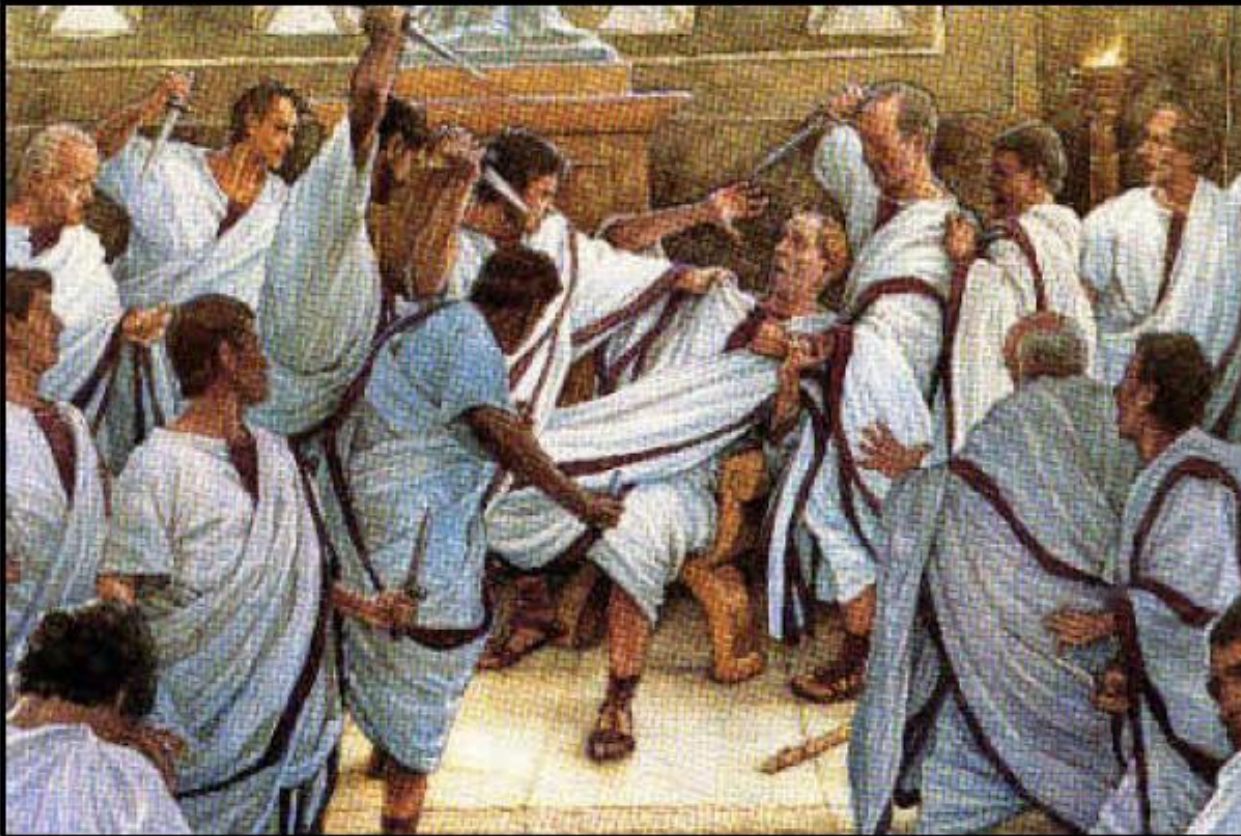
**Removed
Tribunes**

**Wished to
be King**

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Murder, or an effort to protect the Republic



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**Legitimate
removal of
a Tyrant**

**Conspiracy
of large
(60+)
number of
leading
Citizens**

**Rome has
no King**

Next Up...

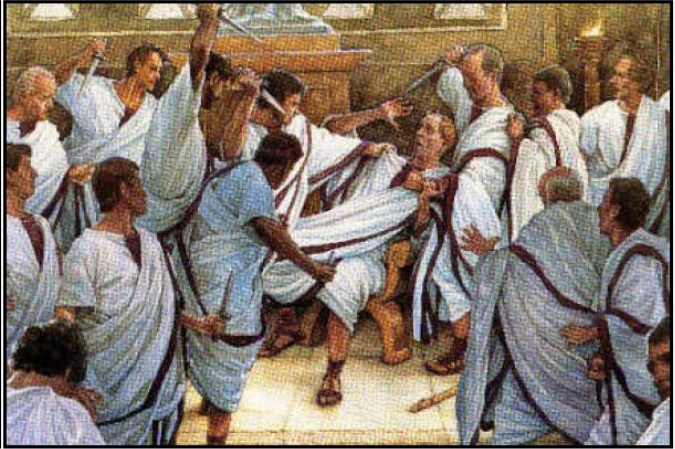
EXAM on Chapters 1-5



YOU HAVE TO STUDY FOR TESTS, DUMMY! – YOU CAN'T JUST PUT A MEMORY STICK IN YOUR EAR!



The murder of Caesar



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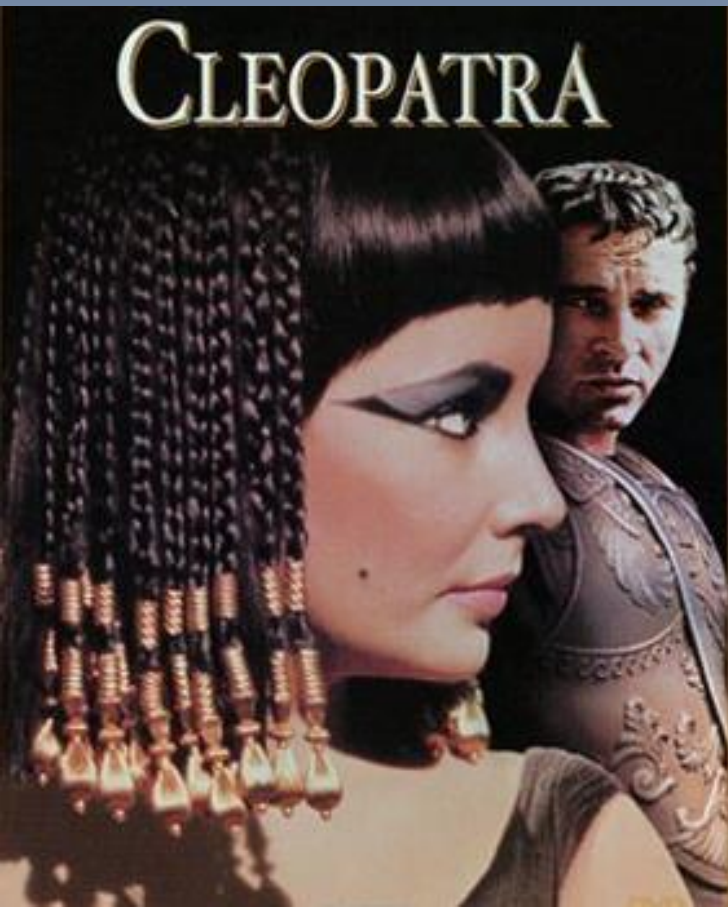
Amnesty

Revenge

Octavian vs. Antony

Mark Antony needs cash...

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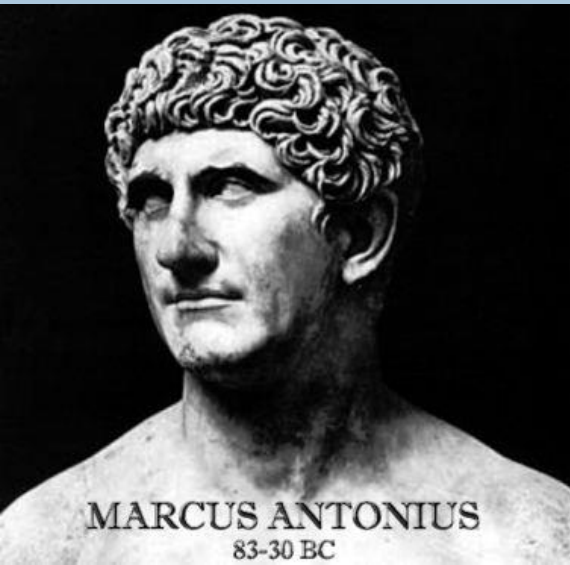


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Actium
(naval battle, 31 BC)

All or Nothing
(snake or poison)



Octavian becomes Caesar Augustus

January 1, 27 BC

*“Mission
Accomplished”*

