

Roman Emperors, Jesus, and Apostles			
Year	Caesar	Notes	New Testament Event
<b>Life</b> 100-44 BC <b>Reign</b> 49-44 BC	<b>Julius Caesar</b>	Rebelled against Senate 49BC  Murdered by Senators 15 March 44 "Ides of March"	
<b>Life</b> 63BC-14AD <b>Reign</b> 27BC-14AD	<b>Caesar Augustus</b>	- Born: Gaius Octavius - Declared Augustus by Senate (Augustus = 'worshiped')  - <i>Pax Romana</i> : 'Roman Peace' - Founded <i>Emperor Cult</i> - Worshiped as <i>Divine</i>	Jesus Birth
<b>Life</b> 42BC-37AD <b>Reign</b> 14AD-37AD	<b>Tiberius</b>		Jesus Ministry  Jesus Crucifixion
<b>Life</b> 12AD-41AD <b>Reign</b> 37AD-41AD	<b>Caligula</b>		attempted to erect a statue of himself as a 'god' in the Jerusalem Temple but was opposed by a group of Pharisees.
<b>Life</b> 10BC-54 <b>Reign</b> 41AD-54AD	<b>Claudius</b>	Named: <i>Tiberius Claudius Caesar Augustus Germanicus</i>  Poisoned	Expelled Jews from Rome. <i>Acts 18:2</i>
<b>Life</b> 37AD-68AD <b>Reign</b> 54AD-68AD	<b>Nero</b>	Named: <i>Nero Claudius Caesar Augustus Germanicus</i>	Emperor when Paul wrote his letter to the Romans.
<b>Year of Four Caesars</b>			
<b>Life</b> 9AD-79AD <b>Reign</b> 69AD-79AD	<b>Vespasian</b>	Flavian Dynasty	Led the war against Jewish rebellion in Israel by the Zealots
<b>Life</b> 39AD-81AD <b>Reign</b> 79AD-81AD	<b>Titus</b>		Led the destruction of Temple in Jerusalem
<b>Life</b> 51AD-96AD <b>Reign</b> 81AD-96AD	<b>Domitian</b>	Revived the Imperial Cult Demanded to be called "Lord and God" Ephesus was his central city for his worship	Emperor while John is writing Revelation