Ancient Rome Test 2 Study Guide

Multiple Choice Items

- 1. the effects of Hannibal's invasion on the Italian peasantry
- 2. the problems of using a peasant militia as an imperial army
- 3. the revolution in agricultural organization in the second century BCE
- 4. latifundia
- 5. ager publicus
- 6. the revolution in agricultural labor in the second century BCE
- 7. the change in urban society in the second century BCE
- 8. the change in the urban economy in the second century BCE
- 9. the military crisis of the late second century BCE
- 10. Ti. Gracchus' agrarian law
- 11. the importance of the overthrow of Ti. Gracchus
- 12. C. Gracchus' measures for public welfare
- 13. C. Gracchus' measures to increase revenues
- 14. C. Gracchus' measures against corruption
- 15. C. Gracchus' measures on the franchise
- 16. the fall of C. Gracchus
- 17. the senatus consultum ultimum
- 18. optimates
- 19. populares
- 20. C. Marius' revolutionary political importance
- 21. L. Cornelius Cinna
- 22. novus homo
- 23. the Jugurthine War
- 24. the Cimbri and Teutones
- 25. the Social War
- 26. Marius' military reforms
- 27. the Illyrian Wars
- 28. Philip V
- 29. Perseus
- 30. the Macedonian Wars
- 31. Carteia and Italica
- 32. Roman treatment of the Spaniards
- 33. the Numantine War
- 34. the Third Punic War
- 35. delenda est Karthago
- 36. the importance of the Battles of Cynoscephalae and Pydna
- 37. Rome's acquisition of the province of Asia
- 38. the Mithradatic Wars
- 39. Rome's conquest of Gaul
- 40. the prorogation of *imperium*
- 41. the duties of Republican governors
- 42. the administrative staffs of Republican governors

- 43. types of provincial taxation under the Republic
- 44. taxation of the provinces under the Republic
- 45. L. Cornelius Sulla as dictator
- 46. Cn. Pompeius Magnus' political character
- 47. how Pompey's career exemplifies the decay of Rome's traditions
- 48. Q. Sertorius
- 49. C. Julius Caesar's political significance
- 50. the First Triumvirate
- 51. the conquest of Gaul
- 52. veni, vidi, vici
- 53. Caesar's campaigns in the Civil Wars
- 54. Caesar's reforms as dictator
- 55. M. Antonius
- 56. the ides of March
- 57. C. Octavius
- 58. M. Vipsanius Agrippa
- 59. the aftermath of Caesar's assassination
- 60. the Battle of Mutina
- 61. the Second Triumvirate
- 62. the Treaty of Brundisium
- 63. "Queen of Kings"
- 64. the Battle of Actium
- 65. "a monarchy in a Republican shell"
- 66. "the restoration of the Republic"
- 67. the Settlement of 27 BCE
- 68. the meaning of *Imperator*
- 69. the Settlement of 23 BCE
- 70. maius imperium
- 71. pater patriae
- 72. the meaning of *princeps*
- 73. Augustus' moral and social legislation
- 74. the characteristics of the Senate's provinces
- 75. proconsuls
- 76. Augustus' reform of provincial administration
- 77. the characteristics of Augustus' provinces
- 78. legati Augusti pro praetore
- 79. procuratores Augusti
- 80. praefecti Augusti
- 81. the division of authority within Augustus' provinces
- 82. Augustus' reform of provincial taxation
- 83. Augustus' reform of the Roman army
- 84. the Praetorian Guard
- 85. the vigiles
- 86. the cohortes urbanae
- 87. the Teutoberg Forest
- 88. the *cursus publicus*

- 89. the Imperial Cult
- 90. differing views of the position of *princeps*
- 91. the Succession Problem
- 92. Tacitus' view of Tiberius
- 93. Tiberius' policy
- 94. L. Aelius Seianus (Sejanus)
- 95. Tiberius' last years
- 96. the character of the emperor Gaius
- 97. the meaning of "Caligula"
- 98. Claudius' administrative reforms
- 99. Claudius' expansion of the empire
- 100. Agrippina the Younger
- 101. L. Domitius Ahenobarbus
- 102. Nero's policy
- 103. the revolt of Boudicca
- 104. the Great Jewish Revolt
- 105. the overthrow of Nero
- 106. the "Imperial Secret"
- 107. the Year of the Four Emperors
- 108. C. Julius Vindex
- 109. Ser. Sulpicius Galba
- 110. M. Salvius Otho
- 111. A. Vitellius
- 112. T. Flavius Vespasianus
- 113. the revolt of Civilis
- 114. the lex de imperio Vespasiani
- 115. Titus
- 116. T. Flavius Domitianus
- 117. dominus et deus
- 118. Domitian's administrative policy
- 119. Domitian's military policy
- 120. damnatio memoriae

Essay Questions

- 1. How did the growth of the empire affect the social and economic health of the Roman Republic?
- 2. How did the growth of the empire affect the internal politics of the Roman Republic?
- 3. What were the weaknesses of Roman rule in the provinces of her empire under the Republic? How did Augustus address those weaknesses?
- 4. Identify the political problems that destroyed the Roman Republic. How did Augustus address those problems in his reforms?
- 5. To what do you attribute Julius Caesar's failure to stabilize Roman politics? What enabled Augustus to succeed where Caesar had failed?
- 6. How do the Julio-Claudian and Flavian emperors exemplify the strengths and weaknesses of autocracy (one-man rule)