## End of Year Review: Rome Quizlet

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channels used to carry water over long distances
because its capital, Constantinople, was built where the Greek city of Byzantium once stood.
The eastern Roman Empire came to be known as this; its' ruler was Constantine. Constantine legalized all religions.
city in North Africa and Rome fought the people of this city and took over their lands
A large oval-shaped track where Romans held chariot races. Two hundred thousand people often attended the chariot races at this place in Rome.
people who could take part in their government
A huge oval shaped amphitheater used by Romans for gladiator fight and held about 70,000 people
(275-337 A.D.) The first Christian Roman Emperor who founded a new Roman capital of Constantinople near the Black Sea. During his rule, the Christian religion became legal in the Roman Empire
The capital of the eastern Roman Empire.
A Roman punishment given to criminals in which they were either nailed or tied to a wooden cross and left to die a slow death
in public places for all to see
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a government that includes many different people and lands under a single rule The town center of Roman towns. These large, open squares were places where government buildings were located and where people gathered to listen to

15. Julius Caesar	Roman general that conquered most of Gaul (France) and was named dictator for life but later murdered by a group of senators.
16. Monotheism	Having only one god. Christianity, Judaism, and Islam are monotheistic religions
17. Octavian	Caesar' s adopted son and after Julius Caesar was murdered he was called upon to punish the murders. His actions would reshape the Roman world. He became the 1st Roman Emperor. Name was changed to Augustus.
18. Patricians	Upper class Romans.
19. Pax Romana	200 hundred years of Roman peace and achievement
20. Plebeians	In ancient Rome, they were the common people
21. Republic	a political system in which people elect leaders to govern them
22. <b>Rome</b>	(42°N, 13°E) the capital of Italy; it was the capital of the ancient Roman Empire
23. Romulus and Remus	Twin brothers who, legend says, were nursed by a wolf. Romulus killed Remus and founded the city of Rome in 753 B.C.
24. Senate	a council of rich and powerful Romans who helped run the city
25. <b>Tribune</b>	A Roman official whose job it was to protect the rights of the plebeians or common people.
26. Twelve Tables	The plebeians were able to have the tribunes establish a set of protective laws. Sometime around 450 BC these laws were engraved and listed all the laws of the Roman Republic.