

# **Rulers in Palestine**

## **ETHNARCH**

BC 4-AD 6 Archelaus -- ruled Judea, Samaria, & Idumea

## **PROCURATORS**

AD 6-9 Coponius  
AD 9-12 Marcus Ambivius  
AD 12-15 Annius Rufus  
AD 15-26 Valerius Gratus  
AD 26-36 Pontius Pilate

## **TETRARCHS**

BC 4-AD 39 Herod Antipas ruled Galilee & Perea  
BC 4-AD 34 Philip ruled Trachonitis & Iturea

## **HIGH PRIESTS**

BC 5 Matthias  
BC 4 Joseph  
BC 4 Joasar  
BC 6 Eleasar  
AD 6 Jesus  
AD 6 Ananus or Annas (called High Priests even through his son Caiaphas' service as High Priest)  
AD 16 Ishmael  
AD 17 Eleazar  
AD 18 Simon  
AD 18-36 Caiaphas  
AD 52-59 Felix (seduced & married Drusilla, sister of Agrippa II) heard Paul's defense but held him about 2 years.  
AD 58-60 Festus -- also heard Paul & sent him to Rome.

## **KINGS**

AD 41-44 Herod Agrippa I -- declared king of Chalcis by Claudius; eventually he was given all of Palestine.  
AD 53-58 Herod Agrippa II -- received his father's title & with his sister Bernice heard Paul's defense in Caesarea..