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## Index Vocābulōrum

### A

ab: *from*

absēns: *absent*

accipere: *to accept, receive*

ad: *to, towards, in order to, for*

ad patrem spectandum: *in order*

*to watch (their) father, for*

*watching (their) father*

adiuvāte: *help!*

adsunt: *they are here, present*

aegrōtābat: *was sick*

agite: *come on!*

aliam: *another, other*

aliīs: *other*

aliōs: *other*

aliquem: *someone*

aliquid: *something*

alius: *another, other*

alter: *a second, another*

amābant: *they loved, were loving*

amābat: *loved, was loving*

amant: *they love*

amāre: *to love*

amat: *loves*

amāvit: *loved*

amīce: *friend*

amīci: *friends*

amīcō: *friend*

amīcōs: *friends*

amīcum: *friend*

amīcus: *friend*

an: *or*

animālia: *animals*

animālium: *of animals*

annīs: *years*

quot annīs: *every year*

ante: *before, in front of*

antīquum: *old, ancient*

ānxia: *anxious, worried*

ānxii: *anxious, worried*

ānxius: *anxious, worried*

aperī: *open!*

aperīre: *to open*

aperīret: *might open*

apertā: *having been opened*

iānuā apertā: *with the door*

*having been opened*

aperuit: *opened*

apud: *at*

āram: *altar*

arca: *box*

arcā: *box*

arcam: *box*

arrogāns: *arrogant*

ascendēbat: *was climbing,*

*ascending*

ātrāmentum: *ink*

attonita: *astonished, surprised*

attonitī: *astonished, surprised*

attonitus: *astonished, surprised*

audiēbant: *they were hearing,*

*listening*

audiēbat: *heard, was listening*

audīre: *to hear, listen*

audīrent: *to hear, listen*

ut audīrent: *in order to hear, so*

*that they might hear*

audīte: *hear! listen!*

audītis: *you hear, listen*

audītō: *with \_\_\_\_\_ having been*

*heard*

## ĪDŪS MĀRTIAE

hōc auditō: *with this having been heard*

audīverat: *had heard*  
audīverunt: *they heard*  
audīvī: *I heard*  
audīvit: *heard*  
autem: *however*  
avē: *hail!*

### B

barba: *beard*  
barbarōs: *barbarians*  
barbātus: *bearded*  
bellum: *war*  
bonum: *good*  
bōs: *cow, ox*  
bove: *cow, ox*  
bovem: *cow, ox*  
bōvī: *to the cow, the cow's*  
bōvī nōn est: *the cow does not have*  
bracchiō: *arm*

### C

caelō: *sky*  
caelum: *sky*  
calamō: *a pen*  
calamus: *a pen*  
capere: *to grab, take, seize*  
caperet: *capture, take, seize*  
nē . . . caperet: *that (the angry mob) would capture*  
capite: *grab! take! seize!*  
captīvī: *captive*  
captus: *captured, seized*  
caput: *head*  
causa: *cause, reason*

cautē: *carefully*  
cavē: *beware!*  
cavēbō: *I will beware, be careful*  
cēlāvērunt: *they hid, concealed*  
sē cēlāvērunt: *they hid themselves*  
celebrābant: *they were celebrating*  
celebrant: *they celebrate*  
cēpērunt: *they grabbed, took, seized*  
cēpit: *grabbed, took, seized*  
certē: *certainly*  
circum: *around*  
cīvem: *citizen*  
cīvēs: *citizens*  
cīvī: *to the citizen*  
cīvīle: *civil*  
cīvis: *citizen*  
cīvium: *of citizens*  
clam: *stealthily, secretly*  
clāmābant: *they shouted, were shouting*  
clāmābat: *shouted, was shouting*  
clāmāns: *shouting*  
clāmantem: *shouting*  
clāmantēs: *shouting*  
clāmāre: *to shout*  
clāmāret: *was shouting*  
clāmās: *you shout*  
clāmāvērunt: *they shouted*  
clāmāvit: *shouted*  
clāmōr: *noise*  
clāmōrēs: *noises*  
claudē: *close!*  
clausit: *closed*  
clausōs: *closed*  
collāpsus est: *collapsed*  
collō: *neck*

colloquēbantur: *they were speaking together, conversing*  
 colloquēbātur: *was conversing*  
 colloquentēs: *conversing, speaking together*  
 colloquium: *a conversation*  
 columnā: *column*  
 columnam: *column*  
 columnās: *columns*  
 comētam: *a comet*  
 comētes: *a comet*  
 commōta: *moved (with), overcome (with)*  
 commōtī: *moved (with), overcome (with)*  
 commūnicant: *they communicate*  
 cōnātus es: *you tried, attempted*  
 cōnātus sum: *I tried, attempted*  
 confōderunt: *they stabbed*  
 cōnfōdit: *stabbed*  
 confōssus: *having been stabbed*  
 cōnfūsa: *confused*  
 cōnfūsus: *confused*  
 cōspirātiōnem: *a conspiracy*  
 cōnsul: *a consul*  
 contrā: *against*  
 conveniēbat: *was meeting, coming together*  
 cor: *heart*  
 corōna: *crown*  
 corōnam: *crown*  
 corpore: *body*  
 corpus: *body*  
 cotīdiē: *every day*  
 crēdebat: *was believing, trusting*  
 crēdent: *they will believe, trust*  
 crēdentēs: *believing, trusting*  
 crēdere: *to believe, to trust*

crēdet: *will believe, trust*  
 crēdo: *I believe, trust*  
 cubiculō: *bedroom*  
 cucurrerunt: *they ran*  
 cucurrit: *ran*  
 cui: *to whom*  
 cui erat: *who had*  
 cuique: *to each*  
 cum: *when, with*  
 cūr: *why*  
 cūriōsa: *curious*  
 cūriōsī: *curious*  
 cūriōsus: *curious*  
 curre: *run!*  
 currēbant: *they were running*  
 currendō: *from running, due to running*  
 fessus currendō: *tired from running*  
 currentem: *running*  
 currentēs: *running*  
 currere: *to run*  
 currite: *run!*

## D

dē: *about*  
 dedī: *I gave*  
 dedit: *gave*  
 deī: *gods*  
 deinde: *then, next*  
 deōrum: *of the gods*  
 dēscendit: *descends, climbs down*  
 deus: *god*  
 dīc: *tell! say!*  
 dīcēbat: *was saying*  
 dīcerent: *they were saying*  
 dīcis: *you say*

## ĪDŪS MĀRTIAE

dictātor: *dictator*  
dictātōrem: *dictator*  
dictō: *with \_\_\_\_\_ having been said*  
hōc dictō: *with this having been said*  
diē: *on the day*  
diem: *day*  
diēs: *day*  
difficile: *difficult*  
digitum: *finger*  
dīvisit: *divided*  
dīvus: *deified, divine*  
dīxistī: *you said*  
dīxit: *said*  
dō: *I give*  
domī: *at home*  
domō: *house, home*  
domum: *house, home*  
domus: *house, home*  
dormiō: *I am sleeping*  
dormīre: *to sleep*  
dormīs: *you sleep*  
duae: *two*  
dum: *while*  
dūxit: *led*

### E

ē: *out of, from*  
eam: *her, it*  
ecce: *behold! look!*  
ego: *I*  
ēheu: *oh no!*  
eī: *to him, to her*  
eius: *his, her*  
eōrum: *their*  
eōs: *them*

epistulam: *letter*  
erāmus: *we were*  
erant: *they were*  
erāsne: *were you?*  
erat: *was, there was*  
eratne: *was it? was this?*  
eris: *you will be*  
es: *you are*  
esne: *are you?*  
esse: *is, to be*  
essent: *were*  
esset: *was*  
est: *is, there is*  
estis: *you are*  
estne: *is? is it?*  
et: *and*  
eum: *him*  
ēventūs: *events*  
ex: *out of, from*  
exīvērunt: *they went out*  
exīvit: *went out*  
exspectās: *you wait for, expect*  
exspectō: *I am waiting for, expecting*  
exta: *intestines*  
extendit: *extended*  
extīs: *intestines*  
extrā: *outside*  
extrāxit: *extracted, pulled out*

### F

facere: *to make*  
falsa: *false*  
falsō: *false, falsely*  
falsus: *false*  
familia: *family*  
familiae: *of the family*

familiās: *families*  
 favēbant: *they were favoring, supporting*  
 favēbat: *was favoring, supporting*  
 fēmina: *woman*  
 fēminae: *women*  
 fēminam: *woman*  
 fēminās: *women*  
 fertilitātem: *fertility*  
 fessus: *tired*  
 fessus currendō: *tired from running*  
 fēstum: *festive, holiday*  
 fēstus: *festive, holiday*  
 figūra: *figure*  
 figuram: *figure*  
 fili: *o son*  
 filia: *daughter*  
 filiae: *to his daughter*  
 filiam: *daughter*  
 filiū: *son's*  
 filiō: *to his son*  
 filium: *son*  
 filius: *son*  
 fixi sunt: *they were fixed (on)*  
 flammās: *flames*  
 flēbant: *they were weeping, crying*  
 flendō: *from weeping, crying*  
 flendō rubri: *red from weeping, crying*  
 flēns: *weeping, crying*  
 flentēs: *weeping, crying*  
 flūmen: *river*  
 fortasse: *perhaps, maybe*  
 fortēs: *strong*  
 frāter: *brother*  
 frātre: *brother*  
 fuerat: *had been*

fugere: *to run away*  
 fugērunt: *they ran away*  
 fugiāmus: *let's run away*  
 fugiēbant: *they were running away*  
 fugiendum est: *we have to run away*  
 fugientēs: *running away*  
 fugit: *ran away*  
 fuisse: *had been*  
 fūmōs: *smoke, fumes*  
 fundō: *a fold*  
 fūnus: *a funeral*  
 futūrīs: *future*  
 futūrōs: *future*

## G

gaudēbant: *they were happy, rejoicing*  
 gaudēbat: *was happy, rejoicing*  
 gaudent: *they are happy, rejoice*  
 gaudentēs: *happy, rejoicing*  
 gāvīsī sunt: *they were happy, rejoiced*  
 gāvīsus est: *was happy, rejoiced*  
 gerēbat: *was wearing*  
 gladiō: *sword, with the sword*  
 gladiō vīsō: *with the sword having been seen*  
 gladium: *sword*  
 gladius: *sword*  
 grātiās: *thanks*

## H

habēbant: *they had, were having*  
 habēbat: *had, was having*  
 habeō: *I have*  
 habēs: *you have*

## ĪDŪS MĀRTIAE

habet: *has*  
habetne: *does s/he have?*  
hāc: *this, with this*  
hāc dōmō vīsā: *with this house  
having been seen*  
haec: *this*  
hanc: *this*  
haruspex: *a haruspex (a prophet  
who foretells the future by  
examining the intestines of  
animals)*  
haruspicem: *a haruspex*  
haruspicis: *of the haruspex*  
hī: *these*  
hic: *this*  
hīs: *with these*  
hīs audītis: *with these (shouting  
people) having been heard*  
hoc: *this*  
hōc: *this, with this*  
hōc auditō: *with this having been  
heard*  
hōc dictō: *with this having been  
said*  
hōc vīsō: *with this having been  
seen*  
hodiē: *today*  
hominēs: *people*  
hominibus: *people*  
hominum: *of people*  
hōram: *hour*  
horribile: *horrible*  
horribilēs: *horrible*  
horrōre: *with horror*  
horrōrem: *horror*  
hōs: *these*  
hostilis: *hostile*  
hunc: *this*

**I**  
iam: *now*  
iānuā: *with the door*  
iānuā apertā: *with the door  
having been opened*  
iānuam: *the door*  
ībat: *was going, went*  
Īdūs: *the Ides*  
iēcerat: *had thrown*  
iēcit: *threw*  
ignōtās: *unknown*  
illā: *that*  
ille: *he*  
illī: *they, those*  
illicitum: *not allowed, illegal*  
illōs: *them*  
imāgō: *image*  
immōbilis: *immobile*  
immortālem: *immortal*  
immortālis: *immortal*  
imperātōrī: *to the emperor*  
impossibile: *impossible*  
in: *in, into, on*  
innocēns: *innocent*  
innocentia: *innocent*  
inquit: *said, says*  
īnsānus: *insane*  
īnspectā: *look closely! inspect!*  
īnspectābat: *was looking closely,  
inspecting*  
īnspectandam: *inspecting*  
ad arcam īnspectandam: *in order  
to inspect the box, for inspecting  
the box*  
īnspectāns: *inspecting*  
īnspectāret: *might inspect*  
īnspectāvērunt: *they inspected*  
īnspectāvit: *inspected*



intentē: *closely, carefully*  
 inter: *between, among*  
 interfēcerat: *had killed*  
 interfēcērunt: *they killed*  
 interfēcimus: *we killed*  
 interfēcisse: *had killed*  
 interfēcit: *killed*  
 interficere: *to kill*  
 interficiendī sunt: *must be killed,*  
     *put to death*  
 interficite: *kill!*  
 intrā: *inside*  
 intrābant: *they entered, were*  
     *entering*  
 intrantēs: *entering*  
 intrāre: *to enter*  
 intrāvērunt: *they entered*  
 intrāvit: *entered*  
 investigāvit: *investigated*  
 involūtum: *wrapped (in)*  
 ioca: *jokes*  
 iocum: *a joke*  
 ipsiūs: *of (Caesar) himself*  
 irāta: *angry*  
 irātā: *with an angry (voice)*  
 irātae: *angry*  
 irātās: *angry*  
 irātī: *angry*  
 irātōrum: *of angry*  
 irātus: *angry*  
 iterum: *again*  
 ivērunt: *they went*  
 ivit: *went*

**L**

labōrābat: *was working*  
 lectīs: *beds*

lectō: *bed*  
 lege: *read!*  
 legere: *to read*  
 legeret: *to read*  
 lēgit: *read*  
 libera: *free*  
 liberī: *children*  
 liberīs: *to the children, for the*  
     *children*  
 liberōs: *children*  
 libertās: *liberty*  
 limes: *boundary*  
 lingua: *tongue*  
 longae: *long*  
 longē: *far*  
 longum: *long*

**M**

magna: *large, great*  
 magnā: *large, great; with a large,*  
     *great*  
     magnā vōce: *with a loud voice*  
 magnae: *large, great*  
 magnam: *large, great*  
 magnī: *large, great*  
 magnō: *large, great*  
     magnō terrōre: *with great terror*  
 magnum: *large, great*  
 magnus: *large, great*  
 malam: *bad, wicked*  
 malī: *bad, wicked*  
 malōs: *bad, wicked*  
 malum: *bad, wicked*  
 malus: *bad, wicked*  
 manēre: *to remain, stay*  
 manibus: *hands, with hands*

## ĪDŪS MĀRTIAE

manibus trementibus: *with  
trembling hands*  
manū: *hand*  
manum: *hand*  
manus: *hand*  
manūs: *hands*  
māter: *mother*  
mē: *me, I*  
putat mē esse senātōrem: (*s/he*)  
*thinks I am a senator*  
mea: *my*  
mēcum: *with me*  
mediā: *middle (of)*  
in mediā viā: *in the middle of the  
road*  
mediā nocte: *in the middle of the  
night*  
mēnsā: *table*  
meō: *my*  
metallicum: *metal*  
meum: *my*  
meus: *my*  
mī: *my*  
mihi: *to me, for me*  
militibus: *soldiers*  
minimē: *no, not in the least*  
mīsērunt: *they sent*  
mīsit: *sent*  
mōmentī: *of importance*  
magnī mōmentī: *of great  
importance*  
monēbam: *I was warning*  
monentem: *warning*  
monēre: *to warn*  
morī: *to die*  
moriēbātur: *died, was dying*  
mors: *death*  
mortua: *dead*

mortuā: *with \_\_\_\_\_ dead*  
Iūliā mortuā: *with Julia dead*  
mortuō: *with \_\_\_\_\_ dead*  
Caesare mortuō: *with Caesar  
dead*  
mortuum: *dead*  
mortuus: *dead*  
mox: *soon*  
multae: *many*  
multās: *many*  
multī: *many*  
multīs: *with many*  
multōs: *many*

## N

nē: *that*  
timēbant nē: *they were afraid  
that, they feared that*  
neque: *and . . . not,  
neither . . . nor*  
nesciēbat: *didn't know, wasn't  
knowing*  
nesciō: *I don't know*  
nōbīs: *to us*  
nocte: *night*  
nōlēbant: *they didn't want, weren't  
wanting*  
nōlēbat: *didn't want, wasn't  
wanting*  
nōlī: *don't . . . !*  
nōlīte: *don't . . . !*  
nōlle: *don't want*  
nōlō: *I don't want*  
nōlunt: *they don't want*  
nōmen: *name*  
nōmina: *names*  
nōmine: *named, by name*

nōn: *not*  
 nōs: *we*  
 noster: *our*  
 nostrum: *our*  
 numerābat: *counted, was counting*  
 numerāret: *counted, was counting*  
 numerat: *counts, is counting*  
 nummō: *a coin*  
 nummum: *a coin*  
 nummus: *a coin*  
 nunc: *now*  
 nūntī: *o messenger*  
 nūntia: *messages*  
 nūntiō: *messenger*  
 nūntium: *message, messenger*  
 nūntius: *messenger*

**O**

ō: *oh!*  
 occupātum: *busy, occupied*  
 occupātus: *busy, occupied*  
 oculī: *eyes*  
 oculōs: *eyes*  
 oculum: *eye*  
 ōmen: *omen, warning, sign*  
 omnēs: *all, everyone*  
 omnia: *all, everything*  
 ostende: *show!*  
 ōstium: *doorway, passageway*

**P**

parva: *small, little*  
 parvae: *small, little*  
 parvam: *small, little*  
 parvīs: *with small*  
 parvīs vōcibus: *with small voices*  
 (i.e., *with soft voices*)

parvum: *small, little*  
 pater: *father*  
 patrem: *father*  
 patris: *father's*  
 pavimentō: *pavement*  
 pavimentum: *pavement*  
 pāx: *peace*  
 pecūniam: *money*  
 pedēs: *feet*  
 per: *through*  
 peractī sunt: *they have been fulfilled, completed*  
 percussā: *with \_\_\_\_\_ having been hit, struck*  
 Pompēiā percussā: *with Pompeia having been hit, struck*  
 percussit: *hit, struck*  
 percutere: *to hit, strike*  
 percuterent: *they were hitting, striking*  
 percutientēs: *hitting, striking*  
 percutiet: *will hit, strike*  
 percutit: *hits, strikes*  
 percutiunt: *they hit, are hitting*  
 perīcula: *dangers*  
 perīculō: *danger*  
 perpetuō: *forever, perpetually*  
 perterritus: *frightened, terrified*  
 petēbant: *they were seeking, looking for*  
 peterent: *they were seeking, looking for*  
 petit: *seeks, is looking for*  
 petite: *seek out! look for!*  
 petīvit: *sought, looked for*  
 placēbant: *they were pleasing (to)*  
 poēta: *poet*  
 poētam: *poet*

## ĪDŪS MĀRTIAE

populō: *to the people*  
populum: *the people*  
populus: *the people*  
posse: *able*  
possent: *they were able*  
possit: *is able*  
possum: *I am able*  
possumus: *we are able*  
post: *behind, after*  
posuit: *put, placed*  
poterant: *they were able*  
poterat: *was able*  
potesne: *are you able?*  
praeclāra: *famous*  
praeclārī: *famous*  
praeterīvit: *passed, went past*  
prohibēre: *to hinder, block,*  
*prohibit*  
prope: *near, next to*  
pūblicē: *publicly*  
puella: *girl*  
puellae: *girl's, to the girl*  
puellam: *girl*  
puellās: *girls*  
puer: *a boy*  
puerī: *boys*  
pūgiō: *a dagger*  
pūgiōne: *with a dagger*  
pūgiōnem: *a dagger*  
pūgiōnēs: *daggers*  
pūgiōnī: *to the dagger*  
pūgiōnibus: *daggers, with their*  
*daggers*  
pugnābant: *they were fighting*  
pugnātum est: *it was fought, there*  
*was fighting*  
pugnāvit: *fought*  
pulcher: *beautiful, handsome*

pulsāvit: *knocked*  
putābāmus: *we were thinking,*  
*thought*  
putābat: *was thinking, thought*  
putant: *they think*  
putās: *you think*  
putat: *thinks*  
putō: *I think*

## Q

quā: *which*  
quae: *who, which*  
quam: *which*  
quattuor: *four*  
quem: *whom*  
quī: *who*  
quia: *because*  
quid: *what*  
quīdam: *a certain*  
quidem: *indeed*  
quīnque: *five*  
quīntam: *fifth*  
quis: *who*  
quō: *which*  
quōcum: *with whom*  
quod: *which*  
quōdam: *a certain*  
quōmodo: *how*  
quoque: *also*  
quot annīs: *every year*

## R

rāmīs: *with branches, sticks*  
rāmō: *with a branch, stick*  
rāmum: *branch, stick*  
rāmus: *branch, stick*  
rapidē: *rapidly, quickly*

rapidius: *more quickly, faster*  
 recūsāvit: *refused*  
 reddidit: *returned, gave back*  
 redīvit: *returned, went back*  
 rēgem: *king*  
 rēgēs: *kings*  
 rem: *thing*  
 remōvit: *removed*  
 respondēre: *to respond*  
 respondit: *responded*  
 restitūta est: *was restored, has been restored*  
 rēx: *king*  
 rīdēns: *laughing*  
 rīdent: *they laugh*  
 rīdentēs: *laughing*  
 rīdiculum: *ridiculous*  
 rīsit: *laughed*  
 rītum: *a rite, ritual*  
 rogāvit: *asked*  
 rubrī: *red*

**S**

sacerdotēs: *priests*  
 sacrificāre: *to sacrifice*  
 sacrificārī: *to be sacrificed*  
 sacrificāvī: *I sacrificed*  
 sacrificāvit: *sacrificed*  
 sacrificiī: *of the sacrifice*  
 sacrificium: *sacrifice*  
 sanguinem: *blood*  
 sanguis: *blood*  
 sciēbam: *I knew, was knowing*  
 sciēbās: *you knew, were knowing*  
 sciēbat: *knew, was knowing*  
 sciō: *I know*  
 scīre: *to know*

scit: *knows*  
 scīvit: *knew*  
 scribat: *was writing*  
 scribēbat: *was writing*  
 scribit: *writes*  
 scrīpsī: *I wrote*  
 scrīptum esset: *had been written*  
 scrīptum est: *was written*  
 sē: *he, she, him, her, themselves*  
 sēcrētum: *secret*  
 secūtī sunt: *they followed*  
 sed: *but*  
 sedēbant: *they were sitting*  
 sedēbat: *was sitting*  
 semper: *always*  
 senātor: *senator*  
 senātōrem: *senator*  
 senātōrēs: *senators*  
 senātōribus: *senators*  
 senātōris: *of the senator*  
 senātōrum: *of the senators*  
 sequēbātur: *was following*  
 sequentēs: *following*  
 sequī: *to follow*  
 sī: *if*  
 sīc: *thus, in this way*  
 sīcut: *like, just like*  
 significant: *they mean, signify*  
 significat: *means, signifies*  
 silēns: *silent, quiet*  
 silentī: *silent, quiet*  
 silentium: *silence*  
 similēs: *similar*  
 sint: *they are*  
 sīs: *you are*  
 sit: *is*  
 sōla: *alone*  
 sōlum: *alone*

## ĪDŪS MĀRTIAE

sōlus: *alone*  
sonōs: *sounds*  
sonum: *a sound*  
sordidam: *dirty*  
soror: *sister*  
spectā: *watch!*  
spectābant: *they were watching*  
spectābat: *was watching*  
spectābō: *I will watch*  
spectandum: *watching*  
ad patrem spectandum: *in order  
to watch (their) father, for  
watching (their) father*  
spectāns: *watching*  
spectant: *they watch*  
spectantēs: *watching*  
spectāre: *to watch*  
spectās: *you watch*  
spectātōrum: *of spectators*  
stābant: *they were standing*  
stābat: *was standing*  
statua: *statue*  
statuae: *of the statue*  
stulte: *foolish*  
stylō: *with a stylus*  
stylum: *stylus*  
stylus: *stylus*  
suam: *his, her (own)*  
subitō: *suddenly*  
sum: *I am*  
sumus: *we are*  
sunt: *they are*  
super: *over*  
suum: *his, her (own)*

## T

tablinō: *an office*

tablinum: *an office*  
tabulae: *a writing tablet*  
tabulās: *a writing tablet*  
tam: *so*  
tam . . . ut: *so . . . that*  
tē: *you*  
tenēbat: *was holding*  
tenebris: *darkness*  
terrā: *ground, earth*  
terram: *ground, earth*  
terrōre: *with terror*  
magnō terrōre: *with great terror*  
tertius: *third*  
testimōniō: *a will, testament*  
testimōnium: *a will, testament*  
theātri: *of the theater*  
theātrō: *theater*  
theātrum: *theater*  
tibi: *to you, for you*  
timēbam: *I was afraid, scared*  
timēbāmus: *we were afraid, scared*  
timēbant: *they were afraid, scared*  
timēbat: *was afraid, scared*  
timent: *they fear, are afraid*  
timeō: *I fear, am afraid*  
timēre: *to be afraid, scared*  
timet: *fears, is afraid*  
timida: *frightened, scared*  
timide: *frightened, scared*  
timidī: *frightened, scared*  
timidus: *frightened, scared*  
togā: *toga, with a toga*  
togae: *of his toga*  
togam: *toga*  
togis: *togas*  
transīvit: *went across, crossed*  
tremēbat: *was trembling*  
trementibus: *with trembling*

manibus trementibus: *with  
trembling hands*  
trēs: *three*  
tribus: *three*  
trīstēs: *sad*  
trīstis: *sad*  
triumphābant: *they were cheering,  
rejoicing.*  
triumphābat: *was cheering,  
rejoicing*  
triumphat: *cheers, rejoices,  
celebrates*  
tū: *you*  
tua: *your*  
tuam: *your*  
tuās: *your*  
tunicam: *a tunic*  
turba: *a crowd, mob*  
turbā: *a crowd, mob*  
turbae: *of the crowd, mob*  
turbam: *a crowd, mob*  
tuum: *your*  
tyrannus: *tyrant*

U

ubi: *where*  
ubīque: *everywhere*  
ūna: *one*  
ūnam: *one*  
ūnum: *one*  
ūnus: *one*  
urbe: *city*  
urbem: *city*  
urbis: *of the city*  
ut: *so that, in order to*  
uxor: *wife*

V

valē: *goodbye! farewell!*  
velle: *wants, wanted*  
venī: *come!*  
veniēbant: *they were coming*  
venīret: *might come*  
vēnit: *came*  
venīte: *come!*  
verba: *words*  
verbīs: *words*  
vertērunt: *they turned*  
viā: *road*  
viae: *roads*  
viam: *road*  
viās: *roads*  
victimā: *sacrificial victim*  
victor: *a victor, winner*  
vidēbant: *they saw, were seeing*  
vidēbat: *saw, was seeing*  
vident: *they see*  
videō: *I see*  
vidēre: *to see*  
vidērent: *they see*  
vidēret: *sees*  
vidērunt: *they saw*  
vidēs: *you see*  
vidī: *I saw*  
vidit: *saw*  
vīgintī: *twenty*  
viīs: *roads*  
vir: *man*  
virī: *men*  
virōs: *men*  
virum: *man*  
vīs: *violence*  
vīsā: *with \_\_\_\_\_ having been seen*  
hāc dōmō vīsā: *with this house  
having been seen*

## ĪDŪS MĀRTIAE

vīsītābant: *they were visiting,  
visited*

vīsitant: *they visit*

vīsō: *with \_\_\_\_\_ having been seen*  
gladiō vīsō: *with the sword  
having been seen*

hōc vīsō: *with this having been  
seen*

vōce: *voice, with a voice*

magnā vōce: *with a loud voice*

vōcem: *voice*

vōcēs: *voices*

vōcibus: *with voices*

parvīs vōcibus: *with small voices*  
(i.e., *with soft voices*)

volēbant: *they wanted*

volēbat: *wanted*

volō: *I want*

volunt: *they want*

vōs: *you all*

vōx: *voice*

vulnera: *wounds*

vult: *wants*

vultne: *does (s/he) want?*

vultum: *face*

vultūs: *faces*





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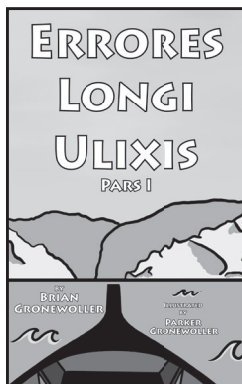
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## Novellas for Latin I

### Ego, Polyphemus

by Andrew Olimpi

Polyphemus the Cyclops' life is pretty simple: he looks after his sheep, hangs out in his cave, writes (horrible) poetry, and eats his cheese . . . until one day a ship arrives on his peaceful island, bringing with it invaders and turning his peaceful world upside down.



### Errores Longi Ulixis, Pars I

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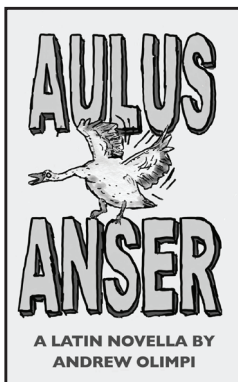
After ten years of war the Greeks have finally conquered Troy and are ready to sail home. Their actions following the victory, however, have angered Neptune and Minerva. And Odysseus (Ulysses), Eurylochus, and Elpenor are about to learn that angry gods and goddesses can turn a brief cruise across the Mediterranean into a long adventure as they wander through unknown lands filled with strange fruit, cannibals, and monsters.

### Aulus Anser

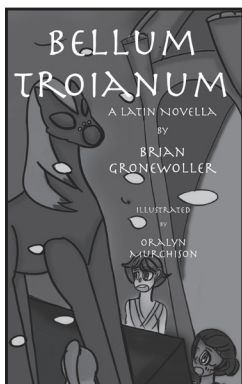
by Andrew Olimpi

Aulus is a goose who lives in ancient Rome on the Capitoline Hill. As one of Juno's sacred geese, his job is to eat his food while the priests carefully observe his actions, looking for good or bad omens.

One day when the Gauls arrive to invade Rome, Aulus thinks that he is responsible—he didn't eat his food and has therefore brought bad fortune to the city! Driven by guilt, he wants to help fix the problem he thinks he created. But what can a little goose do to help defend the Romans against the invaders?



## Novellas for Latin II



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by Brian Gronewoller  
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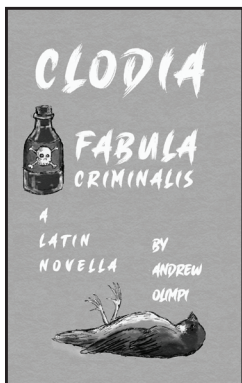
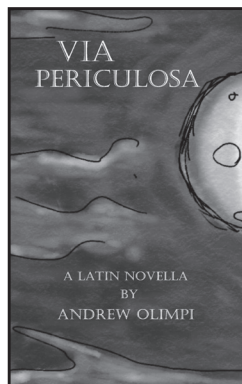
The gods and goddesses of Mount Olympus are enjoying themselves at a party when, suddenly, an apple addressed "to the most beautiful" appears in their midst. The ensuing fight for the apple between Juno, Minerva, and Venus soon spills over to earth and pulls Paris, Helen, Menelaus, Agamemnon, Hector, and Achilles into ten years of war between Greece and Troy.

### **Via Periculosa**

by Andrew Olimpi

Niceros is a Greek slave on the run in ancient Italy, avoiding capture, and seeking his one true love, Melissa. However, a chance encounter at an inn sets in motion a harrowing chain of events that lead to murder, mayhem, mystery, and a bit of magic.

Loosely adapted from the Roman author Petronius, *Via Periculosa* is an exciting and surprising supernatural thriller suitable for Latin readers in their early years of study.



### **Clodia: Fabula Criminalis**

by Andrew Olimpi

"I love you and I hate you at the same time."

Love, lies, betrayal, extortion . . . just another day in the life of Clodia, a wealthy Roman woman who will do anything to get what she wants. When she spots a handsome young poet named Catullus at a dinner party, this chance encounter sparks a whirlwind romance. Rather than leading to a fairy-tale ending, however, this relationship brings only heartache, jealousy, and murder.

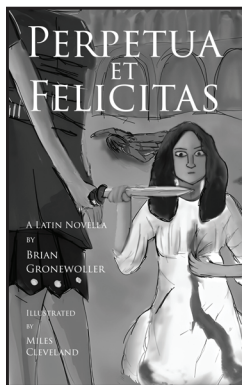
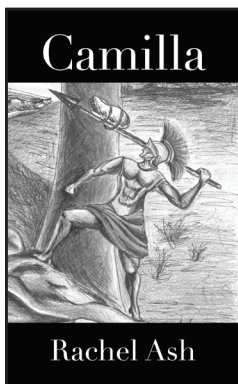
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### Camilla, 2nd ed.

by Rachel Ash

Camilla runs with the nymphs and hunts better than most men. She is nearly invincible in the battlefield, and it seems she cannot miss with either arrow or spear. Raised in the woods by her father, only her great beauty sets her apart from the men she fights beside.

Camilla's fate, like her father's, is bound in the quest for glory. She can remain home, companion to the goddess Diana, or seek to become part of a legend. What will Camilla choose?



### Perpetua et Felicitas

by Brian Gronewoller

Illustrated by Miles Cleveland

Perpetua and Felicity are young women living in Roman North Africa with their whole lives ahead of them . . . until they find themselves in a Roman prison cell.

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by Andrew Olimpi

Lucanus, a Roman citizen travelling through Greece, has a big problem: he is far from home, broke, and desperate to make some quick money.

A job opportunity soon comes his way, with a big reward: one hundred gold coins! The catch? Lucanus has to stay up all night with the dead body of a prominent citizen. Lucanus takes the job, even though he's heard the stories that citizens of the town whisper: tales of witches, ruthless and bloodthirsty, who wander the streets after the sun goes down.

