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Roman Rulers in Palestine: New Testament References

37–4 BCE	Herod the Great
ruled all Palestine	Matt. 2:1–19; Luke 1:5
4 BCE-6 CE ruled Judea, Samaria	Archelaus (a son of Herod the Great) Matt. 2:22
4 BCE-39 CE	Herod Antipas (a son of Herod the Great)
ruled Galilee	Matt. 14:1–12; Mark 6:14–29; Luke 3:19–20;
	9:7–9; 13:31–33; 23:6–12
26-36 CE	Pontius Pilate
ruled Judea	Matt. 27:1–26; Mark 15:1–5; Luke 3:1; 13:1–
	5; 23; John 18:28–19:22, 31–38; Acts 3:13;
	4:27; 13:28; 1 Tim. 6:13
41-44 CE	Herod Agrippa I (a grandson of Herod the
ruled all Palestine	Great)
(Galilee from 37 to	Acts 12:1–23
40 CE)	
52-60 CE	Felix
ruled Judea	Acts 23:23–24:27
60-62 CE	Festus
ruled Judea	Acts 24:27; 25–26
44-100 CE	Herod Agrippa II (a son of Herod Agrippa I)
ruled Galilee	Acts 25–26