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Bronze head of a king, perhaps Sargon of Akkad, from Nineveh (now in Iraq), Akkadian period, c. 2300 BCE; in the Iraq Museum, Baghdad.

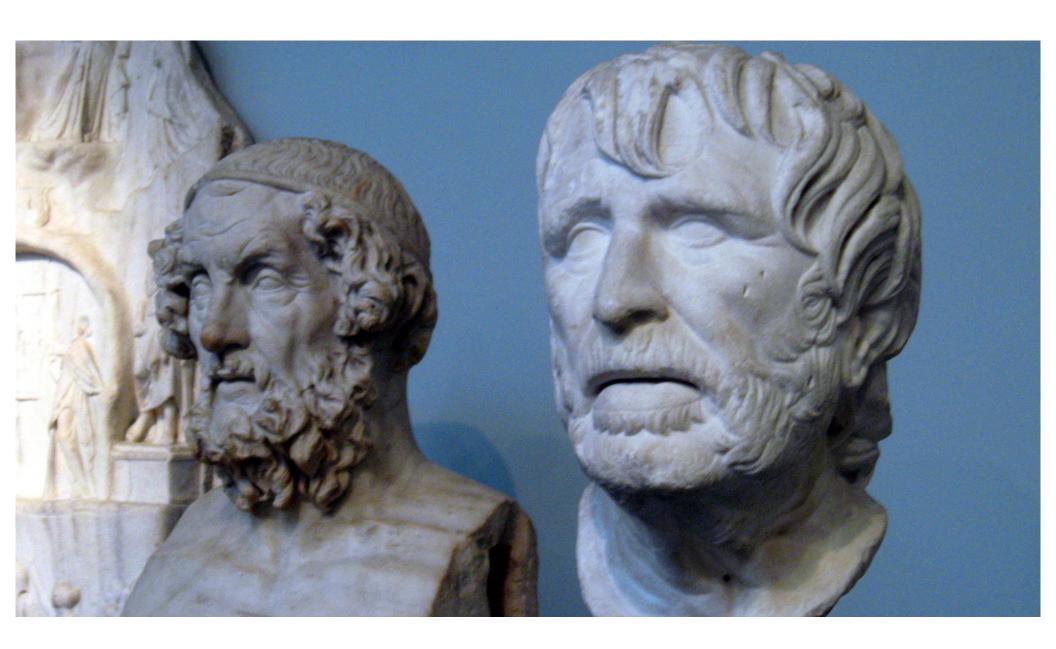




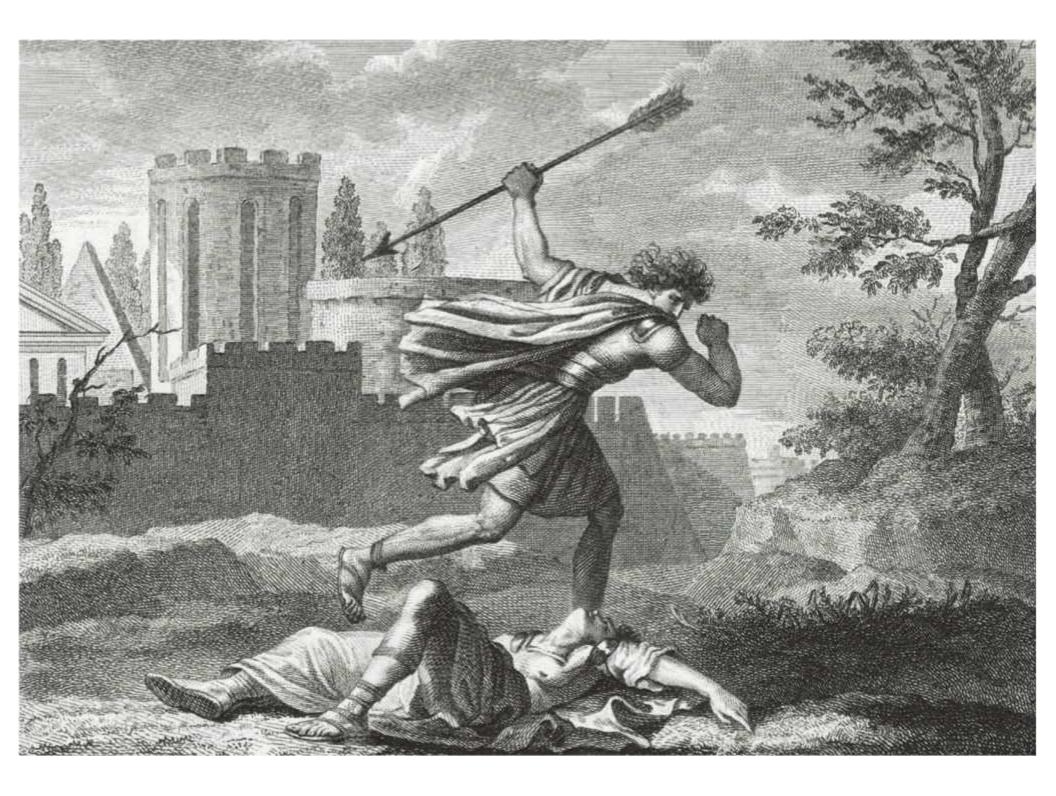


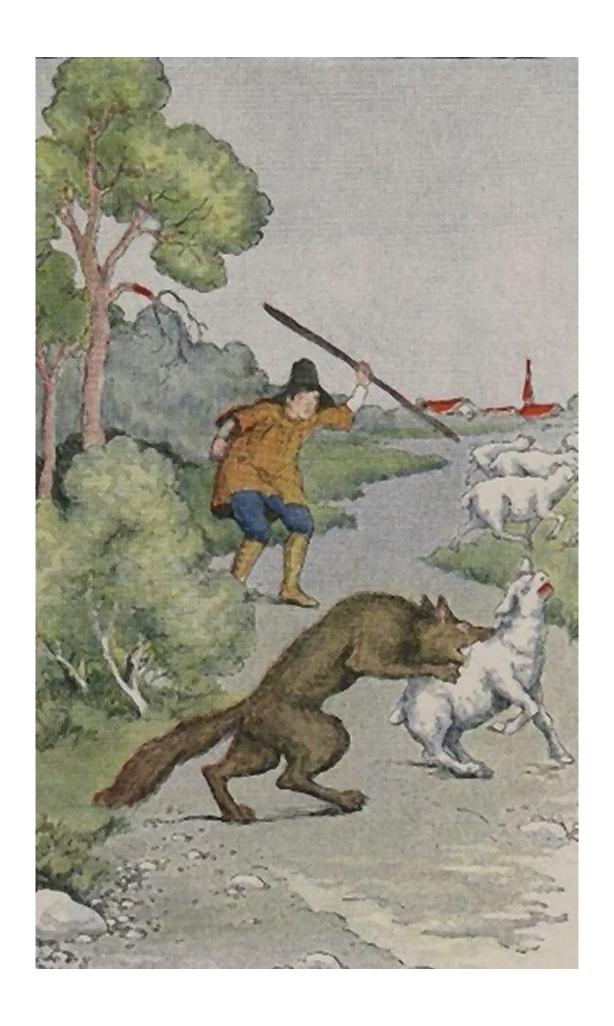


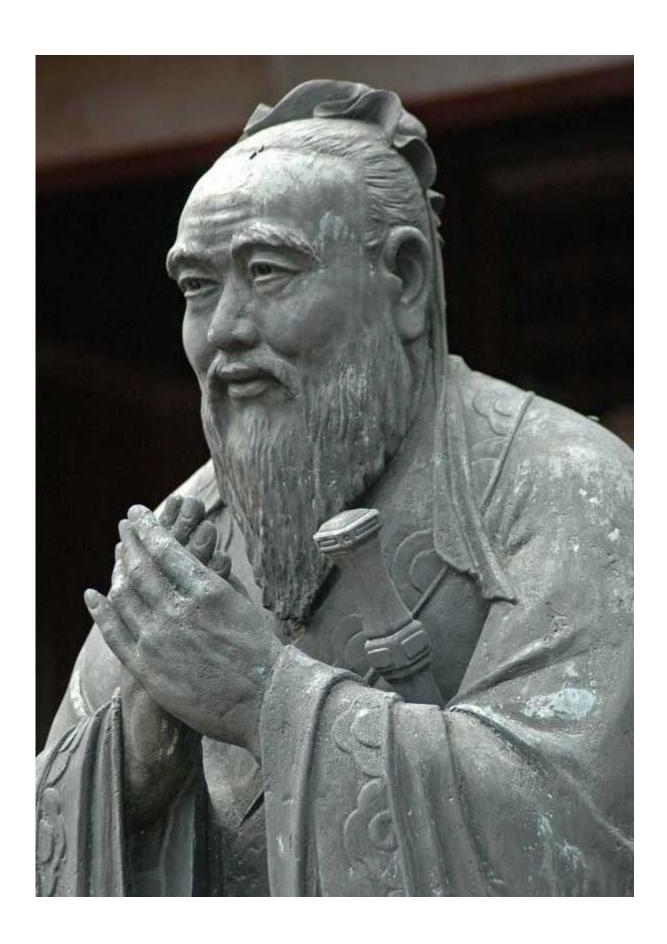








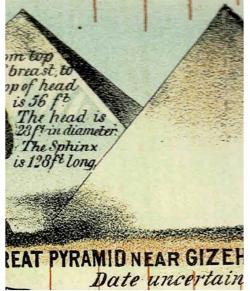




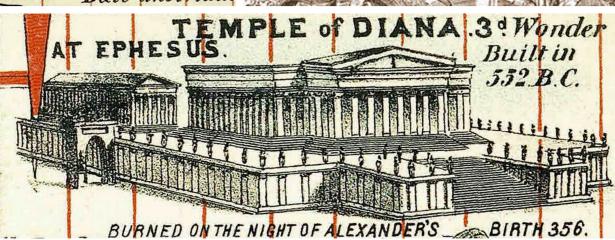


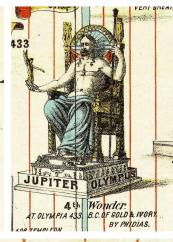




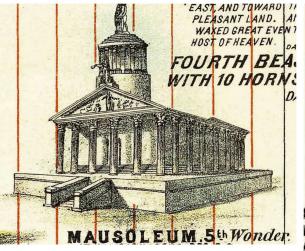


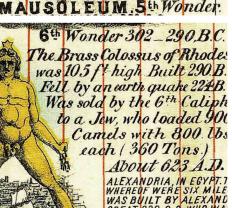






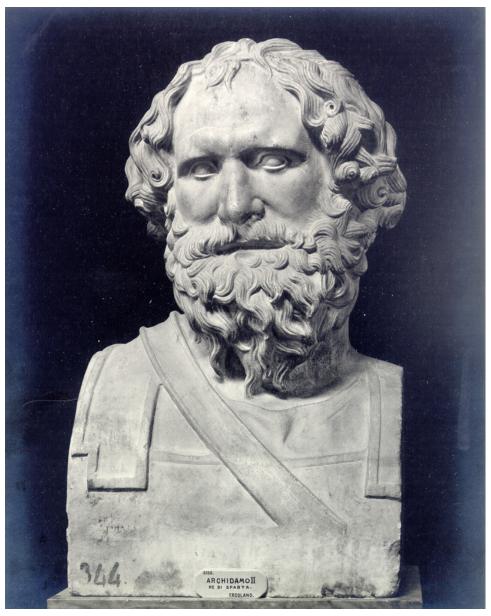
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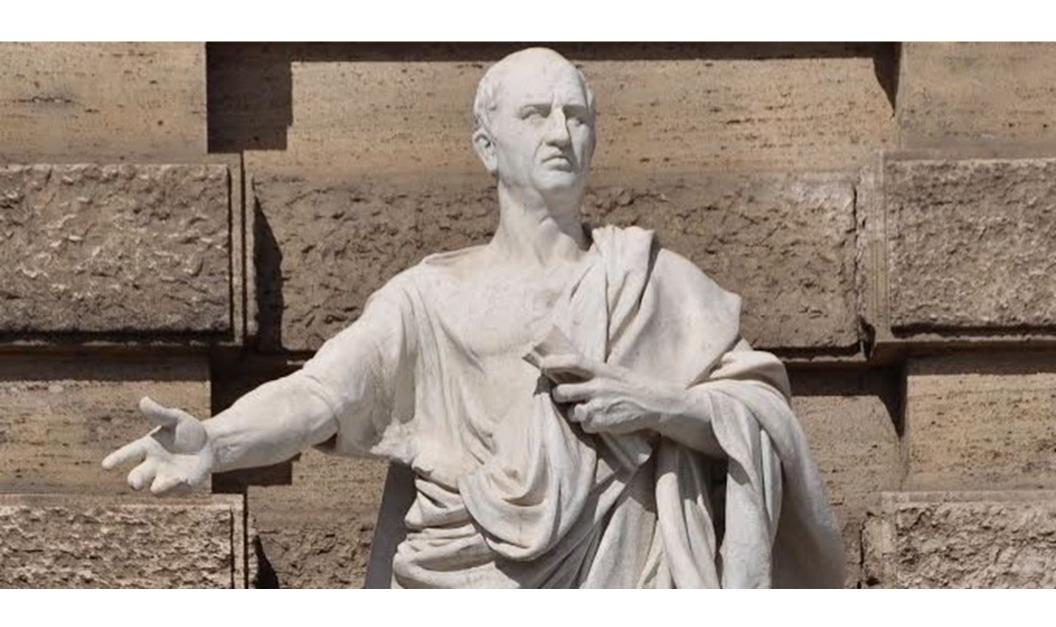


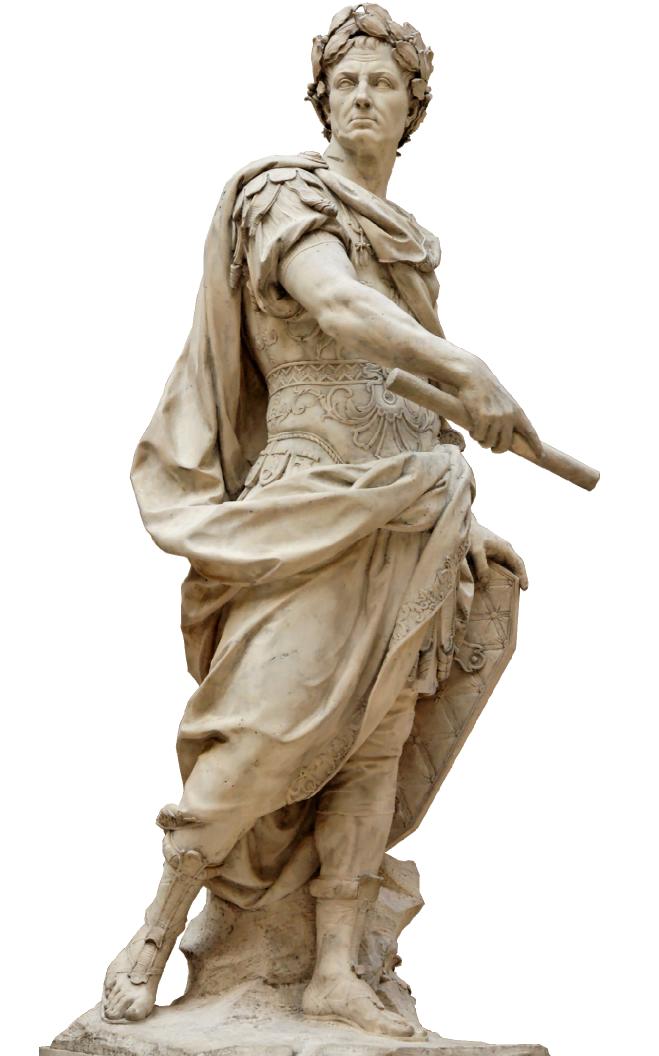
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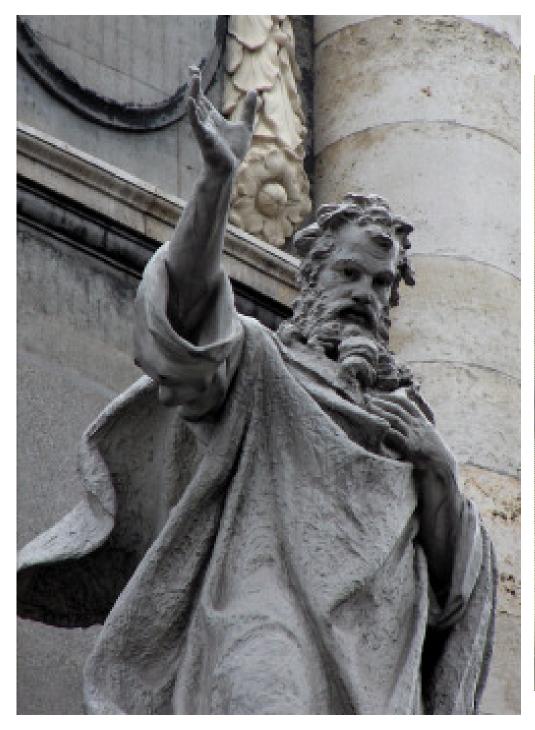


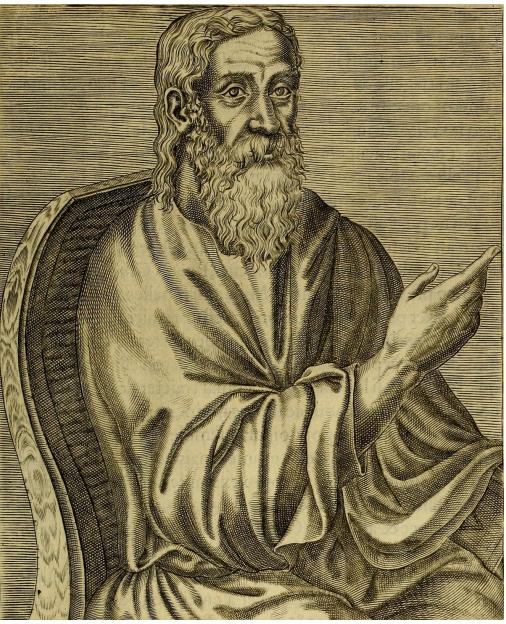












Irenaeus was discipled by Polycarp, who himself had been discipled by John.



When Justin was arrested for his faith in Rome, the prefect asked him to denounce his faith by making a sacrifice to the gods. Justin replied, "No one who is rightly minded turns from true belief to false."



Polycarp Burnt.

