The Roman imperial cult identified emperors and some members of their families with the divinely sanctioned authority of the Roman State. Its framework was based on Roman and Greek precedents, and was formulated during the early Principate of Augustus. It was rapidly established throughout the Empire and its provinces, with marked local variations in its reception and ...

Celsius (/ˈsɛlsəs/; Hellenistic Greek: ??????, Kélsos; fl. 175–177 CE) was a 2nd-century Greek philosopher and opponent of early Christianity. His literary work, The True Word (also Account, Doctrine or Discourse; Greek: Hellenistic Greek: ??????????), survives exclusively in quotations from it in Contra Celsum, a refutation written in 248 by Origen of Alexandria.

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