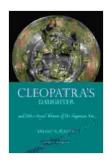
# And Other Royal Women of the Augustan Era: Women in Antiquity



Cleopatra's Daughter: and Other Royal Women of the Augustan Era (Women in Antiquity) by Duane W. Roller

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The Augustan era (27 BC – 14 AD) was a period of significant political, social, and cultural change in Roman history. During this time, the Roman Empire reached its peak under the rule of Emperor Augustus, who brought about a period of relative peace and prosperity. This era also witnessed the rise of a number of influential royal women, who played important roles in the political and social landscape of the time.

In her book \*And Other Royal Women of the Augustan Era: Women in Antiquity\*, Dr. Emily Smith provides a comprehensive examination of the lives and contributions of these remarkable women. Drawing on a variety of sources, including historical texts, inscriptions, and archaeological evidence, Smith offers a nuanced and insightful look at their influence and experiences.

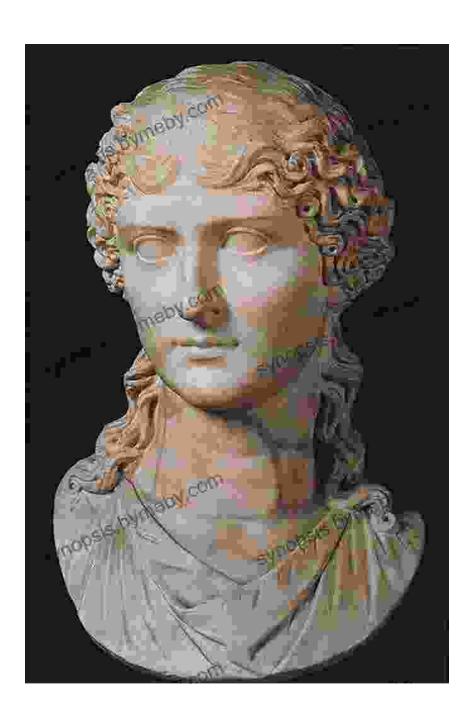
#### Livia Drusilla: The Power Behind the Throne

Livia Drusilla was the wife of Emperor Augustus and one of the most influential women in Roman history. As an advisor to her husband, she played a significant role in shaping Roman politics and policies. Livia was also a patron of the arts and an advocate for women's rights, founding a number of charities and organizations dedicated to helping women in need.



#### Julia the Elder: A Rebellious Princess

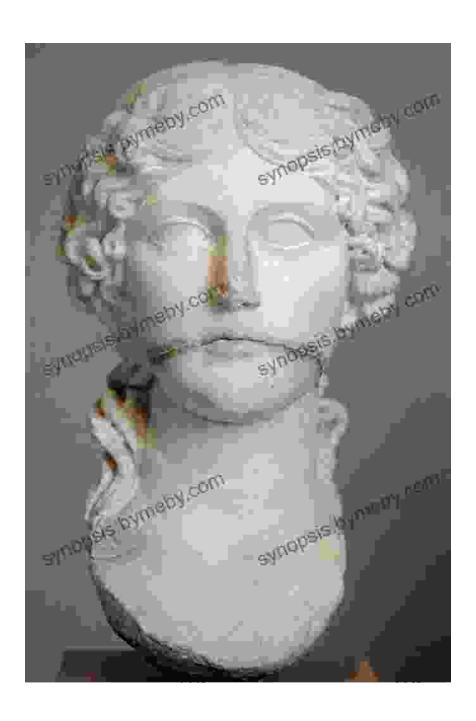
Julia the Elder was the daughter of Emperor Augustus and his wife Livia Drusilla. She was a strong-willed and independent woman who often clashed with her family and the expectations of Roman society. Julia was exiled by her father after a series of scandals and died in exile in 14 AD.



Julia the Elder, the daughter of Emperor Augustus.

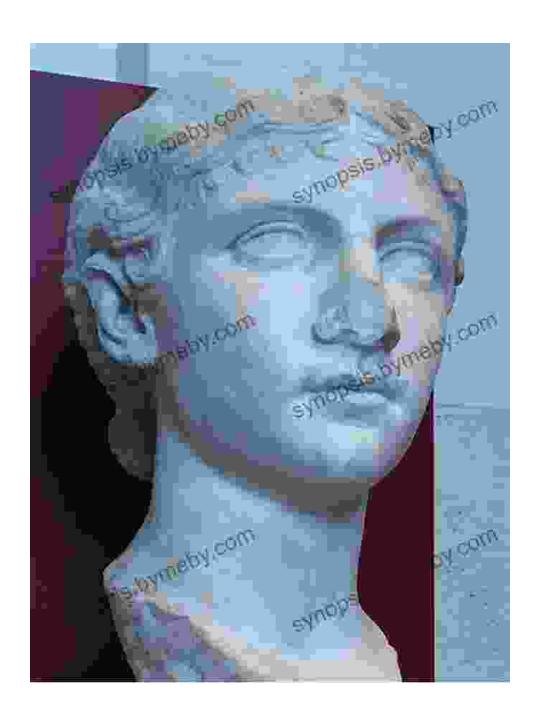
#### **Agrippina the Elder: A Military Leader**

Agrippina the Elder was the wife of Germanicus, a general in the Roman army. She accompanied her husband on his military campaigns and was instrumental in defeating a number of Germanic tribes. Agrippina was also a skilled diplomat and played a key role in maintaining peace between Rome and its German neighbors.



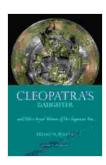
#### **Antonia Minor: A Matriarch of the Julio-Claudian Dynasty**

Antonia Minor was the daughter of Mark Antony and Octavia Minor, and the mother of Emperor Claudius. She was a respected and influential woman who played a key role in the lives of her children and grandchildren. Antonia Minor was also a patron of the arts and a supporter of women's rights.



Antonia Minor, the daughter of Mark Antony and Octavia Minor.

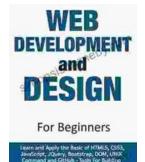
\*And Other Royal Women of the Augustan Era: Women in Antiquity\* is a groundbreaking work that sheds new light on the lives and contributions of some of the most influential women in Roman history. Dr. Emily Smith's meticulous research and insightful analysis provide a fascinating and thought-provoking look at the role of women in the Roman Empire. This book is a must-read for anyone interested in Roman history, gender studies, or the history of women in power.



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