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History of Ancient Rome. According to legend, the city was founded by Romulus (and his brother Remus, according to some versions) in 753 BC. Although archaeological evidence indicates that humans previously existed in the area, an extensive human settlement could well date back to this date. Signs of an Iron Age village from the mid-8th century BC, have been found on the Palatine Hill. A period of Roman history where many legends and symbolic histories converge, about which historians of this period have created incomplete accounts with respect to its origin and evolution. The decadence of the monarchic period was often contrasted with the idealism of the Roman Republic. HISTORY OF ROME including Rome before the republic, Senators, consuls, tribunes, The Roman legions, Arms of the legionary, Roman expansion in Italy, Enemies overseas, The province of Sicily, Campaigns east and north. Discover in a free daily email today's famous history and birthdays. Enjoy the Famous Daily. Rome before the republic: from the 8th century BC. The History of Rome. A weekly podcast tracing the history of the Roman Empire, beginning with Aeneas's arrival in Italy and ending with the exile of Romulus Augustulus, last Emperor of the Western Roman Empire. Now complete! A Brief Update: One Year Later. Ask Me Anything is tomorrow, May 31 at 6:30 EST: <http://www.reddit.com/r/history>. The topic of the next show will almost certainly be revealed! A hint: See ya soon