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| **Justinian dynasty (518–602)** | | | |
| https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/thumb/8/8c/Justin_I_obverse.jpg/84px-Justin_I_obverse.jpg | **Justin I** Ἰουστῖνος, *Iustinus* | 9 July 518 – 1 August 527  (9 years and 23 days) | Born c. 450 at Bederiana (Justiniana Prima), Dardania. Officer and commander of the Excubitors bodyguard under Anastasius I, he was elected by army and people upon the death of Anastasius I. |
| https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/thumb/1/10/Mosaic_of_Justinianus_I_%28cropped%29.jpg/83px-Mosaic_of_Justinianus_I_%28cropped%29.jpg | **Justinian I** "the Great" Ἰουστινιανὸς ὁ Μέγας *Petrus Sabbatius Iustinianus* | 1 August 527 – 14 November 565  (38 years, 7 months and 13 days) | Born in 482/483 at Tauresium (Taor), Macedonia. Nephew of Justin I, raised to co-emperor on 1 April 527. Succeeded on Justin I's death. Attempted to restore the western territories of the Empire, reconquering Italy, North Africa and parts of Spain. Also responsible for the *corpus juris civilis*, or the "body of civil law," which is the foundation of law for many modern European nations. |
| https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/thumb/8/8c/Solidus_of_Justin_II_%28obverse%29.jpg/85px-Solidus_of_Justin_II_%28obverse%29.jpg | **Justin II** Ἰουστῖνος, *Iustinus* | 14 November 565 – 5 October 578  (12 years, 10 months and 21 days) | Born c. 520. Nephew of Justinian I, he seized the throne on the death of Justinian I with support of army and Senate. Became insane, hence in 573–574 under the regency of his wife Sophia, and in 574–578 under the regency of Tiberius Constantine. |
| https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/thumb/5/5a/Tiberios_II_%28obverse%29.jpg/85px-Tiberios_II_%28obverse%29.jpg | **Tiberius II** Constantine Τιβέριος Κωνσταντῖνος *Tiberius Constantinus* | 5 October 578 – 14 August 582  (3 years, 10 months and 19 days) | Born c. 535, commander of the Excubitors, friend and adoptive son of Justin. Was named *Caesar* and regent in 574. Succeeded on Justin II's death. |
| https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/thumb/3/3b/Solidus_of_Maurice_%28transitional_issue%29.png/85px-Solidus_of_Maurice_%28transitional_issue%29.png | **Maurice** Μαυρίκιος Τιβέριος *Mauricius Tiberius* | 14 August 582 – 27 November 602  (20 years, 3 months and 14 days) | Born in 539 at Arabissus, Cappadocia. Became an official and later a general. Married the daughter of Tiberius II and was proclaimed emperor on 13 August 582. Named his son Theodosius as co-emperor in 590. Deposed by Phocas and executed on 27 November 602 at Chalcedon. |



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