

My five facts about Rome:

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- 2. My Roman House** I lived in a house called a "domus" with my family. We had a beautiful garden in the center called an "atrium" where rainwater collected in a pool. It was like having your own private courtyard!
- 3. Bath Time Was Social Time** Instead of bathing at home, I went to huge public baths called "thermae." Think of them like swimming pools, but with hot rooms, cold rooms, and places to exercise and chat with friends. We made it a whole social event!
- 4. Bread and Circuses** The government gave free bread to citizens like me, and we got to watch amazing gladiator fights and chariot races for entertainment. It was like getting free food and free tickets to the most exciting sports events!
- 5. My Toga Days** On special occasions, I wore a heavy white robe called a toga. It was our formal wear, but honestly, it was quite difficult to walk in - like wearing a really long, heavy bedsheet!

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Salve! That's how we say "hello" in Latin. My name is Marcus, and I lived in ancient Rome about 1,800 years ago. I was a regular citizen who worked as a shopkeeper in the bustling streets of Rome.

I saw the great Colosseum being used for gladiator fights, walked on roads made of stone that connected our mighty empire, and lived through the reign of several emperors. Life in Rome was quite different from your world today!

I'm excited to share stories about what it was really like to live in the greatest city of the ancient world. We had amazing buildings, exciting festivals, and a way of life that was both wonderful and challenging.

What would you like to know about my life in ancient Rome? Are you curious about our food, our buildings, our entertainment, or maybe how children like you lived back then?

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Ah, you want to hear about my daily life! Let me share five things about how I lived in ancient Rome:

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What interests you most about Roman life? Would you like to hear more about our food, our entertainment, or maybe about Roman children?