## **Bernice**

- Married to Marcus Julius Alexander in 41 AD...he died
- Married Herod of Chalcis...
  - Had two children
  - o Herod of Chalcis died in 48 AD
- Herod Agrippa II inherited the kingdom of Chalcis which included Caesarea Philippi and Banias.
- Bernice and her two children moved in with Herod Agrippa II for the next 15 years
- Married King Polemon of Cilicia in 64 AD to stop rumors of her relationships with Agrippa II, her brother.
- Soon she returned to live with Agrippa II
- She fell in love with General Titus and moved to Rome to live with him in the Palatine Palace in 75 AD after he had destroyed Jerusalem.
  - o Political pressure cause Titus to end the relationship with Bernice



**Herod of Chalcis coin** 

