7. Tarquinius Superbus (535-510)

- Etruscan
- Grandson of Tarquinus Priscus, married daughter of Servius Tullius, killed Servius Tullius before his wife ran over him with a chariot. Refused to bury Servius and then slaughtered senators he believed to be faithful to Servius.
- Judged capital crimes without advice of counselors.
- Tarquin leveled the top of the Tarpein Rock (punishment rock named after Roman traitor) and removed Sabine shrines to make way for the temple of Jupiter on Capitoline Hill.
- Tarquin was the king who refused to purchase the Sibylline books, but after the seer started burning them, he learned his lesson and paid the price for them.
- Embarked on a campaign against Rutuli. While the soldiers fell into drinking and boasting, they began to speak of the virtue of their wives. To be absolute moronic dickheads about it, they decided to visit each other's wives and discovered Collatinus' wife doing normal "wifely duties" (Collatinus claimed to have the most virtuous wife). For some reason, Sextus Tarquinus got turned on by this.
- Sextus Tarquin assaulted Lucretia (noblewoman and model of Roman virtue), instead of forcing himself upon her, he said if she wouldn't have sex with him he would kill her and kill a slave, stating it as a rumor that she had been having sex with a slave. Lucretia has sex with Tarquin and tells her male relatives for vengeance then kills herself. Because of this, her family storms Capitoline hill and demands an end to kings.
- BRUTUS, VALERIUS, COLLATINUS, and TRICIPITINUS swore to take down the king.