All About Archimedes

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Who Was Archimedes?
Archimedes was born on 287 BC in Syracuse Italy. Not much was documented of his life. Plutarch a greek historian, wrote that Archimedes was related to Heiron II the king of Syracuse. He apparently as a young man studied in Alexandria which was in Egypt. He studied with mathematicians.
Inventions And Math!

Inventions made by yours truly Mr. Archimedes.

- Giant Mirrors - he made giant mirrors to burn enemy ships Aka Death Ray
- Iron claw - he made an iron claw to rip ships
- Archimedes Principle - was the formula he found to measure buoyancy
- Archimedes Screw - a screw that would raise water from one level to another
Some Pictures of Inventions/Math Stuff
What Else Happened During His Time? Not a lot was recorded in that era about him. So, here is what I do know. But, first a quote or two from Archimedes.
“Give me a place to stand and I will move the earth.” “Don’t disturb my circles!”

-Archimedes
Other Things That Happened In His Time

218 beginning of Second Punic War

263 Hiero signs peace treaty with Rome after Romans threaten Syracuse

270 BC Birth of Hiero’s son Gelo
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