

The main task of this master's thesis is a comparison of the content of *Res gestae Divi Augusti* with the selected works of ancient historians and biographers (especially Suetonius, Velleius Paterculus and Tacitus) with a subsequent assessment of whether *Res gestae* could have been used as a „historical outline“ to describe Augustus' reign. I will also try to briefly consider whether the text of the *Res gestae* could have affected the works of ancient historiography and biography.