**Guided Reading Exercise**

**Chapter 6: The Creation of the Roman Empire, 44 B.C.E–284 C.E.**

**How did Augustus’s “restored republic” successfully keep the peace for more than two centuries, and why did it fail in the third century?**

*Download and save this document so you can return to it to take notes and later use it for studying*. As you read the chapter, fill in the chart below to define the political, social, cultural, and religious changes under the Roman Empire through the third century c.e. If you copy and paste from the text, make sure you place quotation marks around the copied material; if, however, you are able to describe the changes in your own words, you should do so.

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| Event or phenomenon | How it kept the peace (if it did) | Impact on failure of the “restored republic” (if any) |
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