## Juvenal, Satire II, Vocabulary <br> Judith Ebenstein

As a student of Prof. Rick, I found Juvenal's Satires the most difficult to navigate of the authors we read together, in part because of new vocabulary encountered and in part because words I thought I knew occasionally had different meanings in this context. And I thought the time I spent in the dictionary at times detracted from my overall understanding and enjoyment of the poem. My hope is that this list might free up future students to spend more time with the rigors of reading and translation rather than with the grunt work of dictionary perusing. (And, in my case, the listing hopefully helped consign some of these new words to my notoriously porous memory.)

7 archetypus, original, that what was first made
pluteus, -i, moveable screen, shelf
10 cinaedus, -i, catamite, effeminate man
12 podex, -icis, buttocks, anus
lēvis, -e, smooth, not rough
13 marisca, -ae, piles, a large inferior fig
21 clunis, -is, (c), buttock, haunch
ceveo, -ēre, to move haunches in a lewd manner
homicida, -ae (c), murderer
moechus, -i, an adulterer
concubitus, us, sexual intercourse
fingo, ere, to mold, fabricate
opobalsama, balsam perfume
numquid, is it possible
causa, -ae,
civilia iura, civil laws
colyphium, -i, choice meats for athletes
calathus, -i, wicker basket
tenuis, (here, fine)
stamen, -minis, thread
fusus, -i, spindle
63 censura, -ae, criticism
66 multicium, -i, muslim garment, transparent garment
80 scabies, -ei, scab, itch
porrigo, -ginis, scurf, dandruff, (here, mange)
93 supercillium, -i, arrogance, (here, eybrow)
94 acus, -us, needle, pin
96 reticulum, -i, small (fish) net, (here, hairnet)
97 scutulata-ae, checked garment
galbina, -ārum, greenish yellow clothing (considered effeminate)
99 pathicus, submitting to anal sex
106 adfecto, -are, aim at, desire to
113 antistes, -titis, high priest/priestess
116 supervacuus, superfluous
119 signata tabula, marriage contract
segmenta, -ārum, borders, patches of silver and gold, flounces flammeum, -ei, flame colored (bridal) veil
nuto, -are, to waver, (here, nutans, swinging)
urtica, -ae, stinging nettle
officium, -i, duty, service, office, (here, wedding ceremony)
indulgeo, -ēre, to indulge, grant
admoveo, -ēre, to move up, approach, (here, to add)
rana, -ae, frog
nec, (here, not even)
traduco, -ere, to bring across, to move, (here, in the passive, paraded) ephebus, -i, a Greek boy at age of puberty commercium, -i, trade, traffic, commere, (here, sexual intercourse) braca, -ae, trousers (usually plural) cutellus, -i, small knife, dagger
praetextatus, juvenal, underage, wearing a toga praetexta

