## A Rhetorical Approach to Julian the Emperor: A Consolation upon the Departure of the Excellent Sallust

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**Abstract:** This study examines the rhetorical practice of "The consolation to himself upon the departure of the excellent Sallust" written by Flavius Claudius Julian the emperor. Its purpose is to describe the way that Julian uses the language as to have favorable effects on public through certain communicative and rhetorical functions.

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