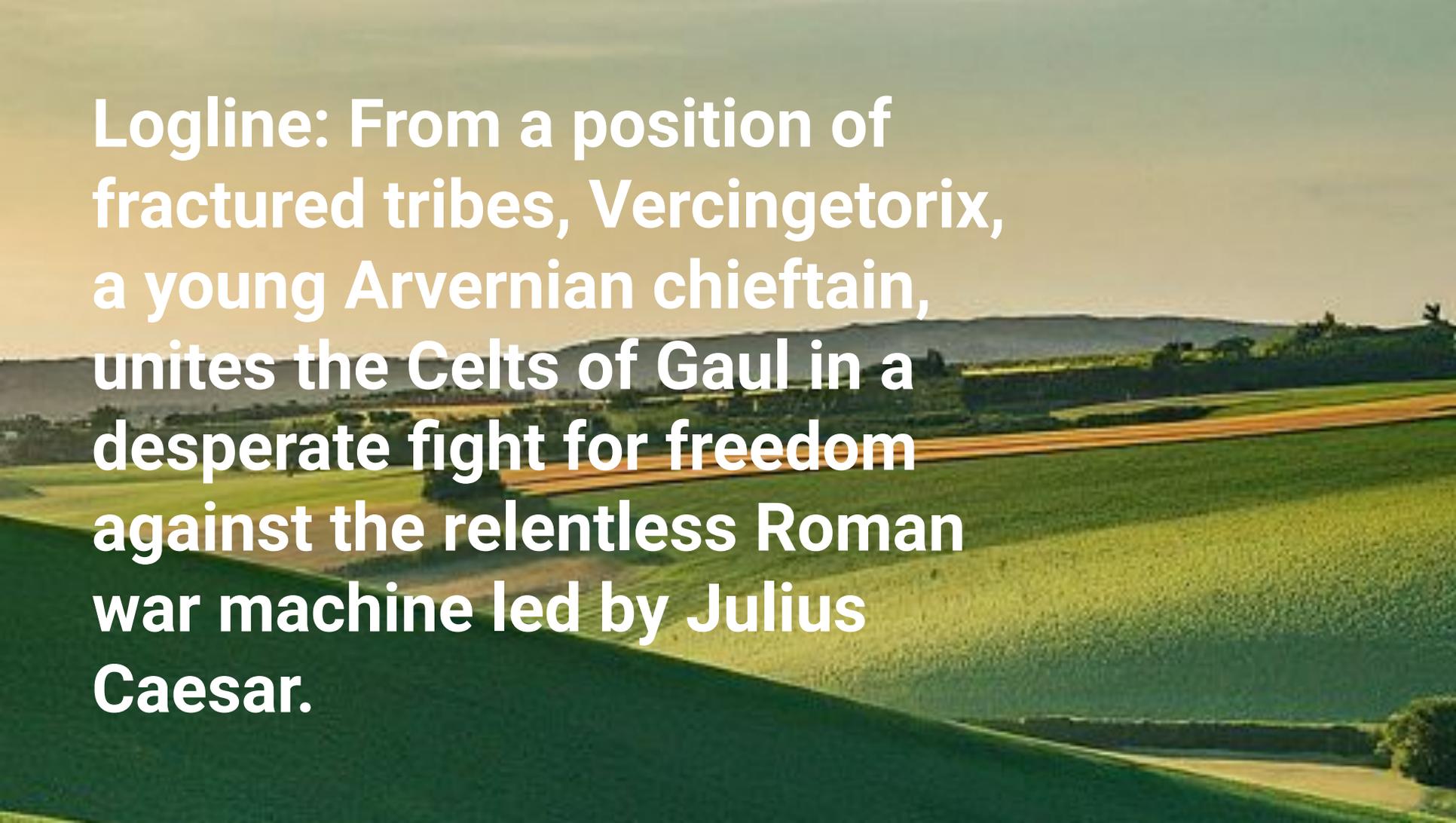


# THE GALLIC WAR

RISE & FALL OF THE BARBARIAN KING





**Logline: From a position of fractured tribes, Vercingetorix, a young Arvernian chieftain, unites the Celts of Gaul in a desperate fight for freedom against the relentless Roman war machine led by Julius Caesar.**



**Genre:** Historical Drama

**Overall Tone:** Epic, gritty, and emotionally charged.

### **Theme**

- The indomitable spirit of a people fighting for their freedom and identity.
- The clash of cultures and ideologies.
- The morality of war and the price of power.

# Characters



## Vercingetorix

- A young, charismatic, and strategic Arvernian chieftain.
- Begins as a unifier of his tribe but evolves into the leader of all Gauls.
- Possesses a deep connection to the land and his people.
- Character Arc: From a local leader to a legendary figure, facing the ultimate sacrifice.



## Julius Caesar

- A cunning, ambitious, and ruthless Roman general.
- Driven by power and glory, he sees Gaul as a prize to be conquered.
- A complex character with both admirable qualities and ruthless ambition..

# Act Break-Down

## Act 1: The Gathering Storm

- Introduce the fractured state of Gaul, with various tribes at war with each other.
- Establish Vercingetorix as a rising star among the Arvernians.
- Showcase the Roman invasion led by Caesar, highlighting his military prowess and ruthlessness.
- Build tension as Caesar's conquests unite the Gauls under the leadership of Vercingetorix.

## Act 2: The Rebellion

- Depict the formation of the Gallic alliance under Vercingetorix.
- Highlight the strategic brilliance of Vercingetorix, leading to early victories against the Romans.
- Explore the internal struggles within the Gallic alliance, with some tribes remaining loyal to Rome.
- Intensify the conflict as Caesar adapts his tactics, leading to a series of brutal battles.

## Act 3: The Fall and Legacy

- The tide turns against the Gauls, with the Romans gaining the upper hand.
- Vercingetorix faces internal and external pressures, leading to a climactic battle.
- The tragic downfall of Vercingetorix, symbolizing the defeat of the Gallic spirit.
- Epilogue: Reflect on the lasting impact of the Gallic War on both Rome and Gaul.