SAINTS FUN FACTS by John Sheppard

St. Bonaventure was born in Tuscany in 1221. At age 22 he entered the Franciscan order. He received his Doctorate along with St. Thomas Acquinas. At age 35 he was General of his order.

He composed the life of St. Francis and assisted in the translation of the relics of St. Anthony of Padua.

He died while assisting at the Second Council of Lyons on July 15th, 1274.

