

## Biography of Raymund Lull

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of God to preach the Gospel to the Mohammedans.\*

Some biographers know nothing of this nine years' retirement in a cell at Mount Roda near Barcelona, altho all of them agree that his conversion took place in July, 1266. The visions and spiritual conflicts and experiences at Mount Roda gained for Lull the title of "Doctor Illuminatus," the scholar enlightened from heaven. And if we look at the life that was the result of these visions, we can not deny that, in this dark age, heaven did indeed enlighten Lull to know the love of God and to do the will of God as no other in his day and generation.

Let us go back to the story of his conversion as told by Lull himself in that work, "On Divine Contemplation," which may

\* See article by Rev. Edwin Wallace, of Oxford University, in the Encyclopedia Britannica, where Mount Roda is wrongly spelled Randa.