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Founder of Spanish quietism; born at Saragossa. December 25, 1640; died at Rome December 28, 1697; educated at Coimbra, where he received his doctorate in 1669 or 1670. He settled at Rome, where through his personal piety he gained the friendship of distinguished ecclesiastics. In 1685 Molinos was placed under arrest because doctrines were endangering the Church, and was kept in confinement in a Dominican monastery until his death. His fame rests on "The Spiritual Guide which Disentangles the Soul, and Brings it by the Inward Way to the Getting of Perfect Contemplation, and . . . Internal Peace" (English translation, London, 1688, and often). In this book he shows the way to inward peace; and that way is fourfold-prayer, obedience, frequent communions, and inward mortification.