

## The Life Of Brazil Forward Pele

- 1) Pele was born on the 23rd October 1940 in Brazil  
Before as a forward footballer he was a very big thrill  
Starting at a young age playing great football yes  
To constantly score for Santos and Brazil or so I guess
- 2) Pele at Santos was the top scorer for a while  
With 643 goals in 659 games bringing to each manager a smile  
In 1962 and 1963 this team were to do well  
Winning the Copa Libertadores, and Intercontinental Cup as-well
- 3) Pele also started playing for Brazil at a young age  
Then in 1958, 1962 and 1970 took them to the 'FIFA World Cup Winning stage'  
Becoming the top scorer, with 77 goals in 92 games for them  
Getting splendid goals time and time again
- 4) Pele was to be one of the greatest players of all time  
And had a few marriages and families going fine  
He was voted 'World Player Of The 20th Century' and 'FIFA Player Of The 20th Century' too  
With him trophy-wise, and charity-wise, helping out oh quite a few
- 5) Pele got 1,279 goals in 1,363 games to set a 'Guinness World Record'  
Which along with his retirement, in 1977, was to be deeply applaud  
Then in 2010 he was named the honorary president of the New York Cosmos  
Before on the 29th December 2022, aged 82, his battle with cancer led to a big unfortunate loss