



Roma - Tempio di Venere e Roma-Colosseo

Rome. Saturday evening. Sept 22.

We had a lovely day to-day, seeing
the Cathedral of St. John Lateran,
& also the Catacombs, this morning.
The latter are just outside Rome and
are quite amazing architecturally. They
were built in the earliest days of the
Christian era & comprise literally miles
of underground tunnels, containing tombs
of martyrs and chapels with paintings
on the walls still visible. This afternoon
we explored the ancient forum & temple
which are just near the Colosseum (shown
on this card). It was warm & sunny &
we thoroughly enjoyed ourselves wandering
round the remains of ancient Rome. We
also saw the Pantheon, a huge round,
well-preserved domed building built by
Emperor Hadrian as a temple. It now
contains the tombs of King Victor
Emmanuel II & his successor, & also
of Raphael. It is still warm & we are
enjoying our lovely day.
After dinner, in a very elegant restaurant.
Must love this & I want.



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