

## **Have You Ever Been to Italy or Spain?**

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**Have you ever been to Italy or Spain?  
Have you ever seen the Taj Mahal in India?  
Have you been to the mountaintop  
where ancient temples stand  
and met the Djinn there,  
the spirits of the past?  
Have you ever loved someone  
so much you gave yourself,  
Heart and Mind, Body and Soul  
with weakness and with strength.**

**I have not been to Italy or Spain.  
I have not seen the Taj Mahal in India.  
But I have been to the mountaintop  
Where ancient ruins lie  
and I have met the spirits of the past.  
And I love you with all my heart,  
with all my mind, Body and Soul  
in weakness and in strength.**