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I enter the room, all too knowing
dozens, may hundreds all the same.
And as I wander, the numbers growing
in my search for a number, not a name.

Shuffling through the chiming pieces
only one set of marks will do.

My wonderment never ceases,
could mine be of the chosen few?

Gliding easily, knowing it's place
turning quickly, the vault becomes mine.

In its darkness, my blood begins a race.

Not a prize in the hollow, not a line.

Once again, I close the door
And leave the room with nothing more.

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