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## Feeling Stone

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Solid smoothness,  
The stone flows  
In my palm  
Like a pewter stream  
Pushing across rolling valleys.

Once covered  
By soft, moist  
Earth,  
The stone now absorbs  
Me,  
Like a sweet friend,  
Spills no secrets  
And drips no lies.

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