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## Contemplation Room

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bludgeoned by  
two faced critique  
dragged doll like  
to a regal area rug  
that conceals  
hade's trap door  
amusing segments  
peek through  
airborne dust particles  
jack.in.the.box absurdity  
permeates furniture fabric  
window ajar  
drapes playfully tango  
their music will cease  
mystique awaits on  
unreachable shelves  
marinates glistening webs  
behind wisdom  
as she rocks  
back and forth  
under the clock's face  
to flag the race