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As smooth and richly contoured as a breast  
your ivory cloves entice;  
their gentle impressions perhaps lead  
to some exquisite cloister;  
the peaked ends titillate.

Only your aroma exudes the fire  
that staves off all but the resolute.  
Akin to the wiles of certain butterflies,  
your piquant scent deters  
the unworthy suitor.