Selling by number. Hi-tech illusion. Look to a future, and keep it clean. 2000 and One. End of the century. Figuring out the a dvertising schemes for toilet machinery, paper dispensers, kitc hen appliances, razor blades, serial comics without the humor. Buy now, pay later. Pre-arranged. 2000 years since whatever the panic was all about. Turn on the TV to see the devout asking f or money so they can help you out. It's almost as if we can sta nd and watch until the magic number lets us off somehow. We ima gine a new beginning. Getting fatter after all the thinning. Lo sing so much, then suddenly winning. Meanwhile obscuring the ch aos we live in with fast rate technology, plastic diversions. W iping our conscience on numerical versions of a future conceive d, too easily believed via numb repetition in a culture of ease and convenience trash. We're so easy to please. Is nobody aski ng for more than this? Don't wait too long, it won't always exi st. 2000 and One.