

## **Pillars of Strength**

Colossus of Rhodes

Statue of Liberty

Turbines of Albany

Standing tall overseeing endeavours

from antiquity to the 21st century:

monuments to human kind.

New York and Greece here have sway

with their idealised tributes to democracy.

Statues are freedom effigies,

gateway bastions these three,

yet the turbines labour for their personified place

and give back manifold.

The wind farm's metal magnitude is colossal

generating power to thousands of homes.

They are the strength behind change

real revolution of a nuts and bolts kind.

To inspire and equate such connection

dancing in the sky haphazardly,

everyday heroes with a pulse for the future.

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