Tapestry of Triumph (2023) Rhonda Liddell

A tapestry of triumph, their stories reveal.

In the realm of splendor, where warriors heal.

Adaptive sports, a balm for wounded souls,

Where newfound purpose, resolute goals.

A veteran, battle-scarred, yet ever bold,
Found solace in pursuits, a story yet untold.
Recumbent trikes, with wheels that set her free,
A vessel of liberation, dancing with glee.

Soaring on snow-capped peaks, a story untold.

A phoenix rising from ashes long grown cold,

Snowboarding, an art of grace and strife,

An orchestra of courage, embracing life.

And on the verdant greens, a new chapter unfolds,
Golf became her canvas, where tales were composed.
With friends by her side, camaraderie ignited,
Her heart, once shattered, now wholly united.

For in adaptive sports, a warrior finds reprieve,
An alchemy of strength, where spirits achieve.
Each endeavor a testament, a flicker in time,
That the human spirit, infinite, can truly climb.

Like the sun casting golden rays on a winter's eve,
Adaptive sports, a symphony of hearts that believe.
From the depths of struggle, a phoenix shall rise,
Through souls made whole, hope begins to baptize.

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