## The Dance of the Sunflower

As still as a statue on a windy day Nothing to distract nature's delicately crafted artwork Strong as a pole standing tall, fearless, and brave Providing beauty even when it's late Always keeping the bees company The delicacy of the sunflower is all they need From its surface the sweet smell of summer arise It's vibrant yellow and orange outskirts The other flowers would despise A glimpse of its petals like capturing the sun Could put a smile on the face of just about anyone The green stem emerged from the ground like a skyscraper Looking down on all the creatures that surround The chirping of the birds and the whistle of the wind Starts the flower dancing from side to side waltzing from within

Nothing could depress the sunflower, not even rain It will still dance and will never refrain Will the movement stay swift even in the snow? All who have seen it, would hate to see it go

## Charred Desire

In the eye of a destructive tornado Lies the sadness in her soul The loss of trust within her is what viciously tore. Haunted thoughts surround her Positivity burned to the core Eyes withered from sorrow Cheeks sunken with despair Everything around her seems unfair Her hopes a heap of ash A funeral for her perished dreams She mourns the bruise of tomorrow All darkness with no light to beam. She thinks nothing will get better No one to help her through the storm. Sunshine gone from her future, only rain left to pour