



The Ombuds' Path

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ARTIST STATEMENT

This poem was born from a blend of human emotion and digital inspiration. As I explored themes close to my heart, I turned to artificial intelligence as a creative companion—offering structure, rhythm, and phrasing that helped shape my ideas into verse. While the words are mine, the process was enriched by this collaboration and connection.



In halls where silence holds its weight,
Where voices pause, unsure of fate,
There stands a space, both calm and wide—
The Ombuds' door, thrown open wide.

No judgment waits, no harsh decree,
Just ears that listen patiently.
A place to speak, to share, to mend,
Where conflict finds a softer end.

They walk between the lines unseen,
Where tension hides and hearts convene.
With care they guide, not to decide,
But help the truth and trust reside.

From coast to coast, in rooms and screens,
They meet with staff, they hold the scenes.
Promoting peace, respect, and grace,
They help restore the workplace space.

So when the weight feels hard to bear,
Know there's a voice that's always there.
The Ombuds walks a quiet road—
To lift the load, to share the code.