



The Book of Wings

A young Afghan schoolgirl is trapped in the grip of a Talib, forbidden from entering school. Yet in her small hands she clutches a book—not paper and ink,
.but the breath of life and a flame of hope

From its pages, blossoms bloom and birds of freedom rise, symbols of dreams
no wall can contain. Every flower is tomorrow, every bird a voice breaking
.through silence

This artwork shows the clash of oppression and resilience: a hand that seeks to crush, and a child who dares to shine. Afghan girls, even in darkness, carry the
.seeds of knowledge and freedom. Doors may close, but their minds cannot
With a book in her hands, this child holds a future that will one day take flight—
.free, boundless, and unstoppable