

# Ozymandias

MC Lars

For years, they will remember me... and tremble

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I met a traveler from an antique land  
Described a statue of a royal man  
With a constant frown as if always down  
Take a look around at the wreck we found  
Two vast and trunkless legs made of stone  
Wrinkled lips a commander so cold  
Sculpted with care from the darkness he led  
We dig up the rest to get all of the facts  
Many of the words have worn off with time  
Making it difficult for one to transcribe  
Sharper than stone, arder than steel  
Perhaps he can show me the art of the deal  
I grabbed his shaky hand, my homies called him a crazy man  
Maybe man or he could've been the one to  
Make Egypt great again, what's the deal?

My name is Ozymandias, the King of Kings  
I throw the biggest rallies that Cairo has ever seen  
Even though I'm emperor, I trip on things the people say  
Fake news, they use, it's true, discrediting my reign? Insane!  
So sad, my name is everywhere with cold command, they love me so  
I'm in denial like the river where I set my throne  
280 characters, worldwide, these hieroglyphics speak  
Look on my works, ye mighty, and despair! Obey your king!

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We cast our votes and now he gloats  
Killing hope among the very folks  
That he'd claimed he'd help out the most  
Looks like this bloke is one big joke  
In the desert looked his people in the eye  
Took away protection and left them to die  
Nothing remains, around decay  
No one can stop him get out of the way  
Even the info you think you receive  
He calls it false and you have to believe  
The air you breathe the marks you set  
The hand that mocked them, the heart that fed

King of Kings, boundless and bare  
Look on his works - and run in despair  
Upon more digging we just come up short  
Turns out this guy isn't quite what we thought

Gigantic structures in the sand, my legacy remains  
They carve my face in stone as I survey my vast domain  
From here to Athens, out to Syria, I've built my stage  
Across the Baltic I've got allies but they'll never say  
And I will live forever, voice immortalized, see I'm  
The greatest leader that the hoi polloi could ever find  
I say whatever's on my mind so best get on your knees  
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