The Future in Six Acts

I.
A boy’s fear fades as he listens to an AI companion read novels and comic books while his nurse injects a vaccine.

II.
Helicopters hover over the sea while a rescue team lowers a robotic man into the waves to carry the lost swimmer ashore.

III.
A teacher bridges cultural differences in her class with an AI assistant who speaks every child’s language fluently.

IV.
In a heartland warehouse, metal arms work alongside humans, assembling the batteries that will power our ambulances and buses.

V.
A carpenter’s AI program scans an apartment building for wear to prevent collapse from happening, so residents can focus on living.

VI.
The greatest scene is the one that hasn’t been written yet; the one you create with your courage, talent, and determination.