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Comments: Bolted anchors are what I trust to have an enjoyable climbing experience. They are much safer than placing gear each time and allow rappelling to reach the bottom instead of what is sometimes a terrible hike down. Fixed anchors also allow search and rescue teams to access areas that may not otherwise be easily accessible for the rescue of hikers. This allows people to get outdoors and appreciate nature so that they want to help preserve our planet's other natural spaces for the future.