

“Wash yourselves,  
make yourselves clean;  
remove the evil of your deeds  
from My sight.  
Cease to do evil,  
learn to do good;  
seek justice,  
reprove the ruthless,  
defend the orphan,  
plead for the widow.

“Come now,  
and let us reason together,”  
says the LORD,  
“Though your sins are as scarlet,  
they will be as white as snow;  
though they are red like crimson,  
they will be like wool.”

Isaiah 1:16-18



A landscape photograph featuring a foreground of snow-covered ground. In the background, there are dark, silhouetted mountains under a bright sky with a sun that creates a lens flare effect. The overall scene is serene and somewhat desolate.

Woe to those who call evil good, and good evil;  
who substitute darkness for light and light for darkness;  
who substitute bitter for sweet and sweet for bitter!

Isaiah 5:20



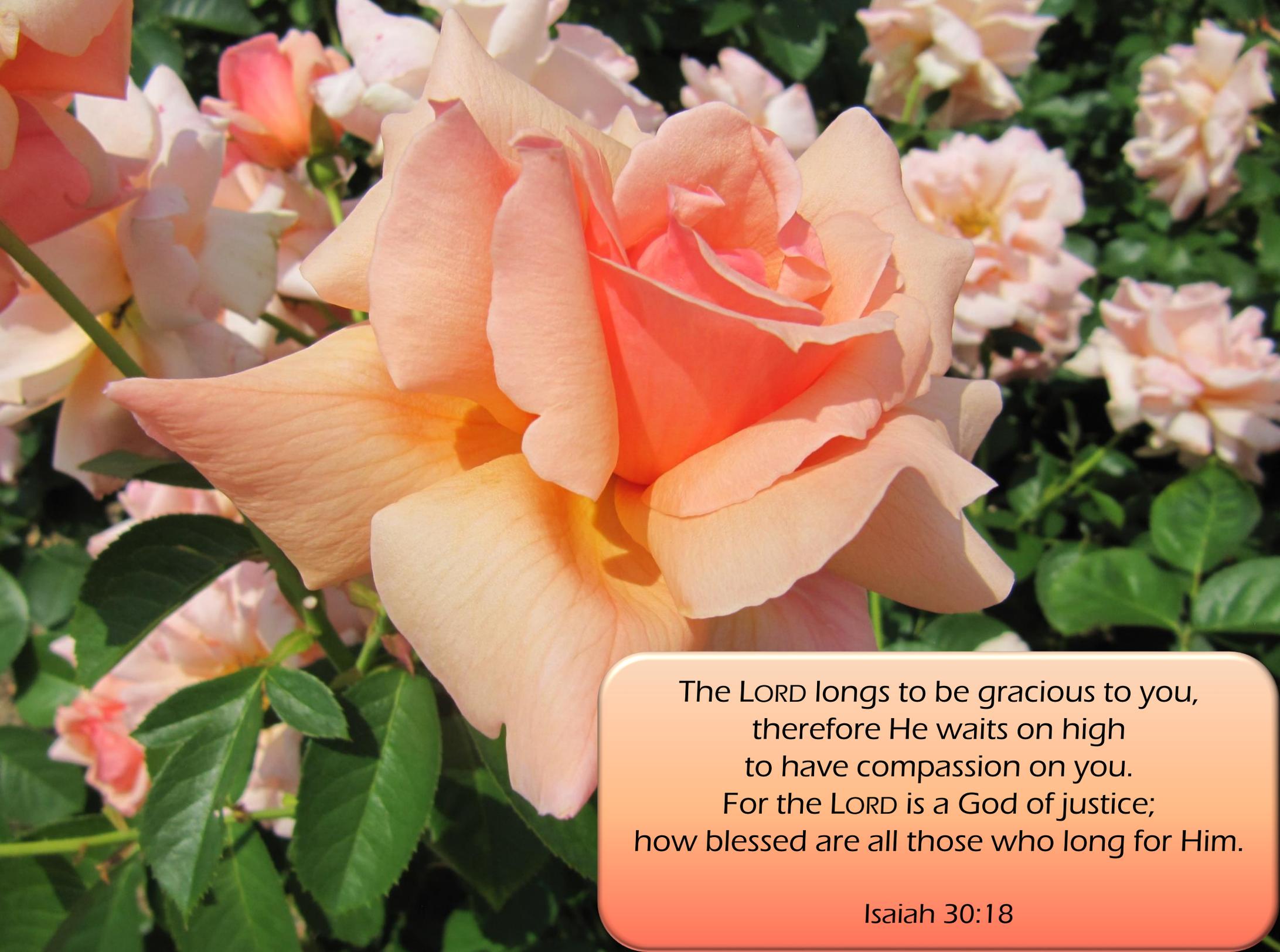
He will swallow up death for all time,  
and the Lord GOD will wipe tears away from all faces,  
and He will remove the reproach of His people from all the earth;  
for the LORD has spoken.  
And it will be said in that day,  
“Behold, this is our God for whom we have waited  
that He might save us!  
This is the LORD for whom we have waited;  
let us rejoice and be glad in His salvation!”

Isaiah 25:8-9

The steadfast of mind You will keep  
in perfect peace,  
because he trusts in You.

Isaiah 26:3





The LORD longs to be gracious to you,  
therefore He waits on high  
to have compassion on you.  
For the LORD is a God of justice;  
how blessed are all those who long for Him.

Isaiah 30:18



Your eyes will behold your Teacher.  
Your ears will hear a word behind you,  
“This is the way, walk in it,”  
whenever you turn to the right or to the left.

Isaiah 30:20b-21

Do you not know? Have you not heard?  
Has it not been declared to you from the beginning?  
Have you not understood from the foundations of the earth?

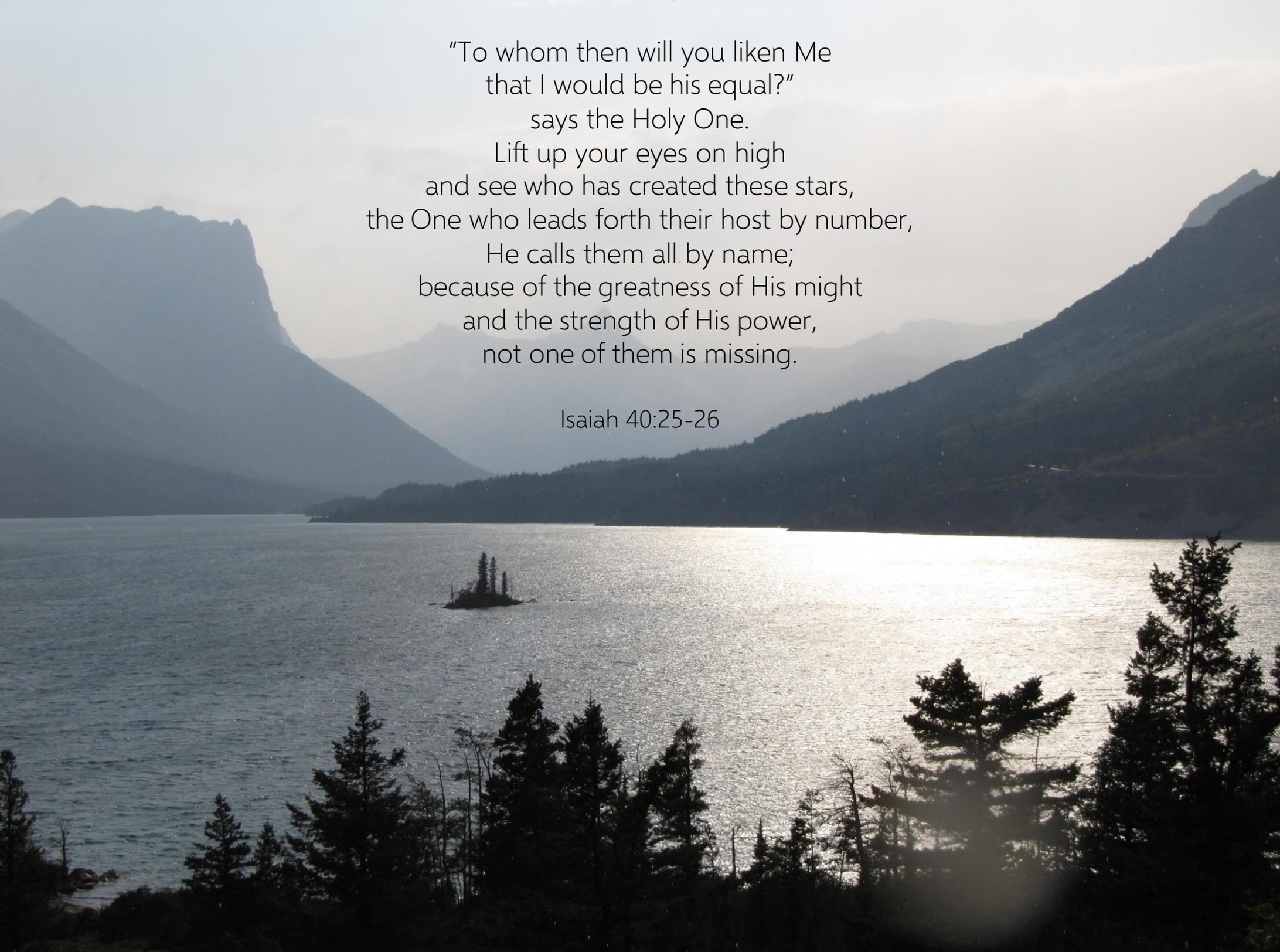
It is He who sits above the circle of the earth,  
and its inhabitants are like grasshoppers,  
who stretches out the heavens like a curtain  
and spreads them out like a tent to dwell in.

He it is who reduces rulers to nothing,  
who makes the judges of the earth meaningless.

Scarcely have they been planted,  
scarcely have they been sown,  
scarcely has their stock taken root in the earth,  
but He merely blows on them and they wither,  
and the storm carries them away like stubble.

Isaiah 40:21-24





“To whom then will you liken Me  
that I would be his equal?”  
says the Holy One.

Lift up your eyes on high  
and see who has created these stars,  
the One who leads forth their host by number,  
He calls them all by name;  
because of the greatness of His might  
and the strength of His power,  
not one of them is missing.

Isaiah 40:25-26



≡ Do you not know? Have you not heard?  
The LORD is the everlasting God,  
the Creator of the ends of the earth.  
He will not grow tired or weary,  
and his understanding no one can fathom.  
He gives strength to the weary  
and increases the power of the weak.

Even youths grow tired and weary,  
and young men stumble and fall;  
but those who hope in the LORD  
will renew their strength.  
They will soar on wings like eagles;  
they will run and not grow weary,  
they will walk and not be faint.



"Do not fear, for I am with you;  
do not anxiously look about you,  
for I am your God.  
I will strengthen you,  
surely I will help you,  
surely I will uphold you  
with My righteous right hand."

Isaiah 41:10



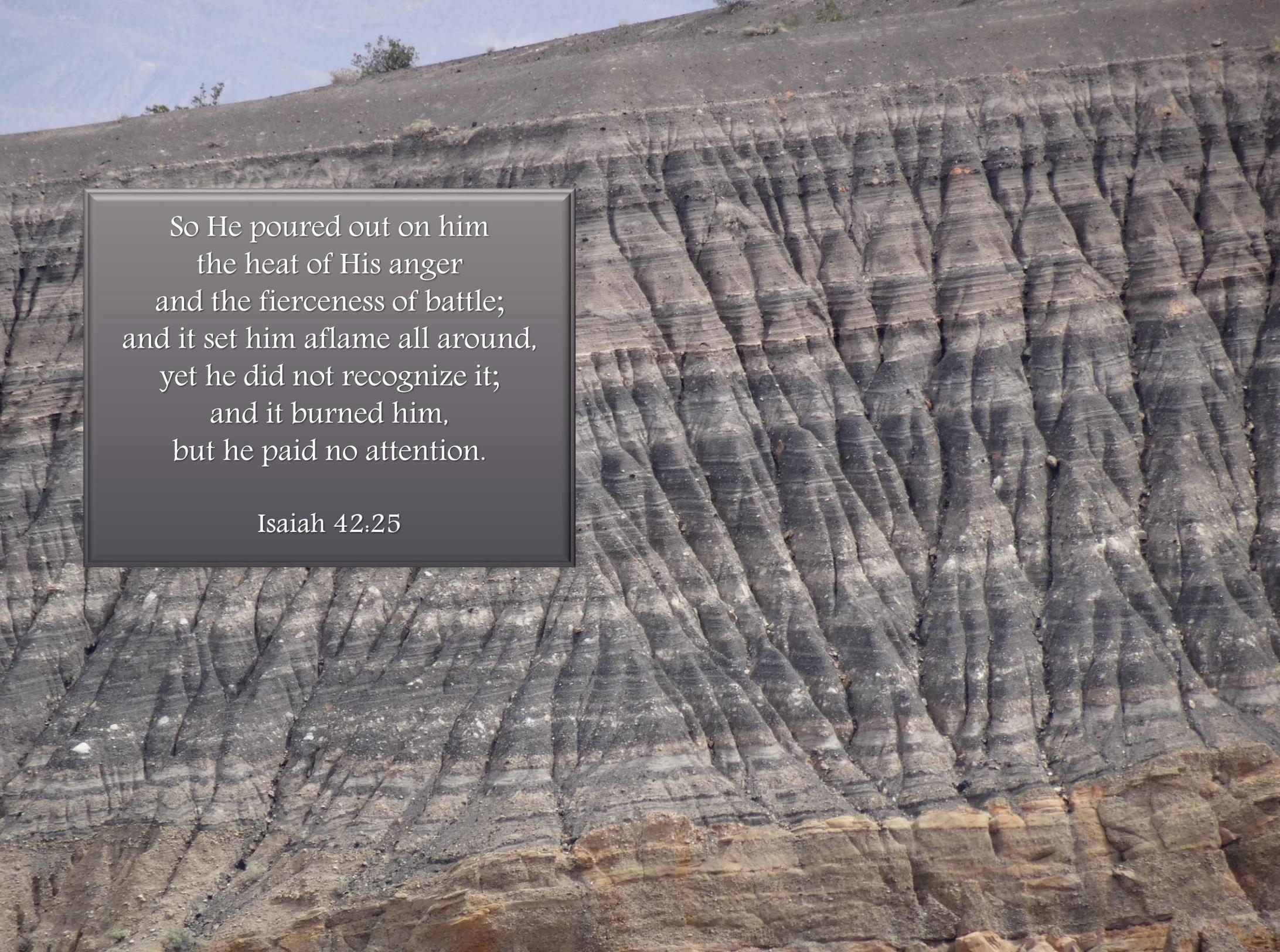
"I am the LORD your God,  
who upholds your right hand,  
who says to you,  
'Do not fear, I will help you!'"

Isaiah 41:13

“The afflicted and needy are seeking water,  
but there is none,  
and their tongue is parched with thirst;  
I, the LORD, will answer them Myself,  
as the God of Israel, I will not forsake them.  
I will open rivers on the bare heights  
and springs in the midst of the valleys;  
I will make the wilderness a pool of water  
and the dry land fountains of water.  
I will put the cedar in the wilderness,  
the acacia and the myrtle and the olive tree;  
I will place the juniper in the desert  
together with the box tree and the cypress,  
that they may see and recognize,  
and consider and gain insight as well,  
that the hand of the LORD has done this,  
and the Holy One of Israel has created it.”

Isaiah 41:17-20



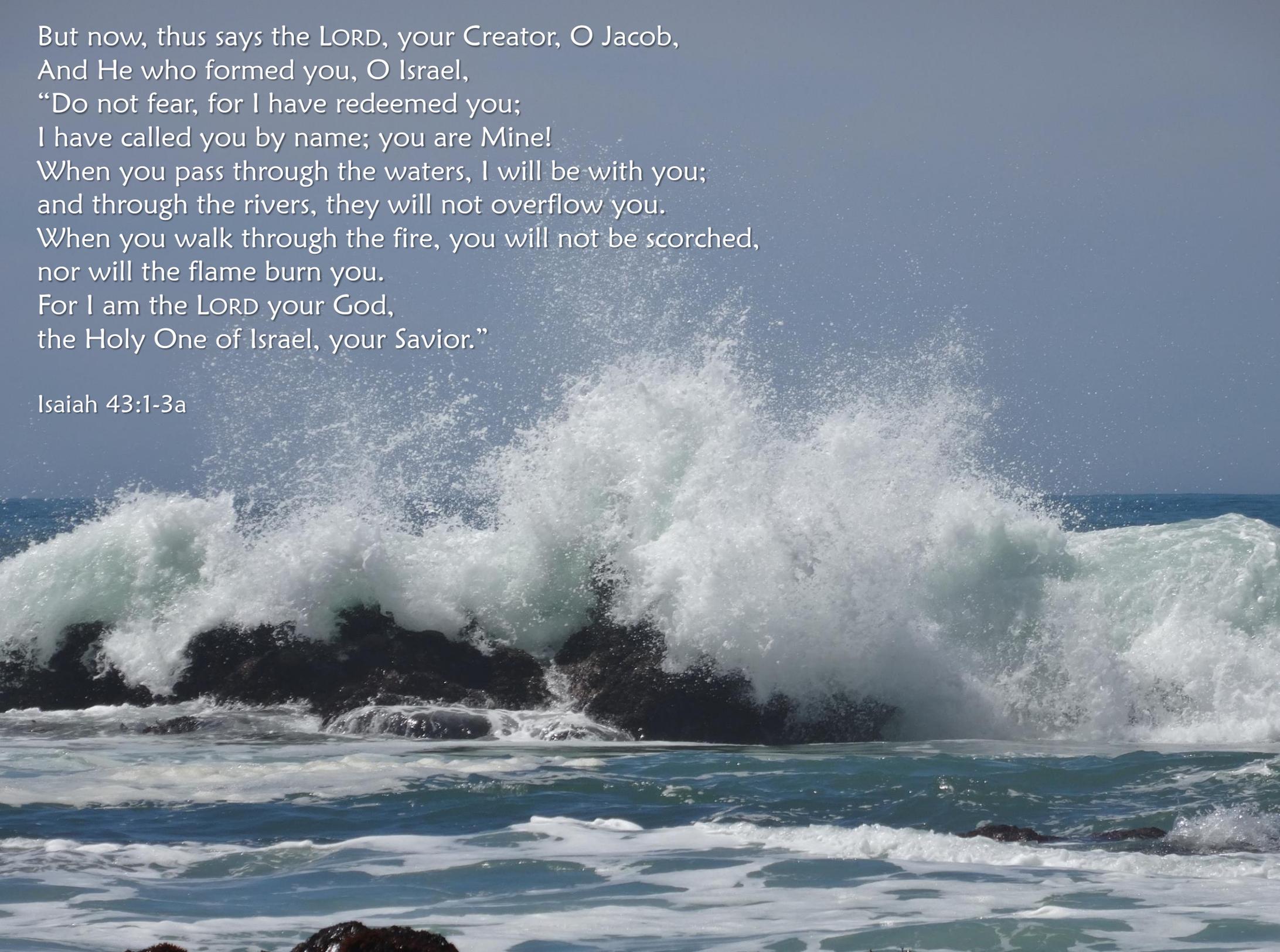


So He poured out on him  
the heat of His anger  
and the fierceness of battle;  
and it set him aflame all around,  
yet he did not recognize it;  
and it burned him,  
but he paid no attention.

Isaiah 42:25

But now, thus says the LORD, your Creator, O Jacob,  
And He who formed you, O Israel,  
“Do not fear, for I have redeemed you;  
I have called you by name; you are Mine!  
When you pass through the waters, I will be with you;  
and through the rivers, they will not overflow you.  
When you walk through the fire, you will not be scorched,  
nor will the flame burn you.  
For I am the LORD your God,  
the Holy One of Israel, your Savior.”

Isaiah 43:1-3a



“Listen to Me,  
O house of Jacob,  
and all the remnant  
of the house of Israel,  
you who have been  
borne by Me from birth  
and have been carried  
from the womb;  
even to your old age  
I will be the same,  
and even to your graying years  
I will bear you!  
I have done it,  
and I will carry you;  
and I will bear you  
and I will deliver you.”

Isaiah 46:3-4



“I, even I, am He who comforts you.  
Who are you that you are afraid of man who dies  
and of the son of man who is made like grass,  
that you have forgotten the LORD your Maker,  
who stretched out the heavens  
and laid the foundations of the earth,  
that you fear continually all day long  
because of the fury of the oppressor,  
as he makes ready to destroy?  
But where is the fury of the oppressor?”

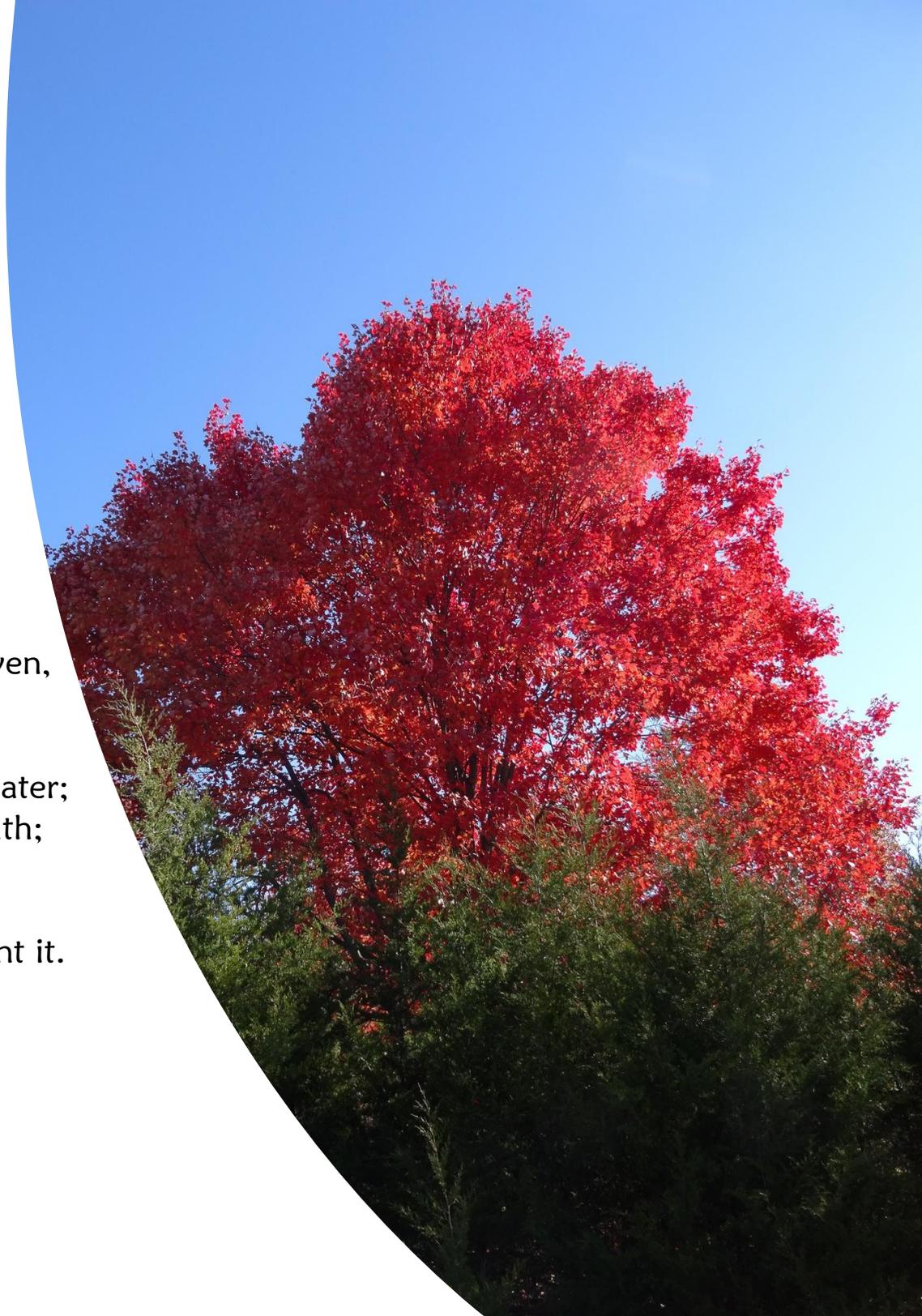
Isaiah 51:12-13



Seek the LORD while He may be found;  
call upon Him while He is near.  
Let the wicked forsake his way  
and the unrighteous man his thoughts;  
and let him return to the LORD,  
and He will have compassion on him,  
and to our God,  
for He will abundantly pardon.

“For My thoughts are not your thoughts,  
nor are your ways My ways,” declares the LORD.  
“For as the heavens are higher than the earth,  
so are My ways higher than your ways  
and My thoughts than your thoughts.  
For as the rain and the snow come down from heaven,  
and do not return there without watering the earth  
and making it bear and sprout,  
and furnishing seed to the sower and bread to the eater;  
so will My word be which goes forth from My mouth;  
it will not return to Me empty,  
without accomplishing what I desire,  
and without succeeding in the matter for which I sent it.  
For you will go out with joy  
and be led forth with peace;  
the mountains and the hills will break forth  
into shouts of joy before you,  
and all the trees of the field will clap their hands.”

Isaiah 55:6-12



For thus says the high and exalted One  
who lives forever, whose name is Holy,  
“I dwell on a high and holy place,  
and also with the contrite and lowly of spirit  
in order to revive the spirit of the lowly  
and to revive the heart of the contrite.”

Isaiah 57:15





Is this not the fast which I choose,  
To loosen the bonds of wickedness,  
To undo the bands of the yoke,  
And to let the oppressed go free  
And break every yoke?

Is it not to divide your bread with the hungry  
And bring the homeless poor into the house;  
When you see the naked, to cover him;  
And not to hide yourself from your own flesh?

Then your light will break out like the dawn,  
And your recovery will speedily spring forth;  
And your righteousness will go before you;  
The glory of the LORD will be your rear guard.

Then you will call, and the LORD will answer;  
You will cry, and He will say, 'Here I am '  
If you remove the yoke from your midst,  
The pointing of the finger and speaking wickedness,

And if you give yourself to the hungry  
And satisfy the desire of the afflicted,  
Then your light will rise in darkness  
And your gloom will become like midday.

And the LORD will continually guide you,  
And satisfy your desire in scorched places,  
And give strength to your bones;  
And you will be like a watered garden,  
And like a spring of water whose waters do not fail.

Those from among you will rebuild the ancient ruins;  
You will raise up the age-old foundations;  
And you will be called the repairer of the breach,  
The restorer of the streets in which to dwell.



*It will also come to pass that before they call,  
I will answer;  
and while they are still speaking,  
I will hear.*

*Isaiah 65:24*

For a child will be born to us,  
a son will be given to us;  
and the government  
will rest on His shoulders;  
and His name will be called

*Wonderful Counselor,  
Mighty God,  
Eternal Father,  
Prince of Peace.*

Of the greatness of his government and peace  
there will be no end.  
He will reign on David's throne  
and over his kingdom,  
establishing and upholding it  
with justice and righteousness  
from that time on and forever.  
The zeal of the LORD Almighty  
will accomplish this.

Isaiah 9:6-7





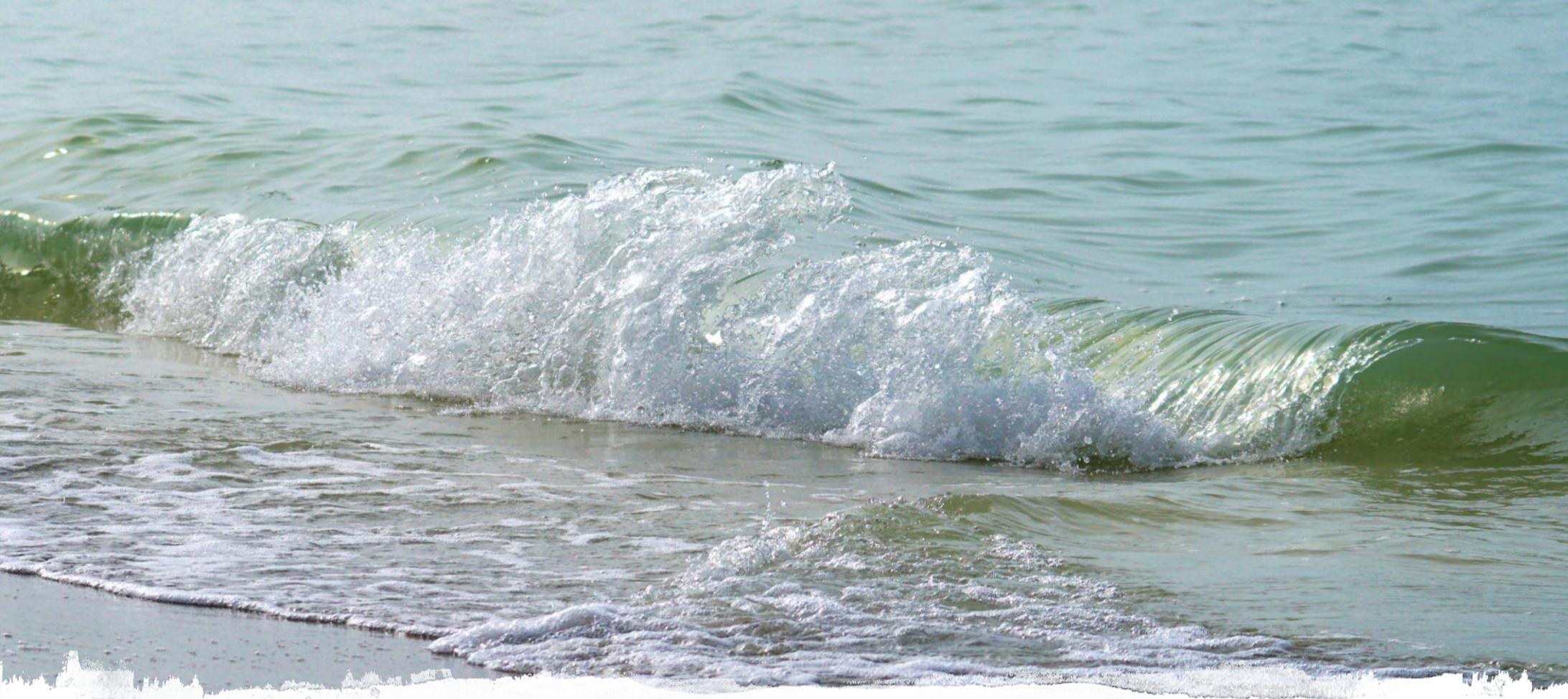
“The Lord GOD has given Me  
the tongue of disciples,  
that I may know how to  
sustain the weary one with a word.  
He awakens Me morning by morning,  
He awakens My ear to listen as a disciple.”

Isaiah 50:4



The Spirit of the Lord GOD is upon me,  
because the LORD has anointed me  
to bring good news to the afflicted;  
He has sent me to bind up the brokenhearted,  
to proclaim liberty to captives  
and freedom to prisoners;  
to proclaim the favorable year of the LORD  
and the day of vengeance of our God;  
to comfort all who mourn,  
to grant those who mourn in Zion,  
giving them a garland instead of ashes,  
the oil of gladness instead of mourning,  
the mantle of praise instead of a spirit of fainting.  
So they will be called oaks of righteousness,  
the planting of the LORD, that He may be glorified.

Isaiah 61:1-3



“Behold, My Servant, whom I uphold;  
My chosen one in whom My soul delights.  
I have put My Spirit upon Him;  
He will bring forth justice to the nations.  
He will not cry out or raise His voice,  
nor make His voice heard in the street.

A bruised reed He will not break  
and a dimly-burning wick He will not extinguish;  
He will faithfully bring forth justice.  
He will not be disheartened or crushed  
until He has established justice in the earth;  
and the coastlands will wait expectantly for His law.”

“It is too small a thing that You should be My Servant  
to raise up the tribes of Jacob  
and to restore the preserved ones of Israel;  
I will also make You a light of the nations  
so that My salvation may reach  
to the end of the earth.”

Isaiah 49:6



Isaiah 53 ~

He grew up before Him like a tender shoot, and like a root out of parched ground;  
He had no stately form or majesty that we should look upon Him,  
nor appearance that we should be attracted to Him.

He was despised and forsaken of men, a man of sorrows, and acquainted with grief;  
and like one from whom men hide their face, He was despised,  
and we did not esteem Him.

Surely our griefs He Himself bore, and our sorrows He carried;  
yet we ourselves esteemed Him stricken, smitten of God, and afflicted.

But He was pierced through for our transgressions,  
He was crushed for our iniquities;  
the chastening for our well-being fell upon Him,  
and by His scourging we are healed.

All of us like sheep have gone astray, each of us has turned to his own way;  
but the LORD has laid upon Him the iniquity of us all.

He was oppressed and He was afflicted, yet He did not open His mouth;  
like a lamb that is led to slaughter, and like a sheep that is silent before its shearers,  
so He did not open His mouth.

By oppression and judgment He was taken away;  
and who can speak of His descendants?

For He was cut off from the land of the living;  
for the transgression of My people He was stricken.

His grave was assigned with wicked men, yet He was with a rich man in His death,  
because He had done no violence, nor was there any deceit in His mouth.

But the LORD was pleased to crush Him, putting Him to grief;  
if He would render Himself as a guilt offering, He will see His offspring, He will prolong His days,  
and the good pleasure of the LORD will prosper in His hand.

As a result of the anguish of His soul, He will see it and be satisfied;  
by His knowledge the Righteous One, My Servant, will justify the many, as He will bear their iniquities.  
Therefore, I will allot Him a portion with the great, and He will divide the booty with the strong;  
because He poured out Himself to death, and was numbered with the transgressors;  
yet He Himself bore the sin of many and interceded for the transgressors.





Behold, the Lord GOD will come with might,  
with His arm ruling for Him.  
Behold, His reward is with Him  
and His recompense before Him.  
Like a shepherd He will tend His flock,  
in His arm He will gather the lambs  
and carry them in His bosom;  
He will gently lead the nursing ewes.

Isaiah 40:10-11