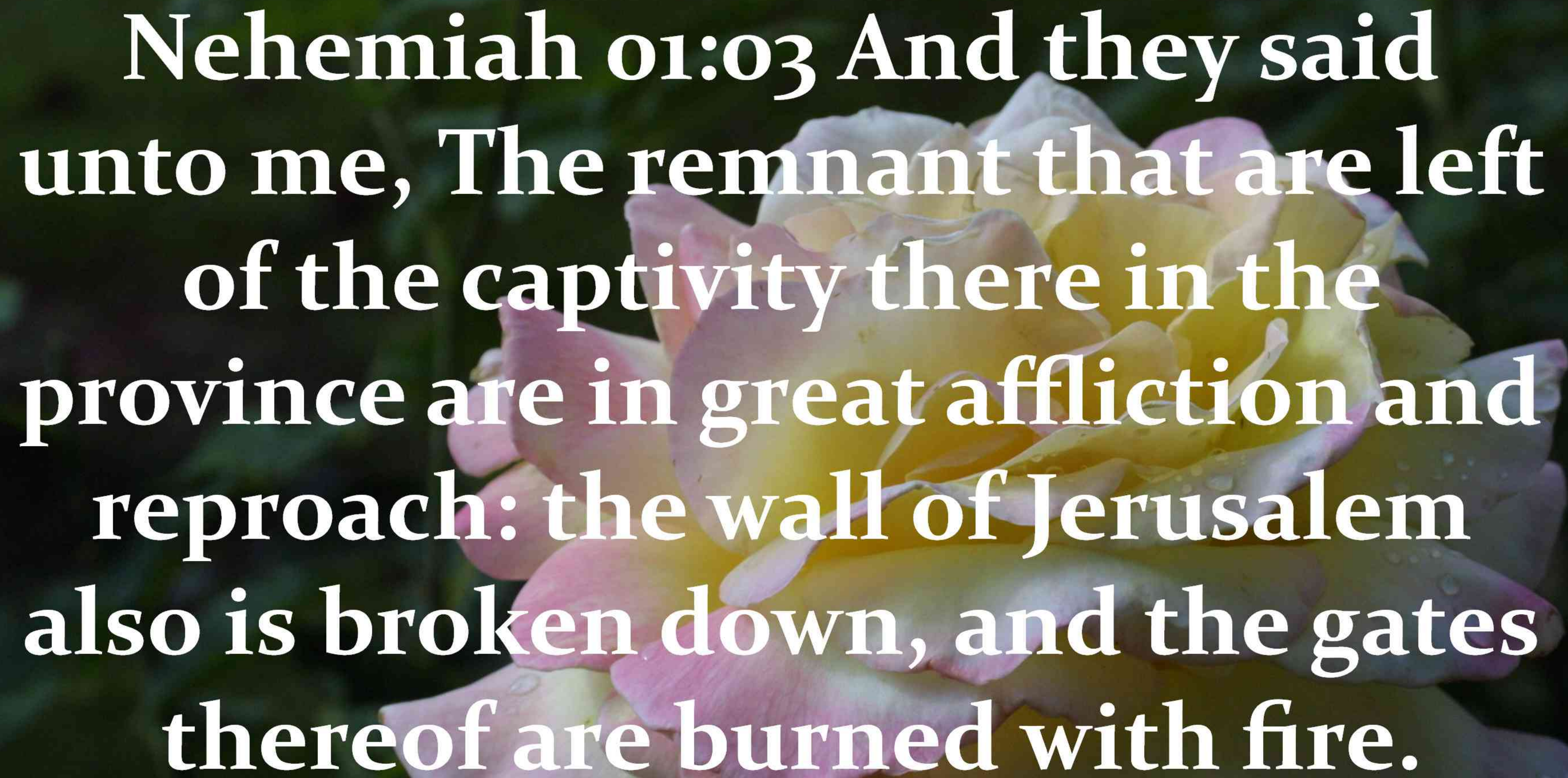


Nehemiah 01:01 The words of
Nehemiah the son of Hachaliah.
And it came to pass in the month
Chisleu, in the twentieth year, as I
was in Shushan the palace,

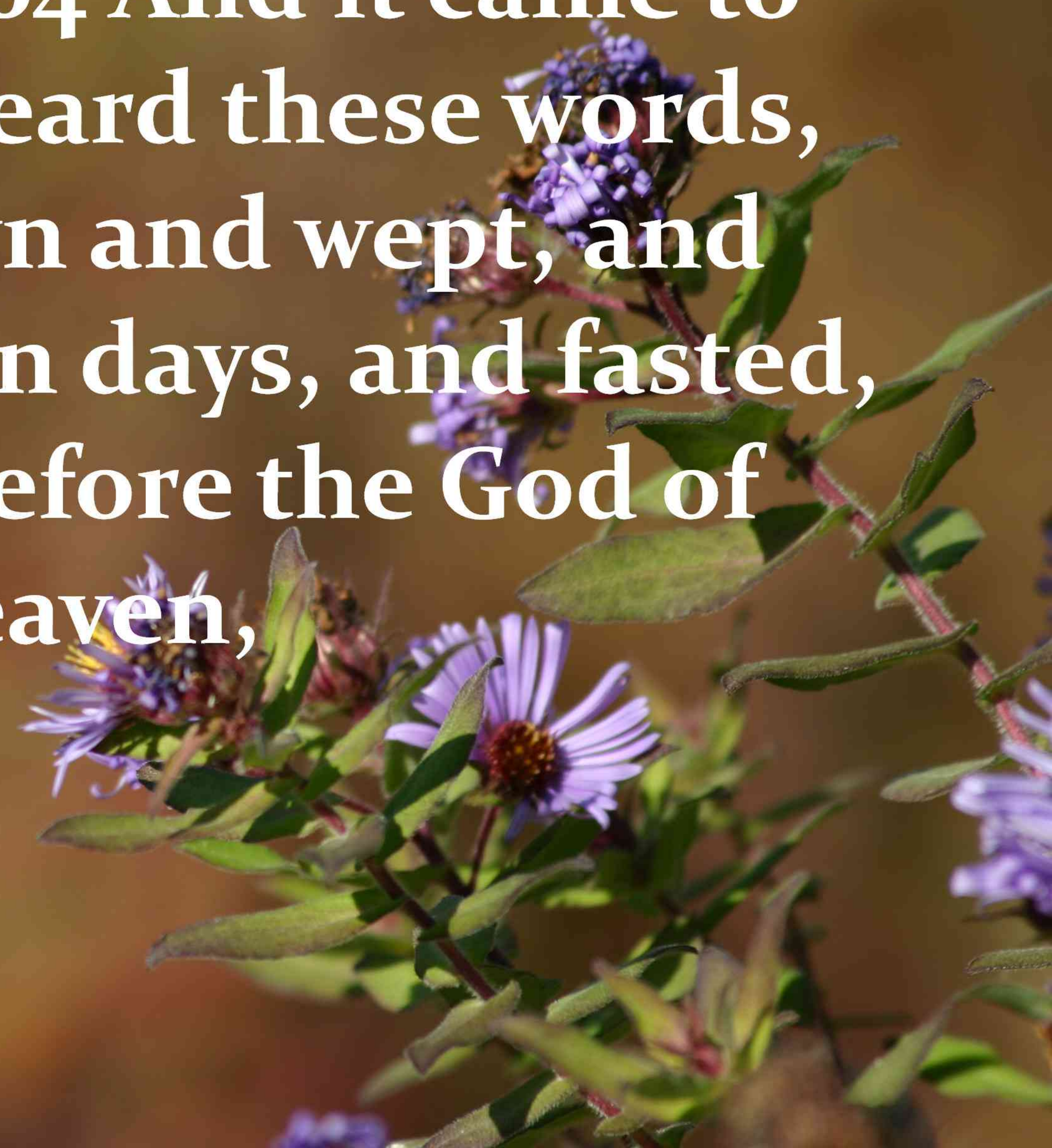


Nehemiah 01:02 That Hanani, one of my brethren, came, he and certain men of Judah; and I asked them concerning the Jews that had escaped, which were left of the captivity, and concerning Jerusalem.

**Nehemiah 01:03 And they said
unto me, The remnant that are left
of the captivity there in the
province are in great affliction and
reproach: the wall of Jerusalem
also is broken down, and the gates
thereof are burned with fire.**



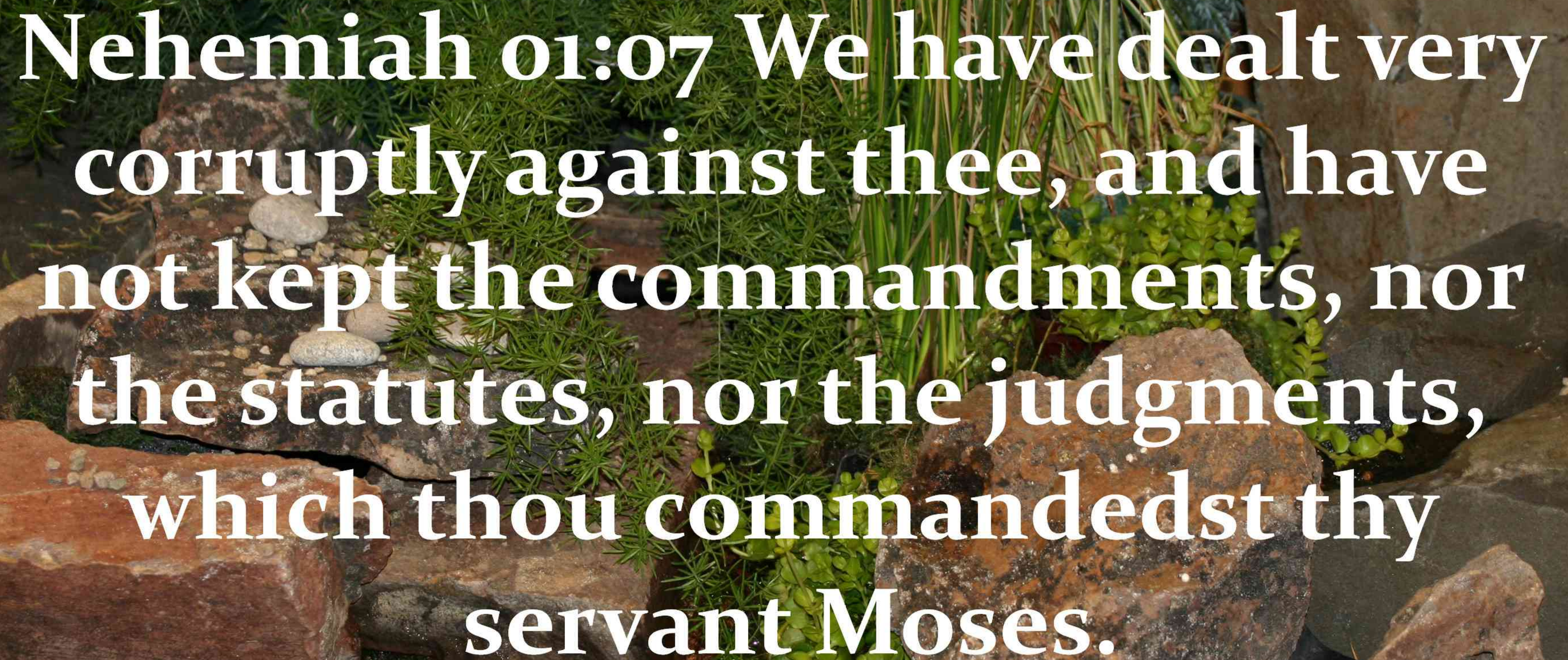
Nehemiah 01:04 And it came to pass, when I heard these words, that I sat down and wept, and mourned certain days, and fasted, and prayed before the God of heaven,

A close-up photograph of a plant with several small, light purple flowers and green leaves. The plant is positioned on the right side of the image, with its stem and leaves extending towards the center. The background is a soft, out-of-focus brown and green.

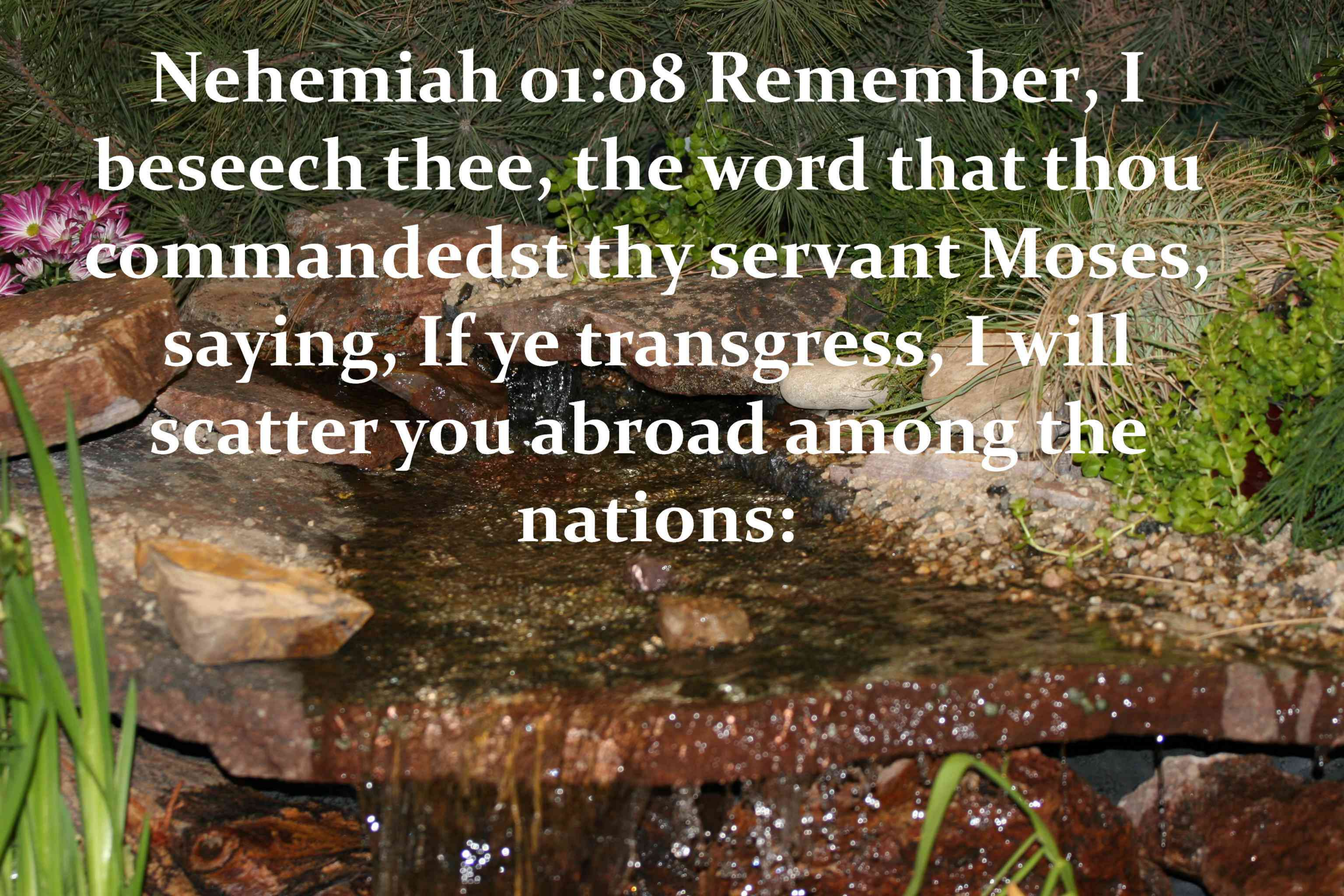


Nehemiah 01:05 And said, I
beseech thee, O LORD God of
heaven, the great and terrible God,
that keepeth covenant and mercy
for them that love him and
observe his commandments:

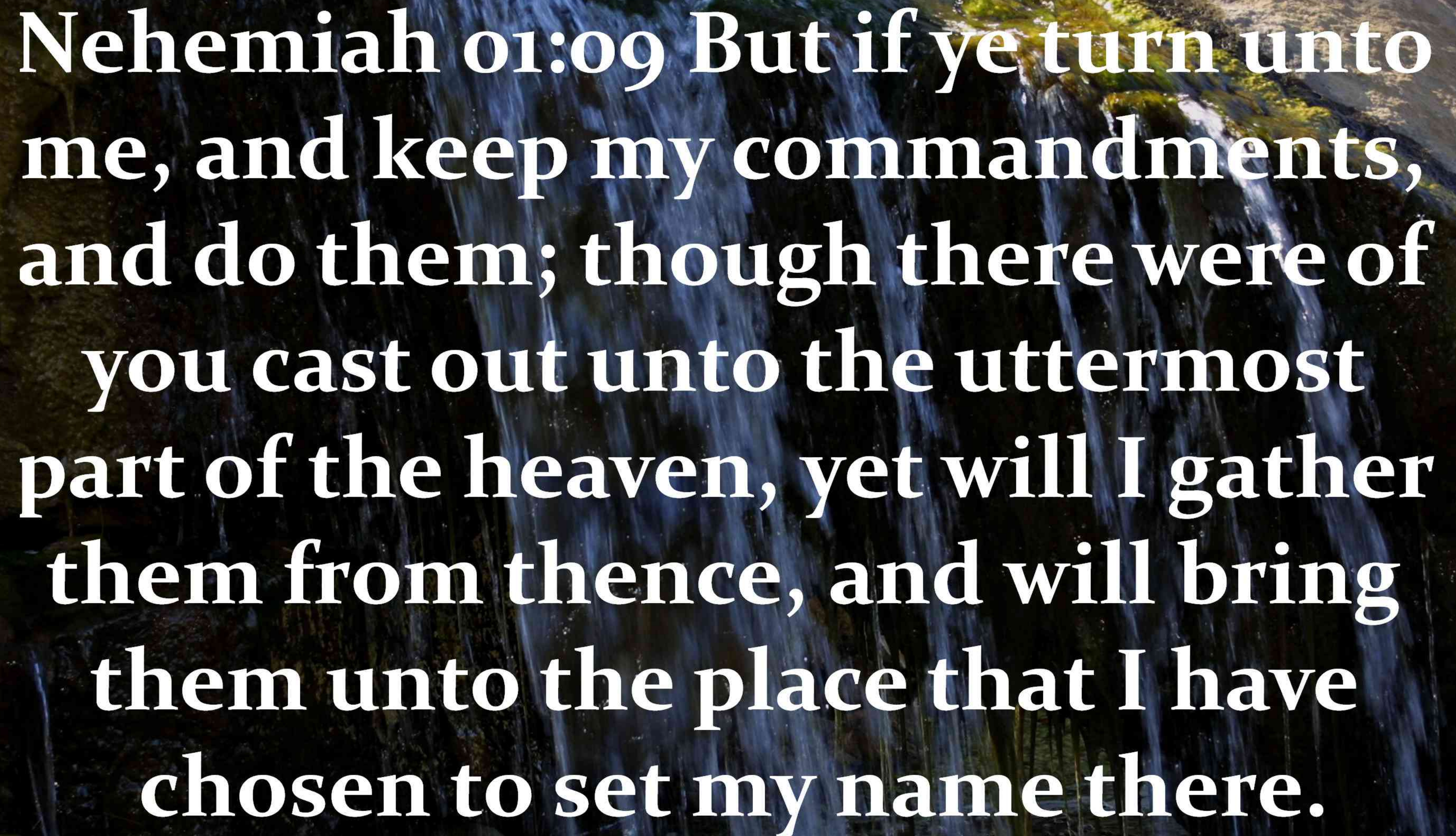
Nehemiah 01:06 Let thine ear now be attentive, and thine eyes open, that thou mayest hear the prayer of thy servant, which I pray before thee now, day and night, for the children of Israel thy servants, and confess the sins of the children of Israel, which we have sinned against thee: both I and my father's

The background of the image is a lush, miniature landscape. It features several large, reddish-brown and grey rocks of various shapes and sizes. A small, clear waterfall flows over some of the rocks, creating a gentle cascade. The rocks are covered in vibrant green moss and small, leafy plants. In the upper part of the image, there are some taller, thin green plants that look like grass or reeds. The overall scene is a detailed and naturalistic representation of a garden or forest floor.

Nehemiah 01:07 We have dealt very corruptly against thee, and have not kept the commandments, nor the statutes, nor the judgments, which thou commandedst thy servant Moses.

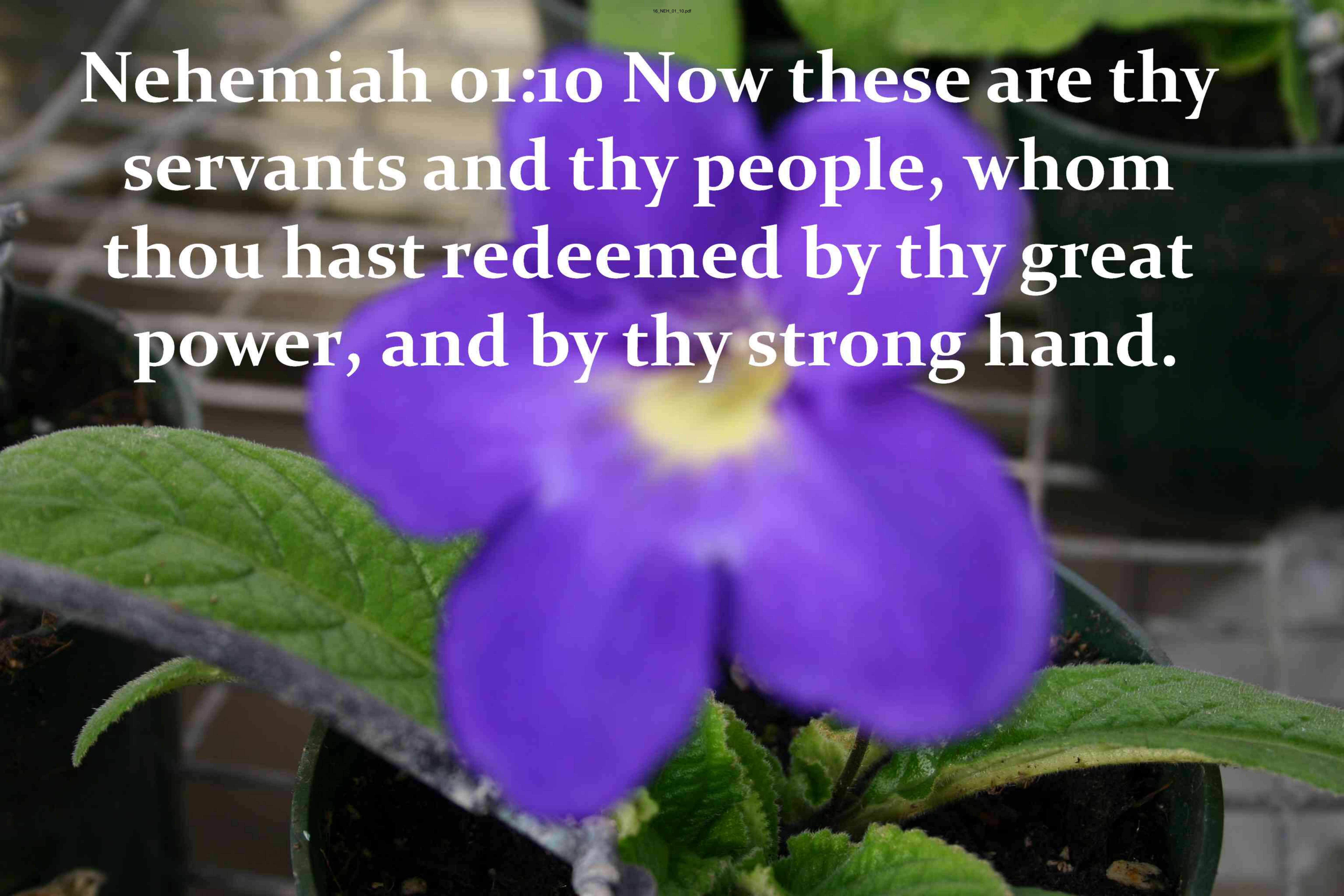


Nehemiah 01:08 Remember, I
beseech thee, the word that thou
commandedst thy servant Moses,
saying, If ye transgress, I will
scatter you abroad among the
nations:

A close-up photograph of a waterfall cascading over dark, moss-covered rocks. The water is captured in motion, creating a soft, blurred effect as it falls. The background is dark and textured with moss and rocks.

Nehemiah 01:09 But if ye turn unto me, and keep my commandments, and do them; though there were of you cast out unto the uttermost part of the heaven, yet will I gather them from thence, and will bring them unto the place that I have chosen to set my name there.

Nehemiah 01:10 Now these are thy
servants and thy people, whom
thou hast redeemed by thy great
power, and by thy strong hand.



Nehemiah 01:11 O Lord, I beseech thee, let now thine ear be attentive to the prayer of thy servant, and to the prayer of thy servants, who desire to fear thy name: and prosper, I pray thee, thy servant this day, and grant him mercy in the sight of this man. For I was the king's cupbearer.