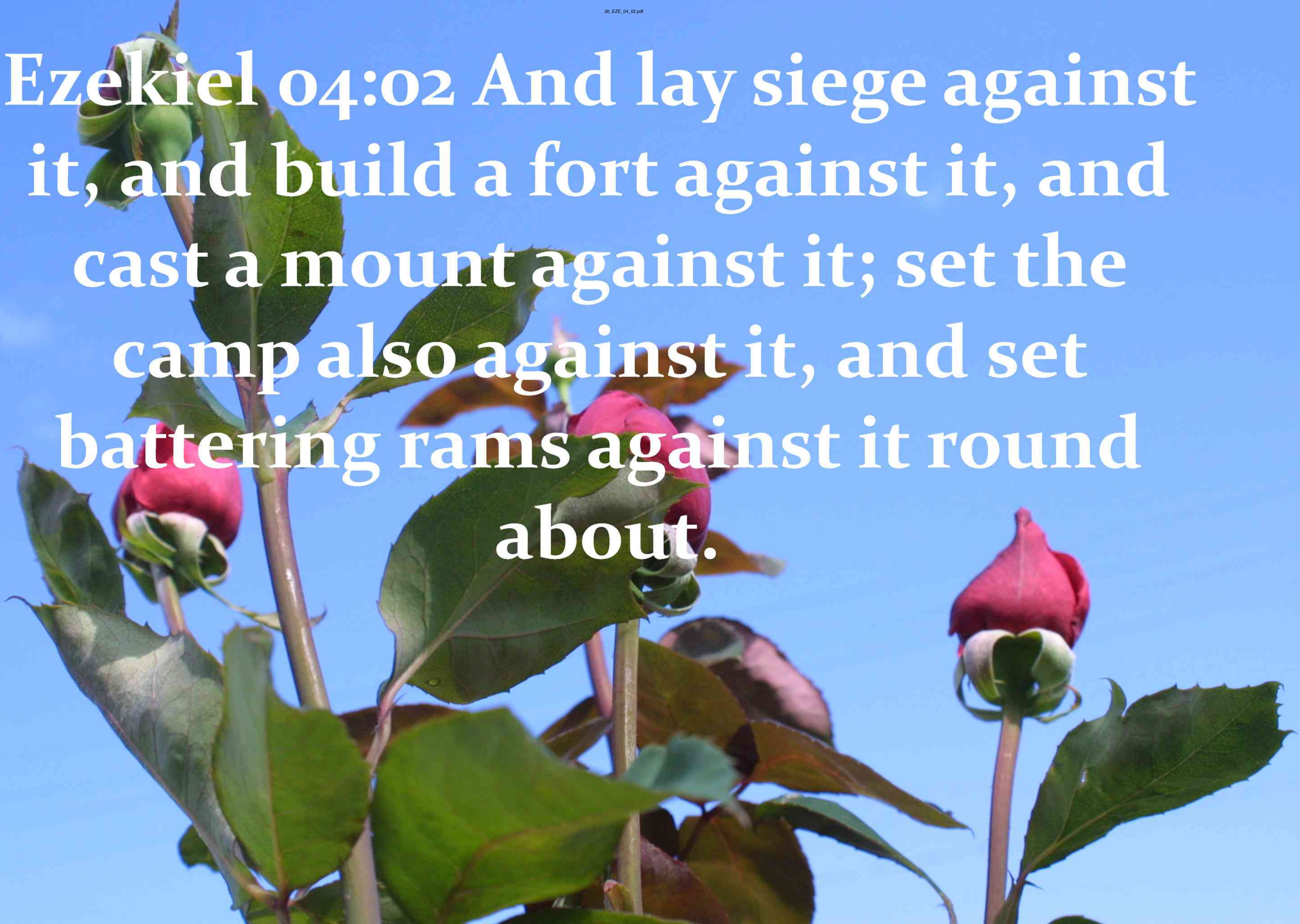


Ezekiel 04:01 Thou also, son of man, take thee a tile, and lay it before thee, and portray upon it the city, even Jerusalem:

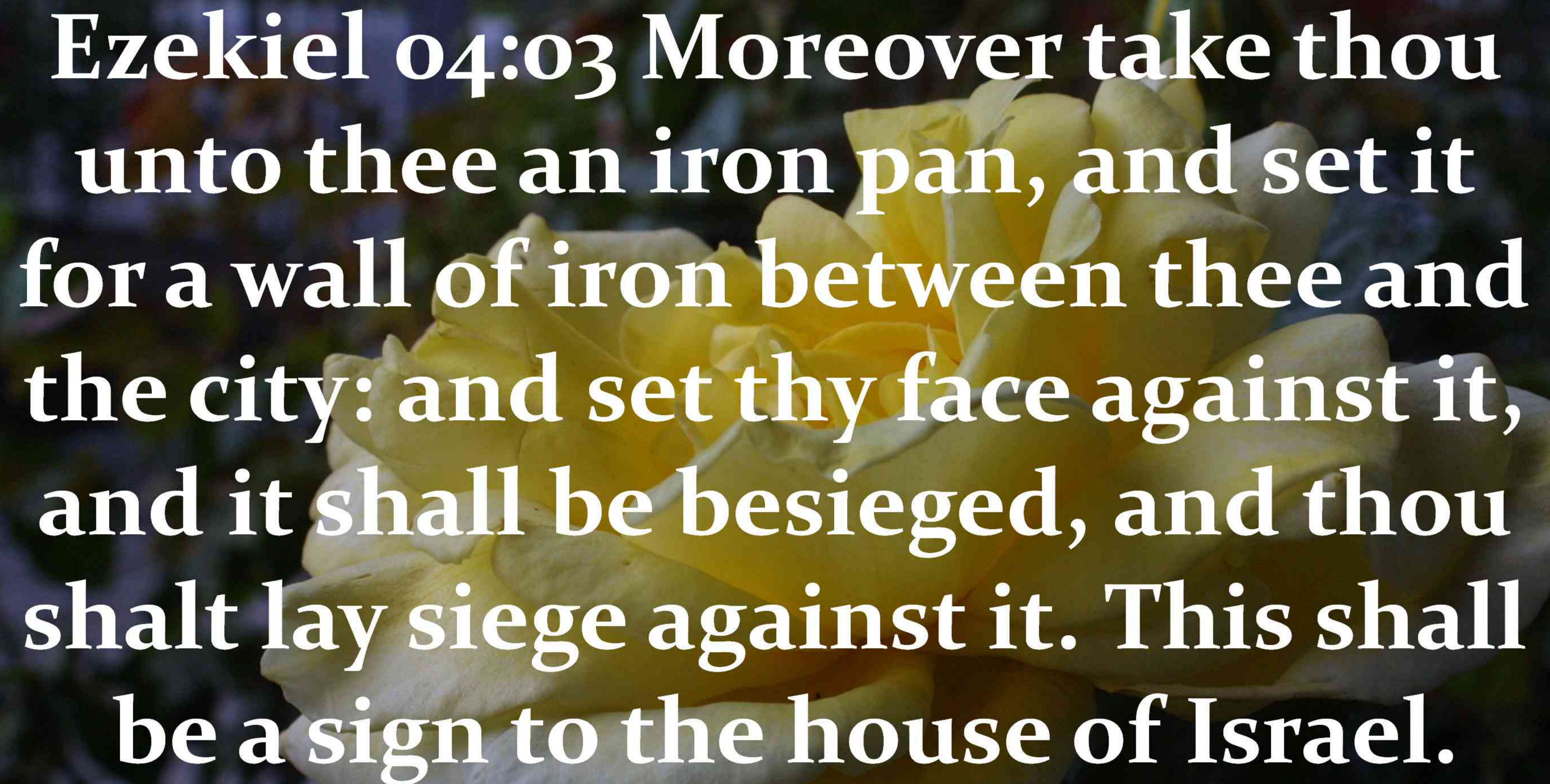




Ezekiel 04:02 And lay siege against it, and build a fort against it, and cast a mount against it; set the camp also against it, and set battering rams against it round about.

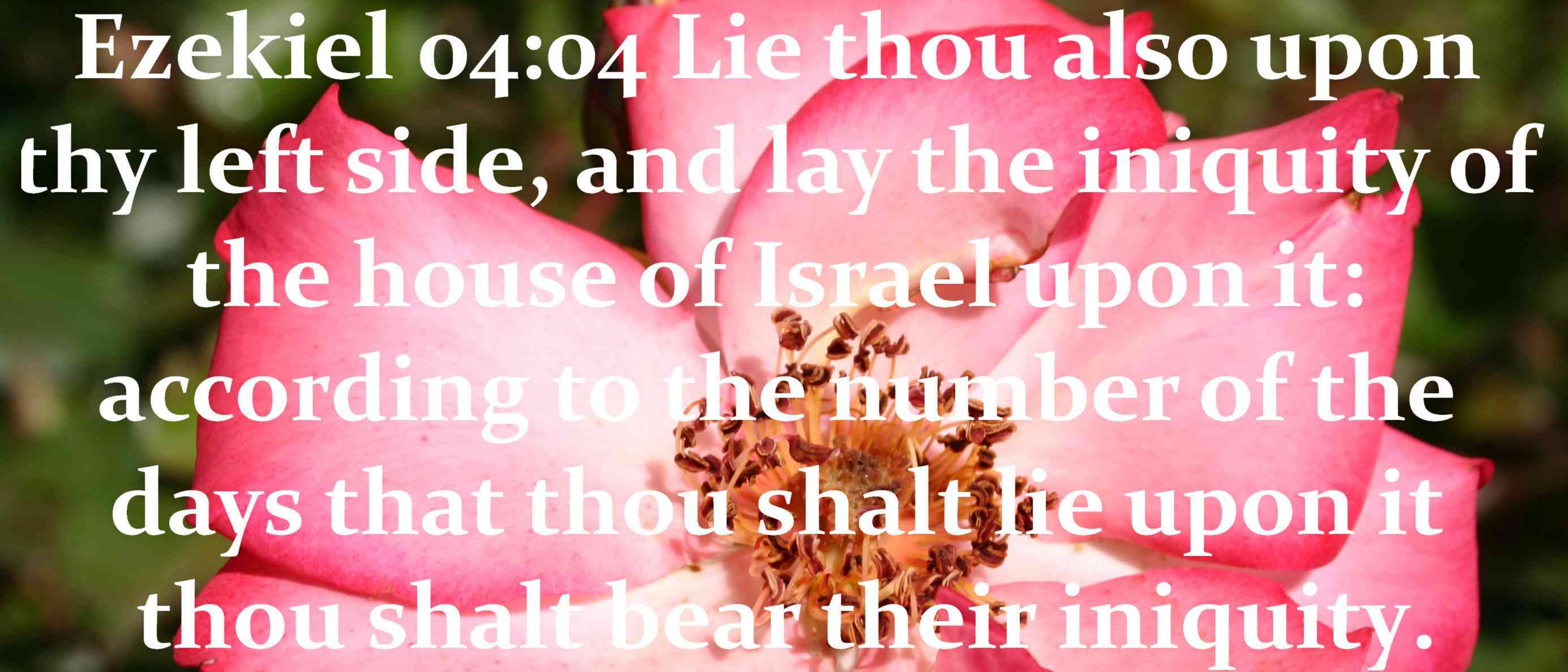






**Ezekiel 04:03 Moreover take thou  
unto thee an iron pan, and set it  
for a wall of iron between thee and  
the city: and set thy face against it,  
and it shall be besieged, and thou  
shalt lay siege against it. This shall  
be a sign to the house of Israel.**

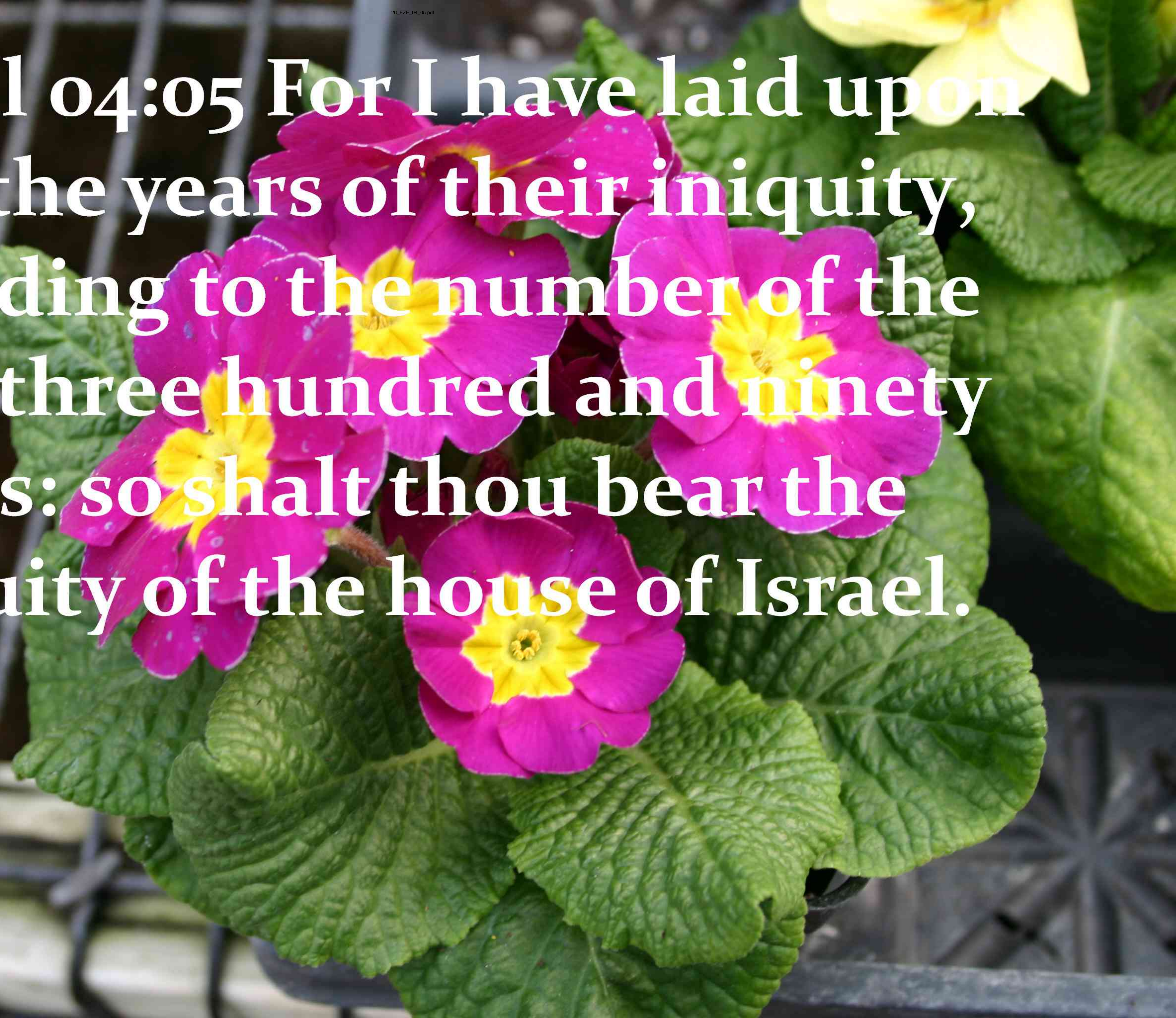




Ezekiel 04:04 Lie thou also upon  
thy left side, and lay the iniquity of  
the house of Israel upon it:  
according to the number of the  
days that thou shalt lie upon it  
thou shalt bear their iniquity.



Ezekiel 04:05 For I have laid upon thee the years of their iniquity, according to the number of the days, three hundred and ninety days: so shalt thou bear the iniquity of the house of Israel.

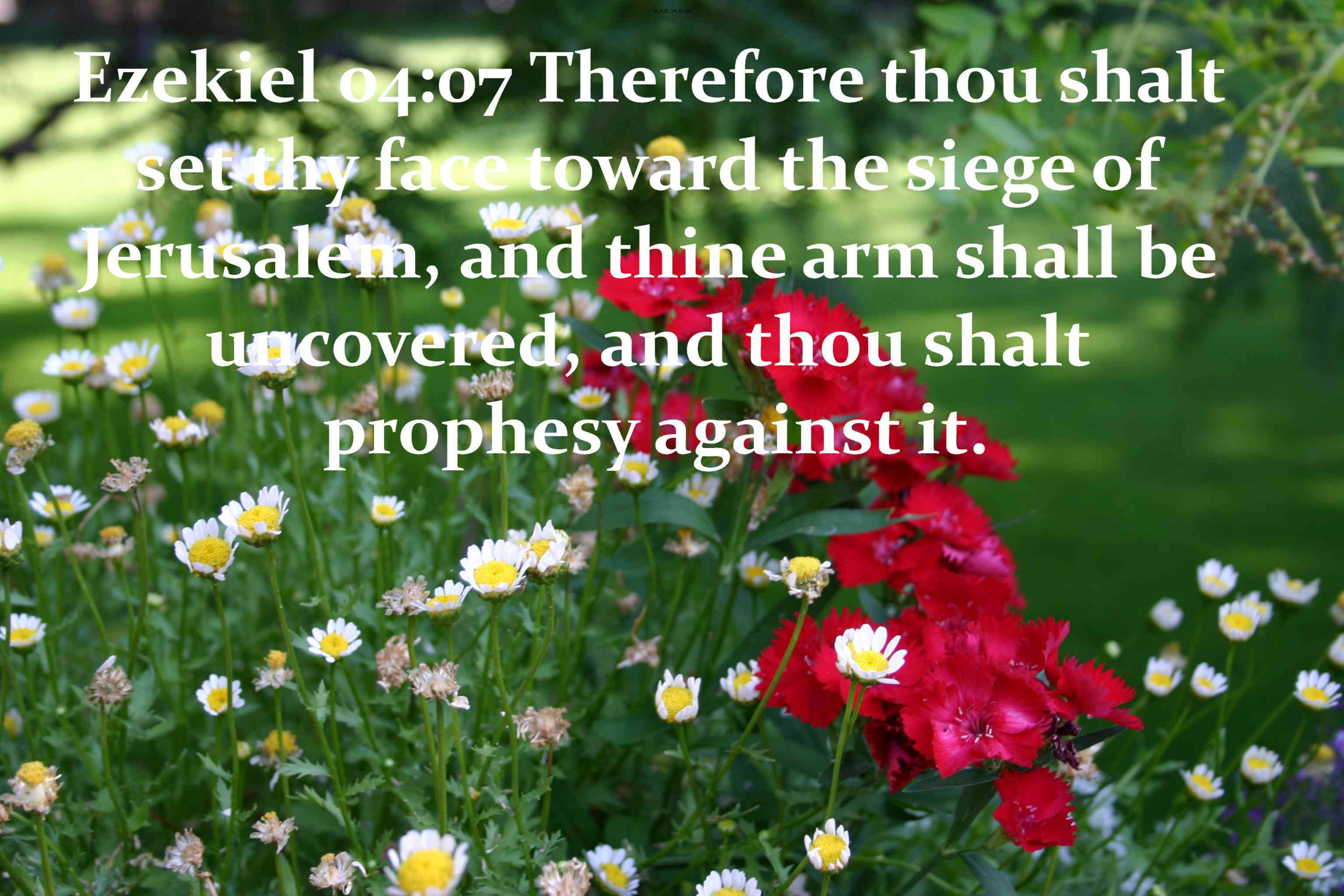




Ezekiel 04:06 And when thou hast accomplished them, lie again on thy right side, and thou shalt bear the iniquity of the house of Judah forty days: I have appointed thee each day for a year.



Ezekiel 04:07 Therefore thou shalt  
set thy face toward the siege of  
Jerusalem, and thine arm shall be  
uncovered, and thou shalt  
prophesy against it.





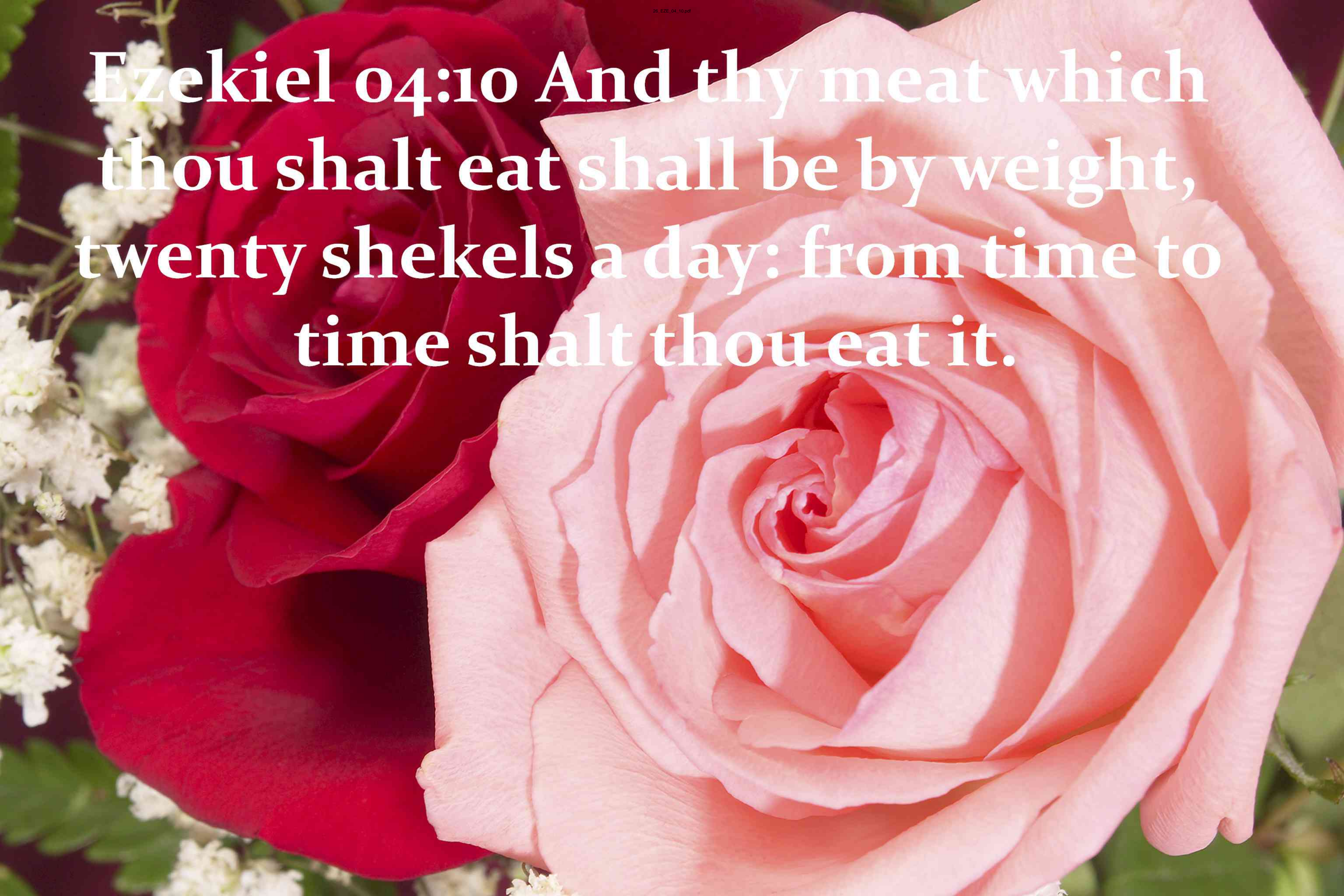
**Ezekiel 04:08 And, behold, I will  
lay bands upon thee, and thou  
shalt not turn thee from one side  
to another, till thou hast ended  
the days of thy siege.**



**Ezekiel 04:09 Take thou also unto thee wheat, and barley, and beans, and lentiles, and millet, and fitches, and put them in one vessel, and make thee bread thereof, according to the number of the days that thou shalt lie upon thy side, three hundred and ninety days shalt thou eat thereof.**



**Ezekiel 04:10 And thy meat which  
thou shalt eat shall be by weight,  
twenty shekels a day: from time to  
time shalt thou eat it.**





Ezekiel 04:11 Thou shalt drink also  
water by measure, the sixth part of  
an hin: from time to time shalt  
thou drink.





Ezekiel 04:12 And thou shalt eat it  
as barley cakes, and thou shalt  
bake it with dung that cometh out  
of man, in their sight.

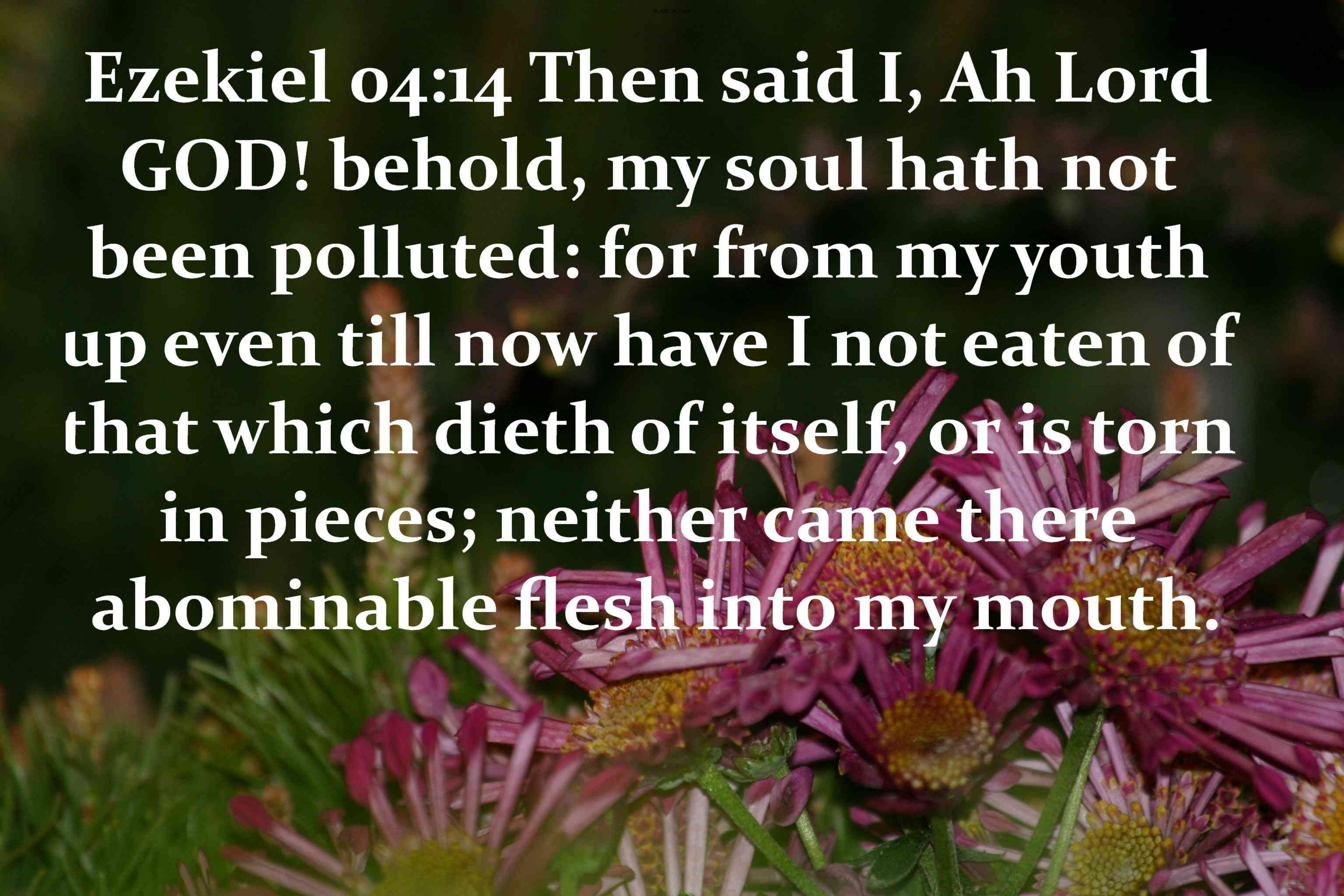


**Ezekiel 04:13 And the LORD said,  
Even thus shall the children of  
Israel eat their defiled bread  
among the Gentiles, whither I will  
drive them.**






Ezekiel 04:14 Then said I, Ah Lord  
GOD! behold, my soul hath not  
been polluted: for from my youth  
up even till now have I not eaten of  
that which dieth of itself, or is torn  
in pieces; neither came there  
abominable flesh into my mouth.

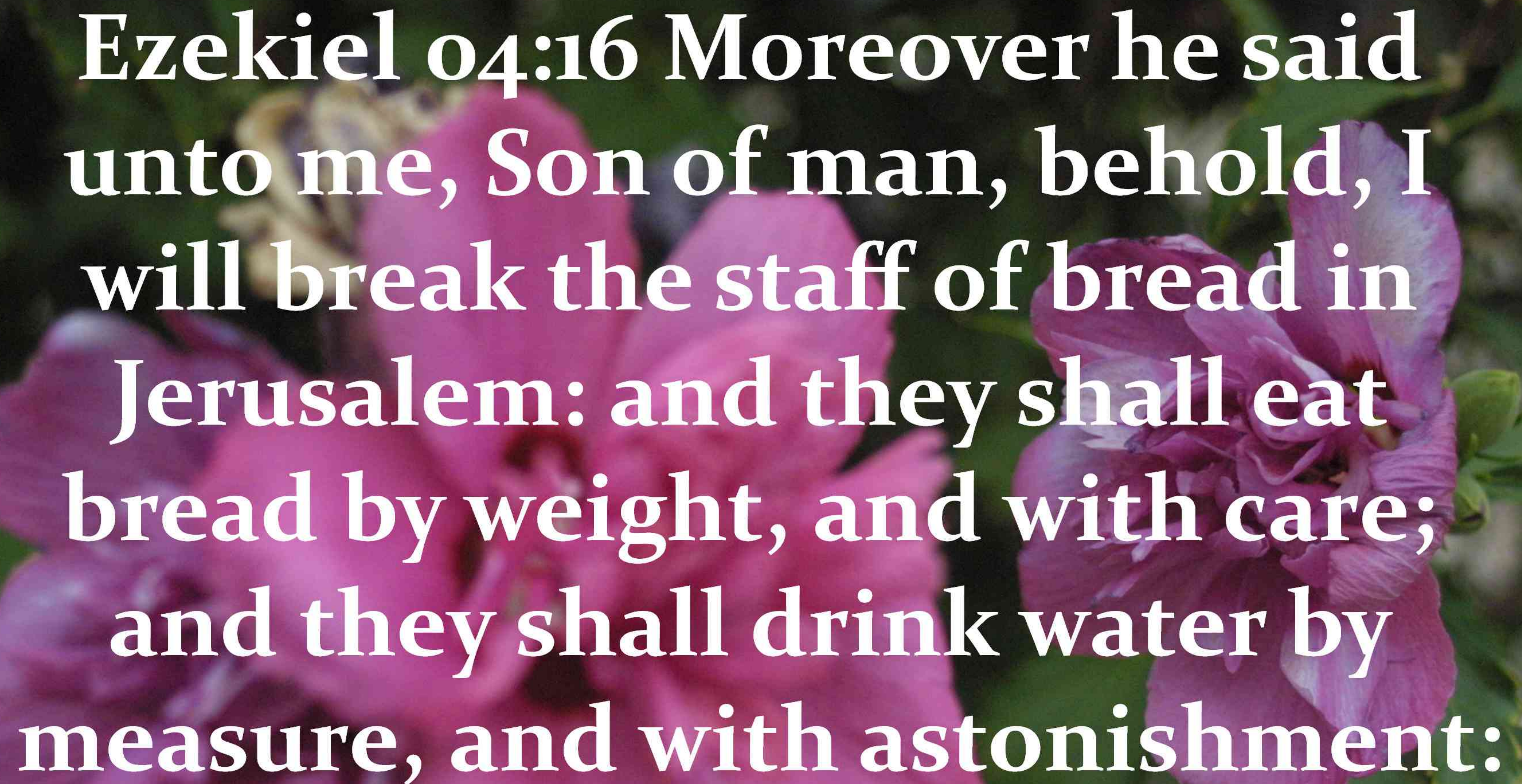




A close-up photograph of a dense field of flowers. The flowers are small, daisy-like, with white petals and pink centers. They are interspersed with green leaves. The background is a soft-focus field of similar flowers.

Ezekiel 04:15 Then he said unto me,  
Lo, I have given thee cow's dung  
for man's dung, and thou shalt  
prepare thy bread therewith.



A close-up photograph of several vibrant purple flowers, likely petunias, with green foliage in the background. The flowers are in various stages of bloom, with some showing deep purple and others lighter shades. The background is softly blurred, emphasizing the flowers in the foreground.

**Ezekiel 04:16 Moreover he said  
unto me, Son of man, behold, I  
will break the staff of bread in  
Jerusalem: and they shall eat  
bread by weight, and with care;  
and they shall drink water by  
measure, and with astonishment:**



Ezekiel 04:17 That they may want  
bread and water, and be astonished  
one with another, and consume  
away for their iniquity.