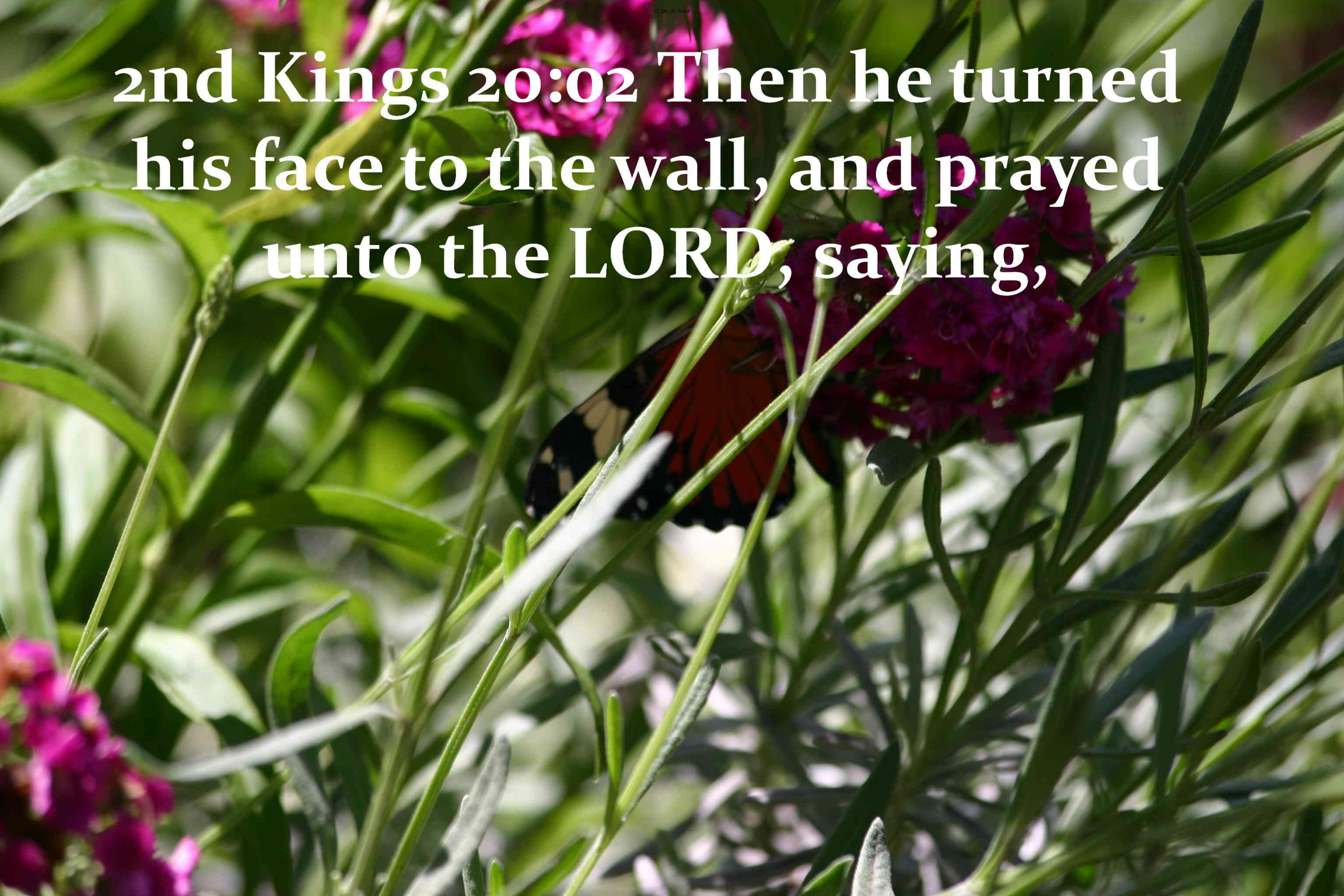


2nd Kings 20:01 In those days was  
Hezekiah sick unto death. And the  
prophet Isaiah the son of Amoz  
came to him, and said unto him,  
Thus saith the LORD, Set thine  
house in order; for thou shalt die,  
and not live.



2nd Kings 20:02 Then he turned  
his face to the wall, and prayed  
unto the LORD, saying,





2nd Kings 20:03 I beseech thee, O LORD, remember now how I have walked before thee in truth and with a perfect heart, and have done that which is good in thy sight. And Hezekiah wept sore.



2nd Kings 20:04 And it came to  
pass, afore Isaiah was gone out  
into the middle court, that the  
word of the LORD came to him,  
saying,





2nd Kings 20:05 Turn again, and  
tell Hezekiah the captain of my  
people, Thus saith the LORD, the  
God of David thy father, I have  
heard thy prayer, I have seen thy  
tears: behold, I will heal thee: on  
the third day thou shalt go up unto  
the house of the LORD.



2nd Kings 20:06 And I will add  
unto thy days fifteen years; and I  
will deliver thee and this city out  
of the hand of the king of Assyria;  
and I will defend this city for mine  
own sake, and for my servant  
David's sake.



2nd Kings 20:07 And Isaiah said,  
Take a lump of figs. And they took  
and laid it on the boil, and he  
recovered.

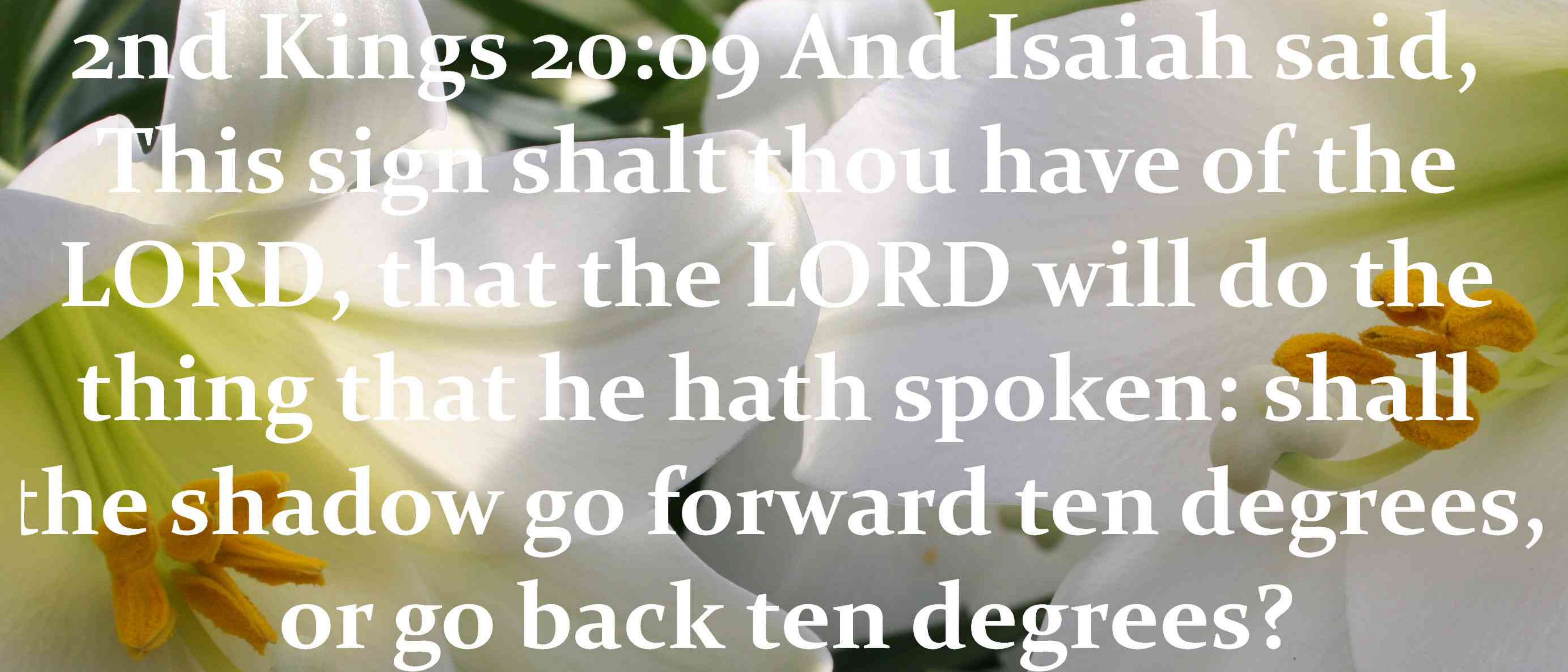




2nd Kings 20:08 And Hezekiah  
said unto Isaiah, What shall be the  
sign that the LORD will heal me,  
and that I shall go up into the  
house of the LORD the third day?







2nd Kings 20:09 And Isaiah said,  
This sign shalt thou have of the  
LORD, that the LORD will do the  
thing that he hath spoken: shall  
the shadow go forward ten degrees,  
or go back ten degrees?

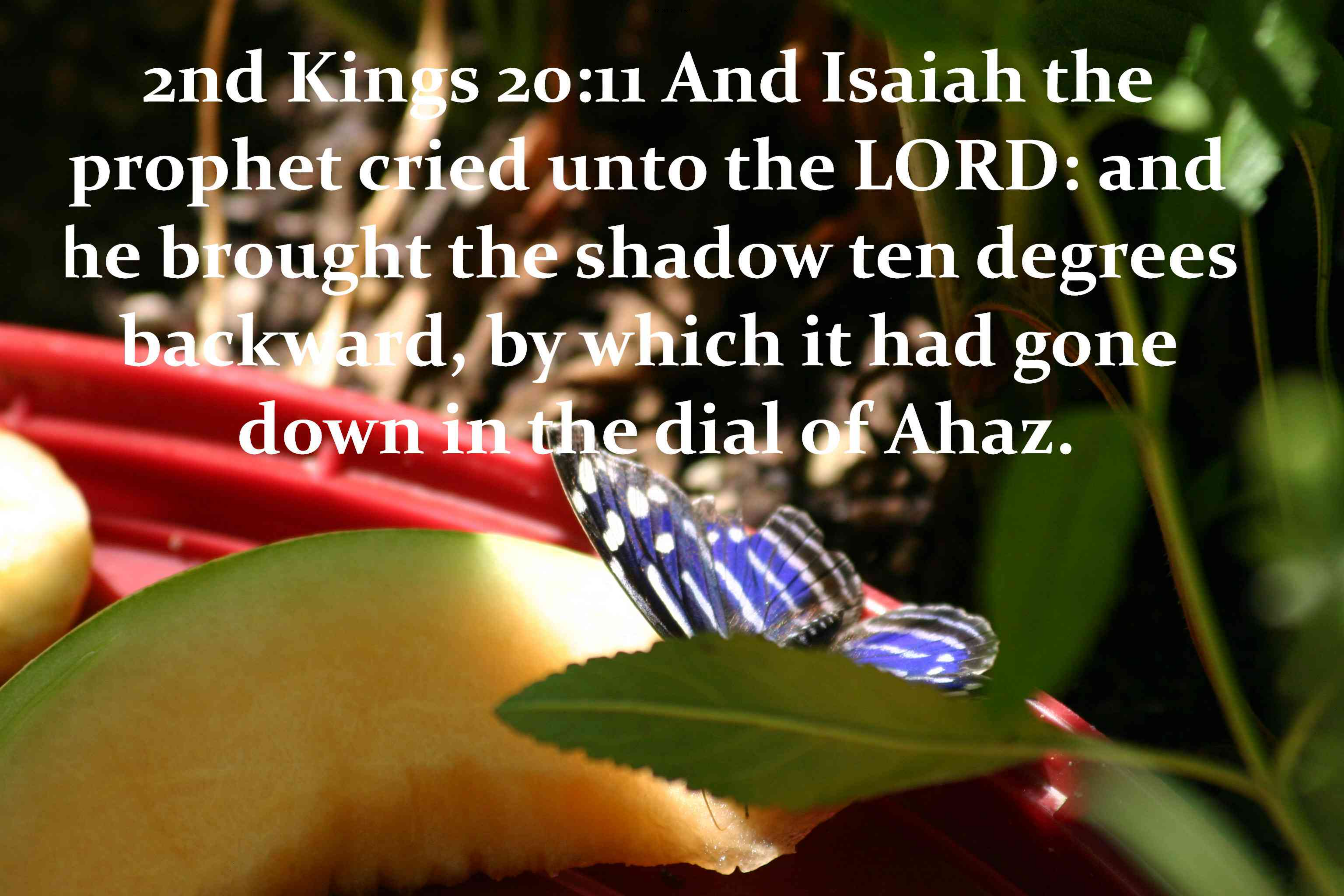


2nd Kings 20:10 And Hezekiah answered, It is a light thing for the shadow to go down ten degrees: nay, but let the shadow return backward ten degrees.





2nd Kings 20:11 And Isaiah the prophet cried unto the LORD: and he brought the shadow ten degrees backward, by which it had gone down in the dial of Ahaz.



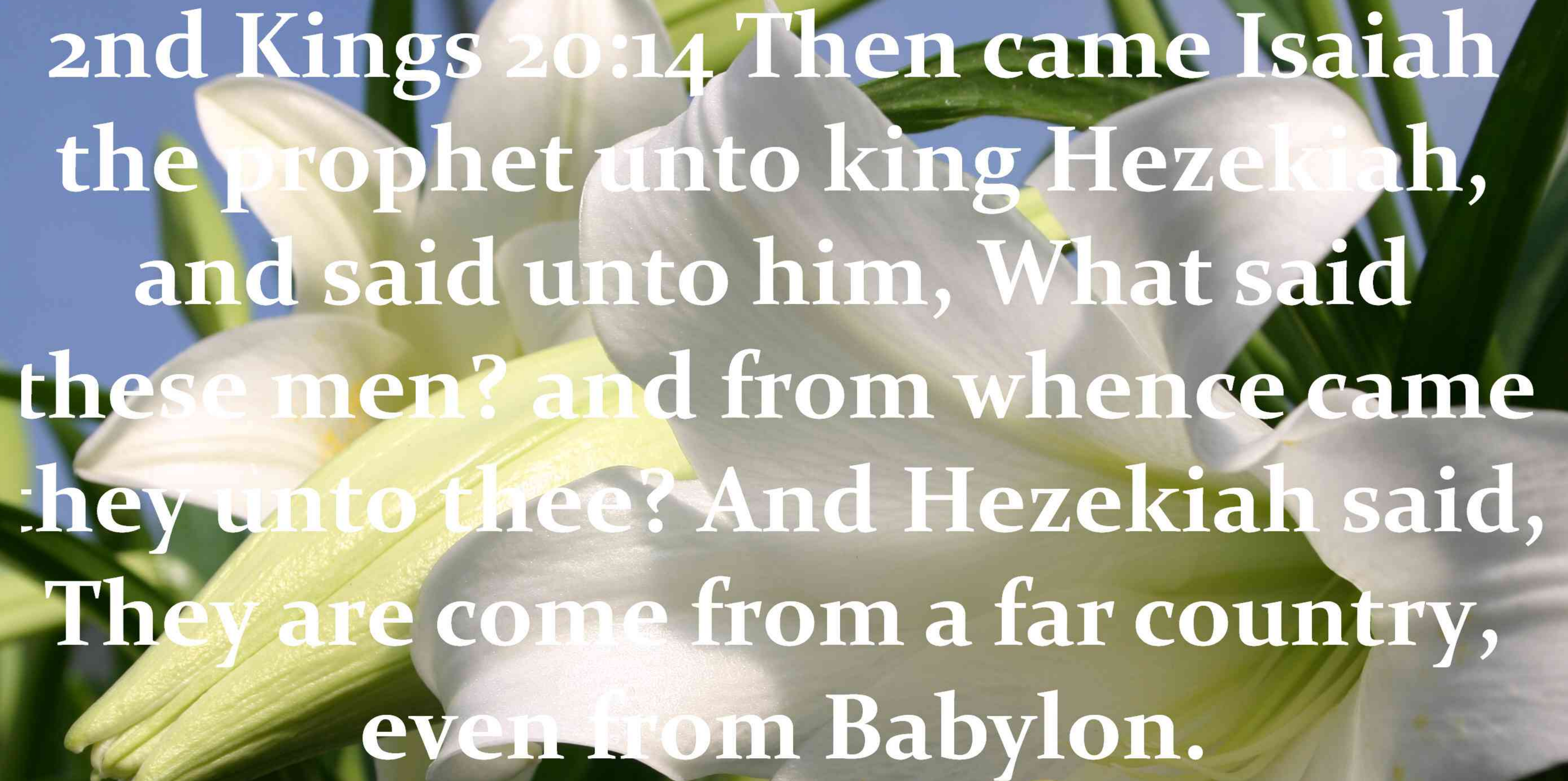


2nd Kings 20:12 At that time  
Berodachbaladan, the son of  
Baladan, king of Babylon, sent  
letters and a present unto  
Hezekiah: for he had heard that  
Hezekiah had been sick.



2nd Kings 20:13 And Hezekiah  
hearkened unto them, and showed  
them all the house of his precious  
things, the silver, and the gold,  
and the spices, and the precious  
ointment, and all the house of his  
armour, and all that was found in  
his treasures: there was nothing in  
his house, nor in all his dominion,

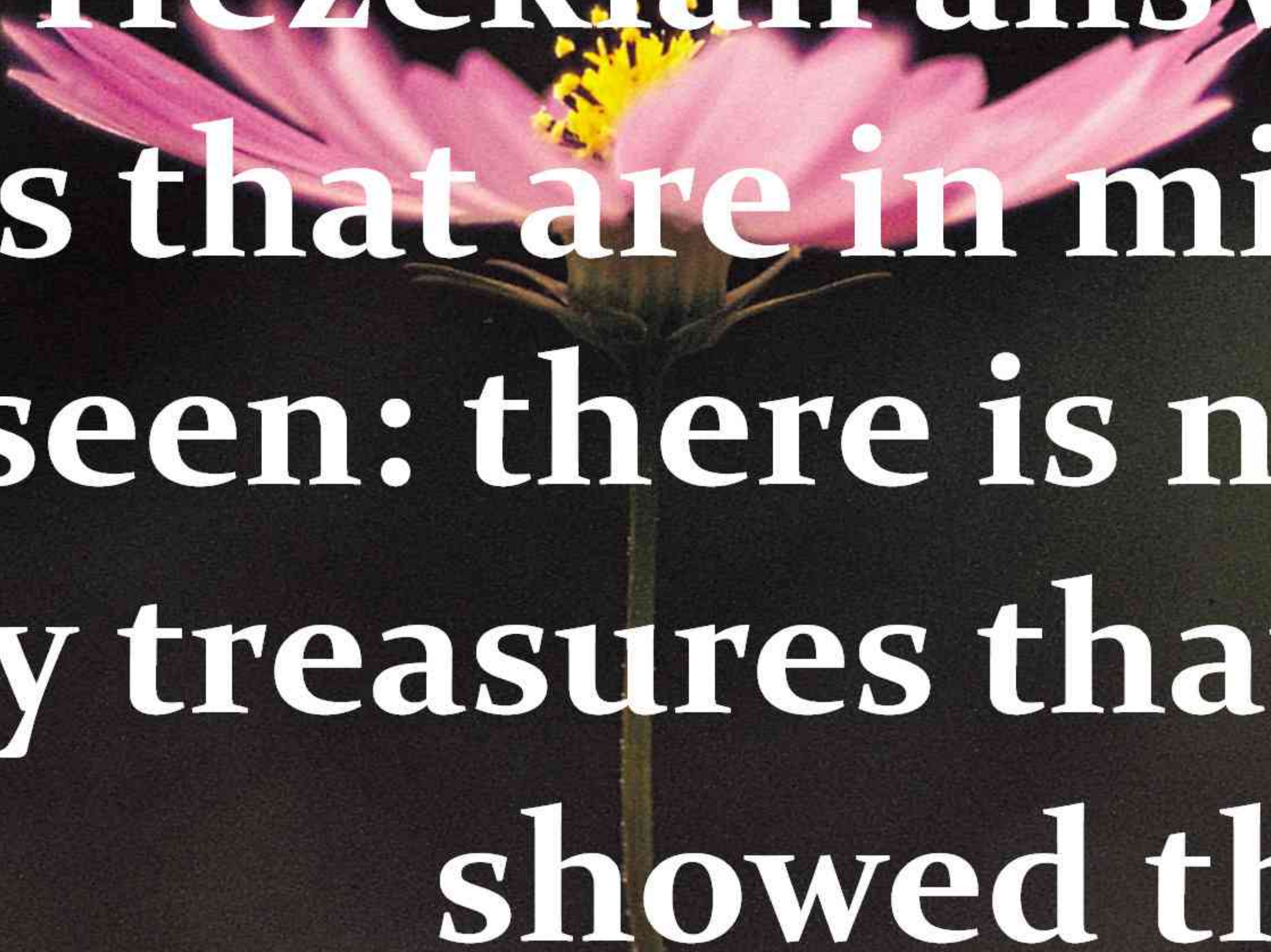




2nd Kings 20:14 Then came Isaiah  
the prophet unto king Hezekiah,  
and said unto him, What said  
these men? and from whence came  
they unto thee? And Hezekiah said,  
They are come from a far country,  
even from Babylon.



2nd Kings 20:15 And he said, What  
have they seen in thine house?  
And Hezekiah answered, All the  
things that are in mine house have  
they seen: there is nothing among  
my treasures that I have not  
showed them.





2nd Kings 20:16 And Isaiah said  
unto Hezekiah, Hear the word of  
the LORD.






2nd Kings 20:17 Behold, the days  
come, that all that is in thine  
house, and that which thy fathers  
have laid up in store unto this day,  
shall be carried into Babylon:  
nothing shall be left, saith the  
LORD.

A close-up photograph of an orange butterfly with black markings on its wings, perched on a cluster of small, vibrant pink flowers. The background is a soft-focus green, suggesting foliage. The text is overlaid in a white, serif font, centered on the image.



2nd Kings 20:18 And of thy sons  
that shall issue from thee, which  
thou shalt beget, shall they take  
away; and they shall be eunuchs in  
the palace of the king of Babylon.





2nd Kings 20:19 Then said  
Hezekiah unto Isaiah, Good is the  
word of the LORD which thou hast  
spoken. And he said, Is it not good ,  
if peace and truth be in my days?





2nd Kings 20:20 And the rest of the  
acts of Hezekiah, and all his might,  
and how he made a pool, and a  
conduit, and brought water into  
the city, are they not written in the  
book of the chronicles of the kings  
of Judah?





2nd Kings 20:21 And Hezekiah  
slept with his fathers: and  
Manasseh his son reigned in his  
stead.

