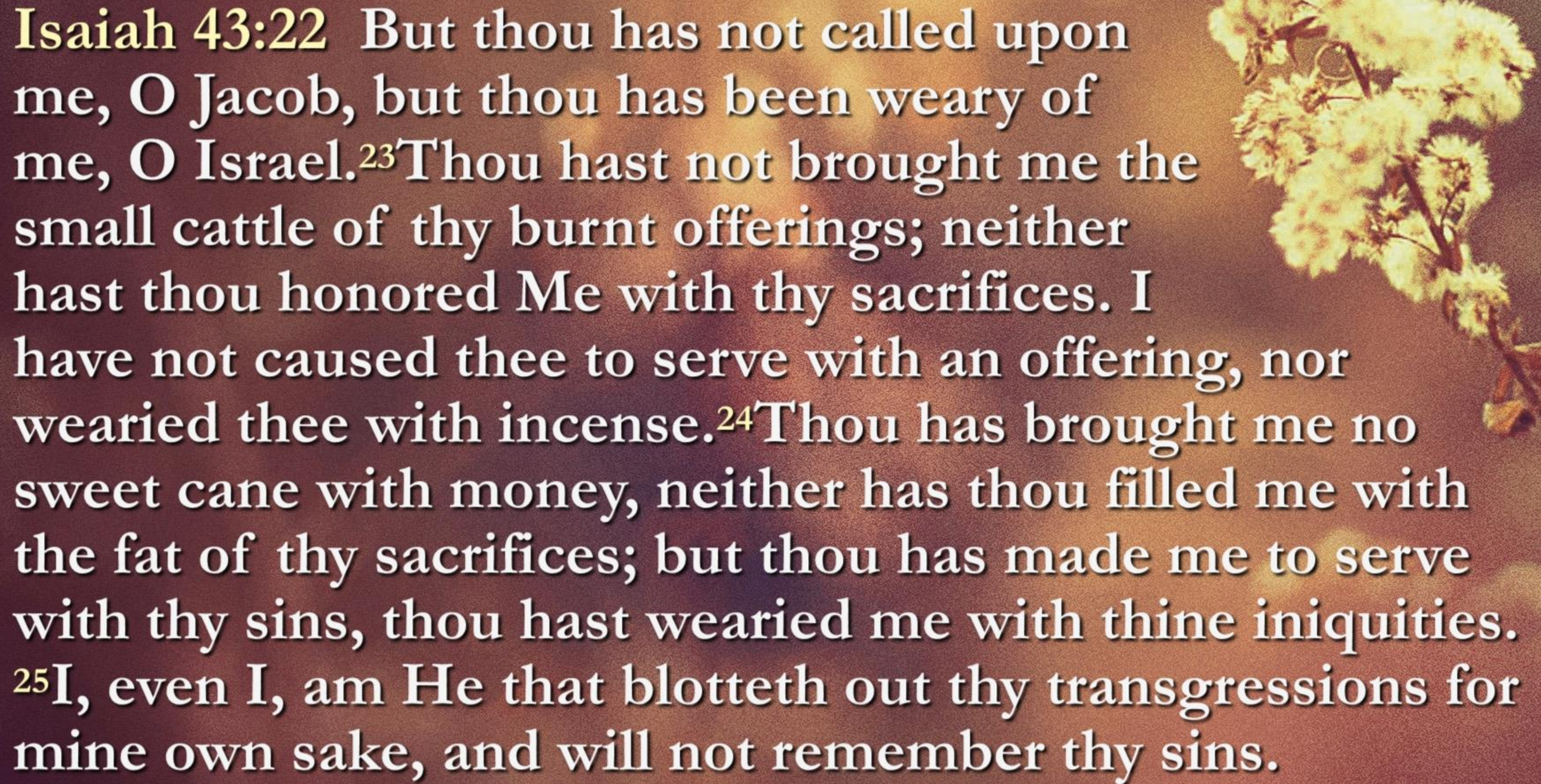




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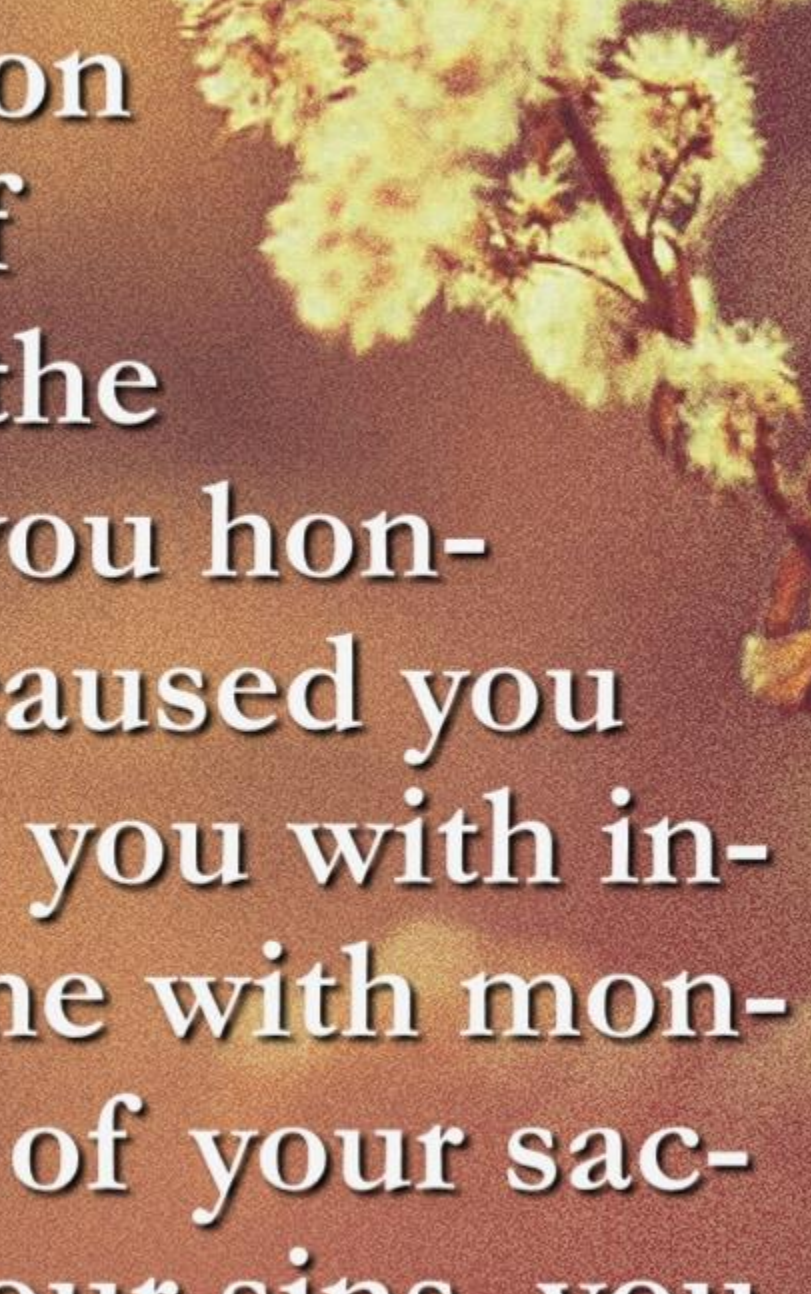
ISAIAH 43:22-25



Isaiah 43:22 But thou has not called upon me, O Jacob, but thou has been weary of me, O Israel.²³ Thou hast not brought me the small cattle of thy burnt offerings; neither hast thou honored Me with thy sacrifices. I have not caused thee to serve with an offering, nor wearied thee with incense.²⁴ Thou has brought me no sweet cane with money, neither has thou filled me with the fat of thy sacrifices; but thou has made me to serve with thy sins, thou hast wearied me with thine iniquities.²⁵ I, even I, am He that blotteth out thy transgressions for mine own sake, and will not remember thy sins.

THE PROBLEM: SUPERFICIAL SERVICE

Isaiah 43:22 “But you have not called upon Me, O Jacob; and you have been weary of Me, O Israel.²³ You have not brought Me the sheep for your burnt offerings, nor have you honored Me with your sacrifices. I have not caused you to serve with grain offerings, nor wearied you with incense.²⁴ You have bought Me no sweet cane with money, nor have you satisfied Me with the fat of your sacrifices; but you have burdened Me with your sins, you have wearied Me with your iniquities.”



THE PROBLEM: SUPERFICIAL SERVICE

2 Corinthians 9:7 Every man according as he purposeth in his heart, so let him give; not grudgingly, or of necessity: for God loveth a cheerful giver.



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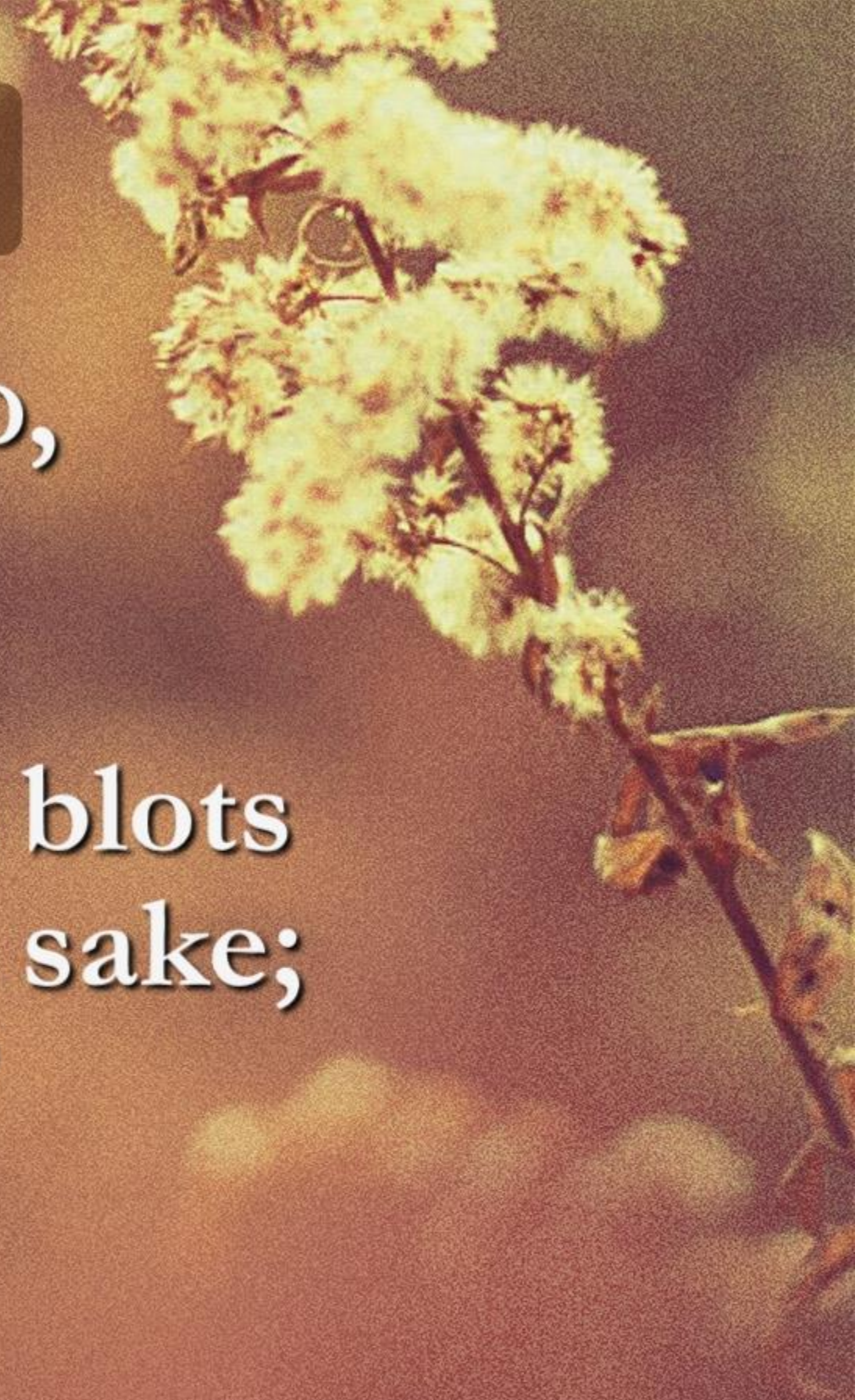
Psalm 122:1 I was glad when they said unto me, Let us go into the house of the LORD.

Psalm 84:2 My soul longs, yes, even faints for the courts of the LORD; my heart and my flesh cry out for the living God.³ Even the sparrow has found a home, and the swallow a nest for herself, where she may lay her young—even Your altars, O LORD of hosts, my King and my God.⁴ Blessed are those who dwell in Your house; they will still be praising You. Selah.

THE SOLUTION: THE SATISFYING SAVIOR

Isaiah 43:11 “I, even I, am the LORD, and besides Me there is no savior.”

Isaiah 43:25 “I, even I, am He who blots out your transgressions for My own sake; and I will not remember your sins.”



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Isaiah 53:4 Surely He has borne our griefs and carried our sorrows; yet we esteemed Him stricken, smitten by God, and afflicted.

⁵But He was wounded for our transgressions, He was bruised for our iniquities; the chastisement for our peace was upon Him, and by His stripes we are healed.⁶All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned, every one, to his own way; and the LORD has laid on Him the iniquity of us all.

THE SOLUTION: THE SATISFYING SAVIOR

Revelation 2:4 “Nevertheless I have this against you, that you have left your first love.
⁵Remember therefore from where you have fallen; repent and do the first works, or else I will come to you quickly and remove your lampstand from its place—unless you repent.”

Isaiah 43:26 “Put Me in remembrance; let us contend together; state your case, that you may be acquitted.”