



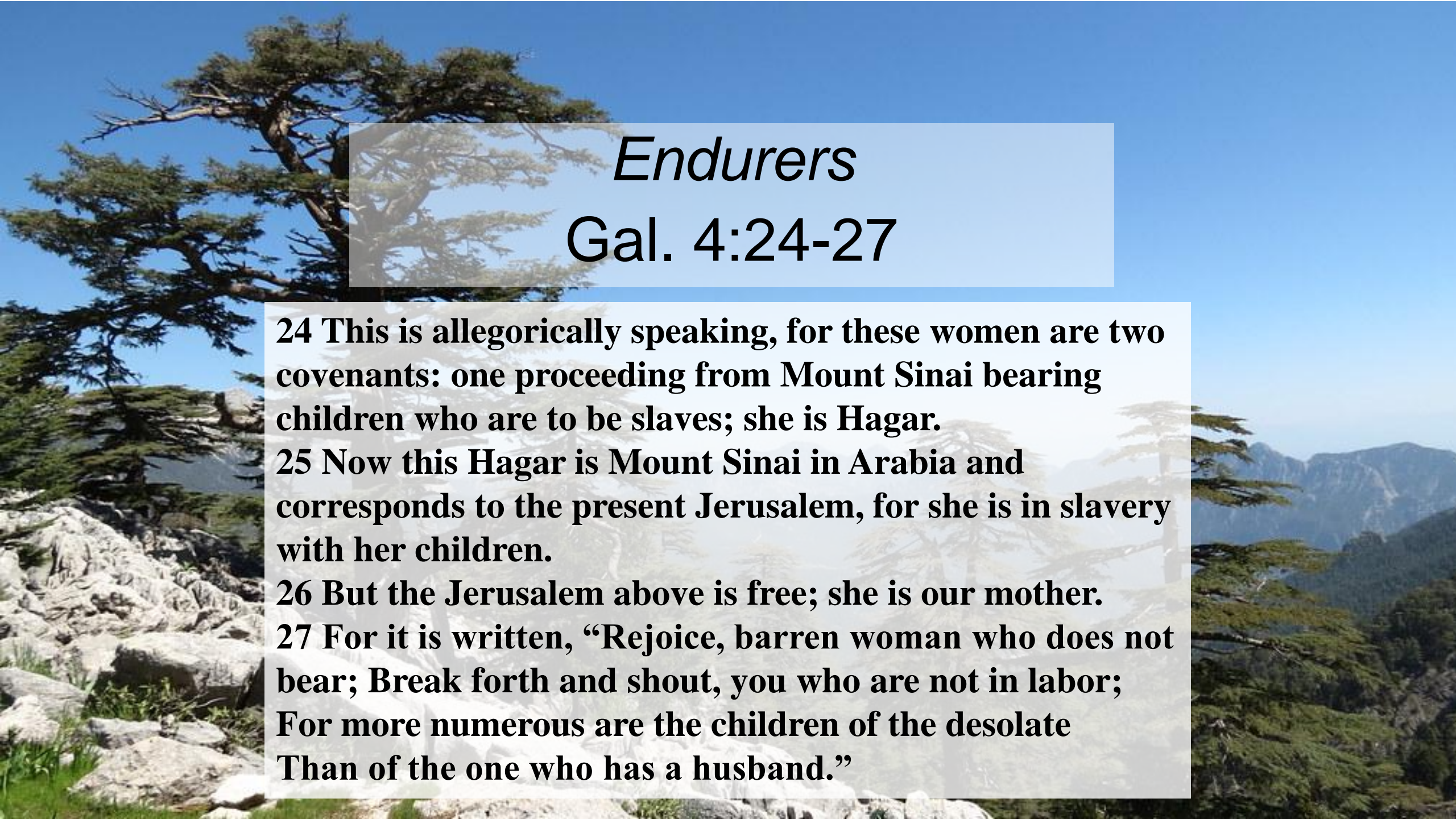
Think about It

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Gal. 4:19-23; 5:2

Salvation is born of God's goodness, grace and genius. If we "wield the tool" of our own earthly wisdom "on it," we "will profane it."

Lá Fhéile Pádraig
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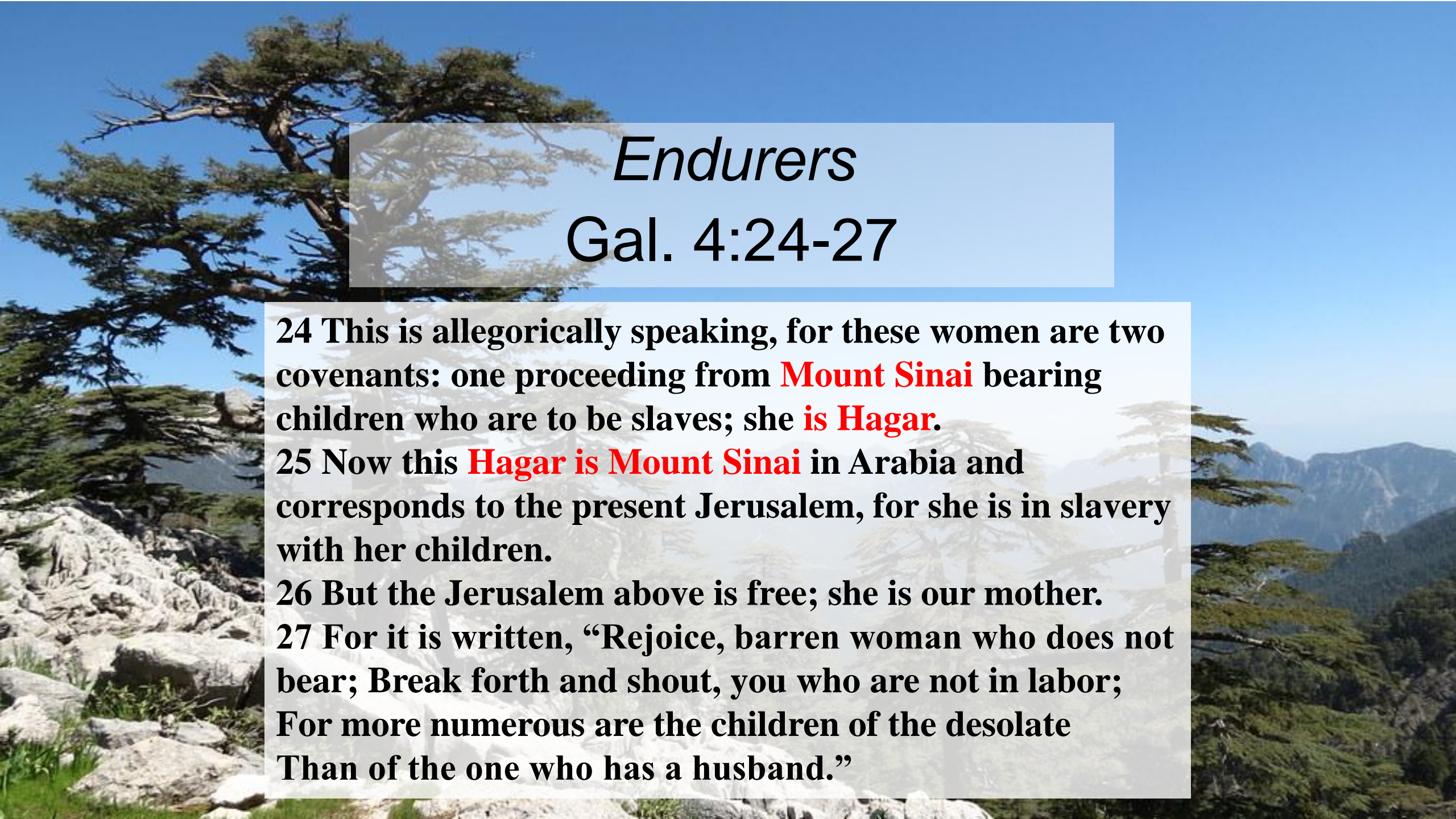
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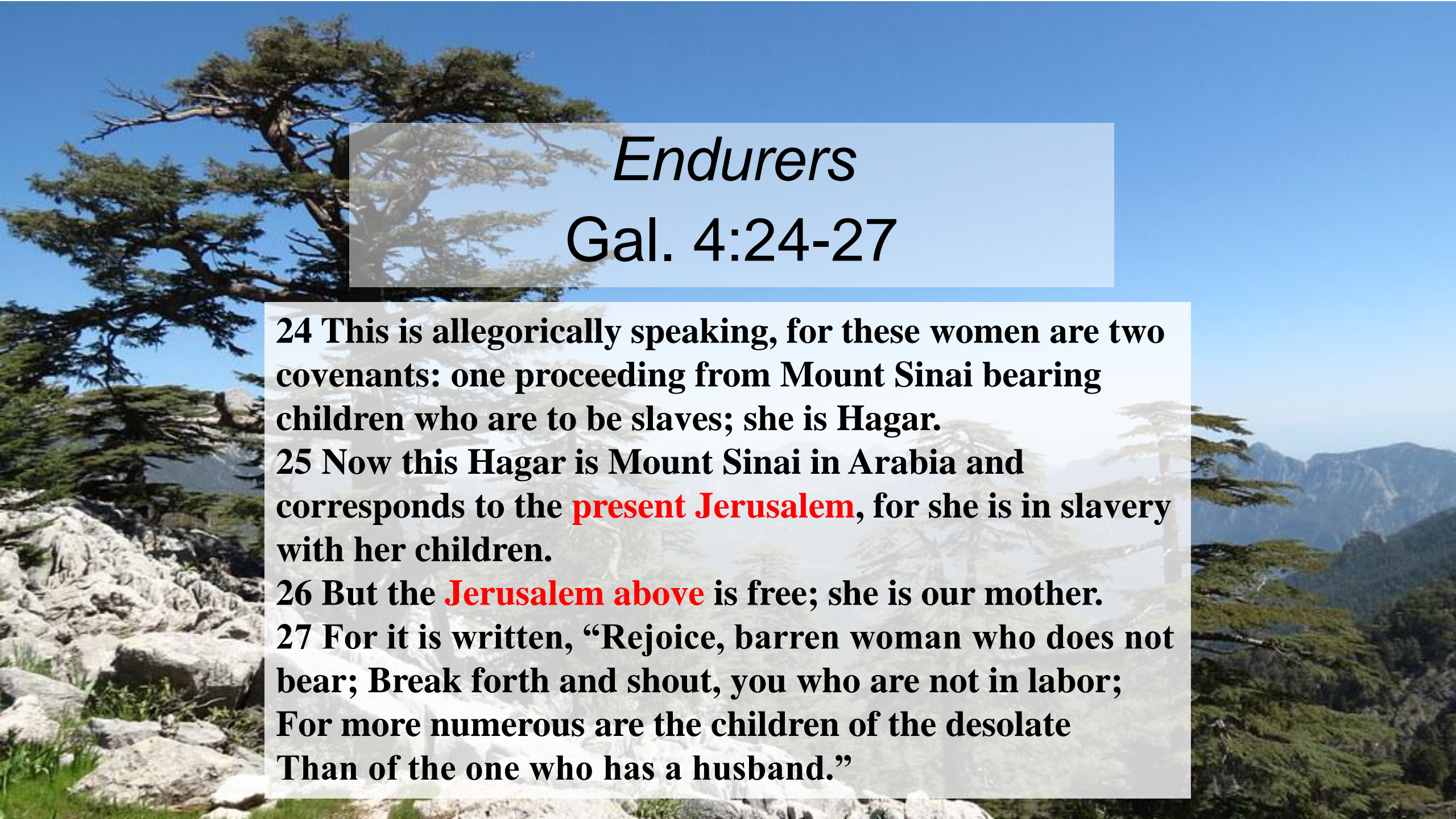
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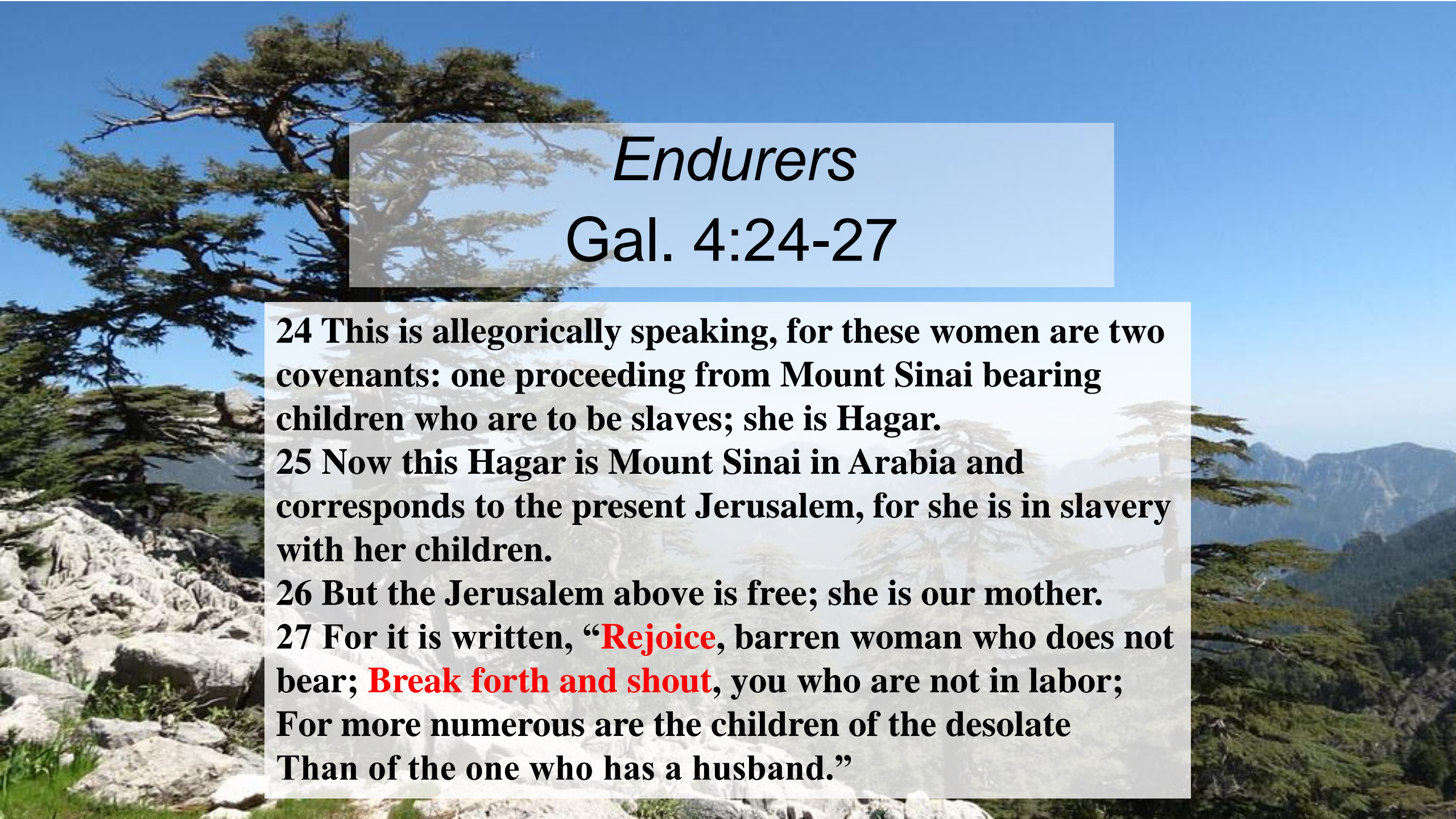
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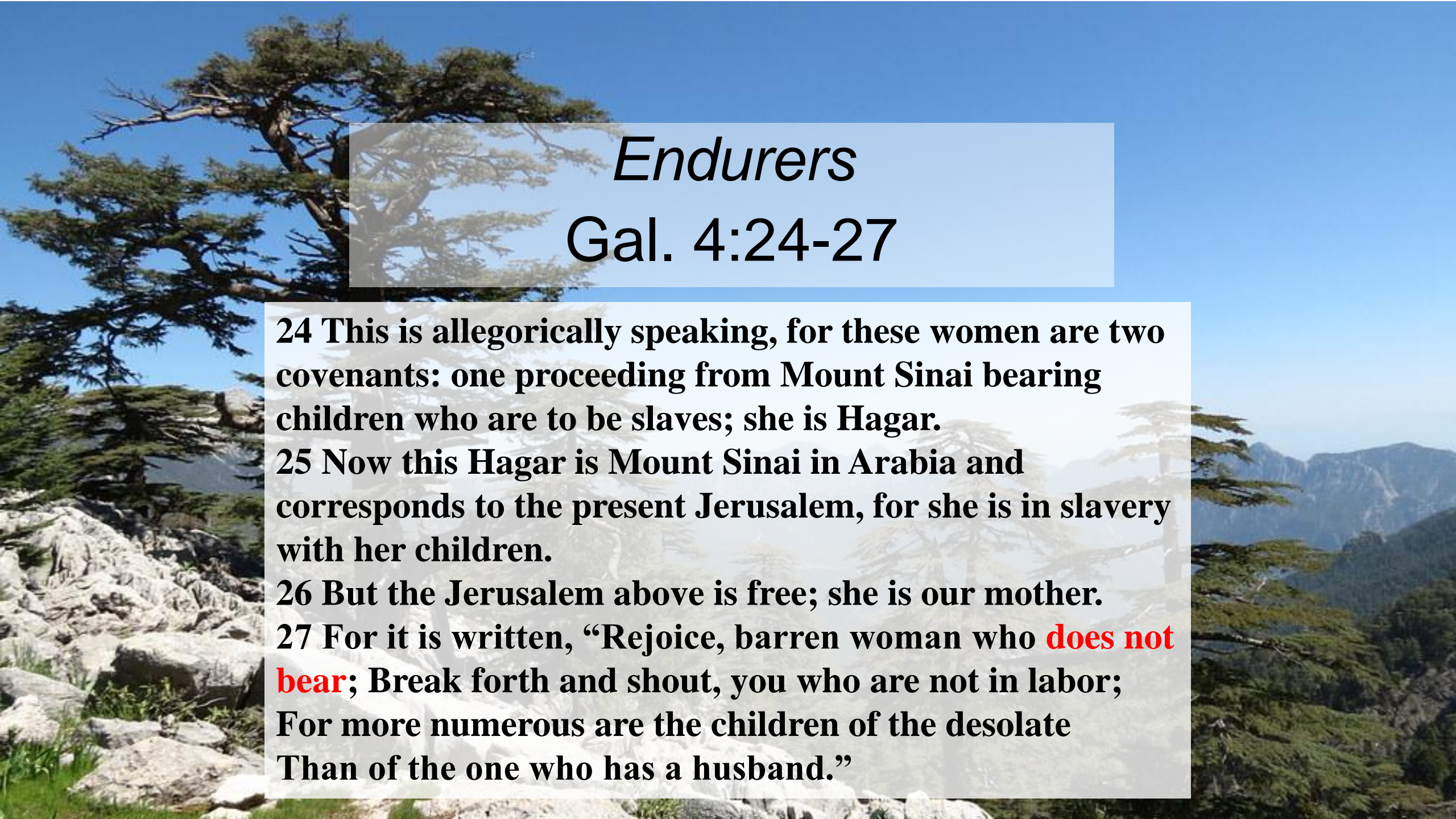
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A covenant based on our performance of the law will always keep us in bondage to an endless cycle of failure because of the weakness of our flesh. Only a covenant based on another's perfect satisfaction of the law can liberate us.