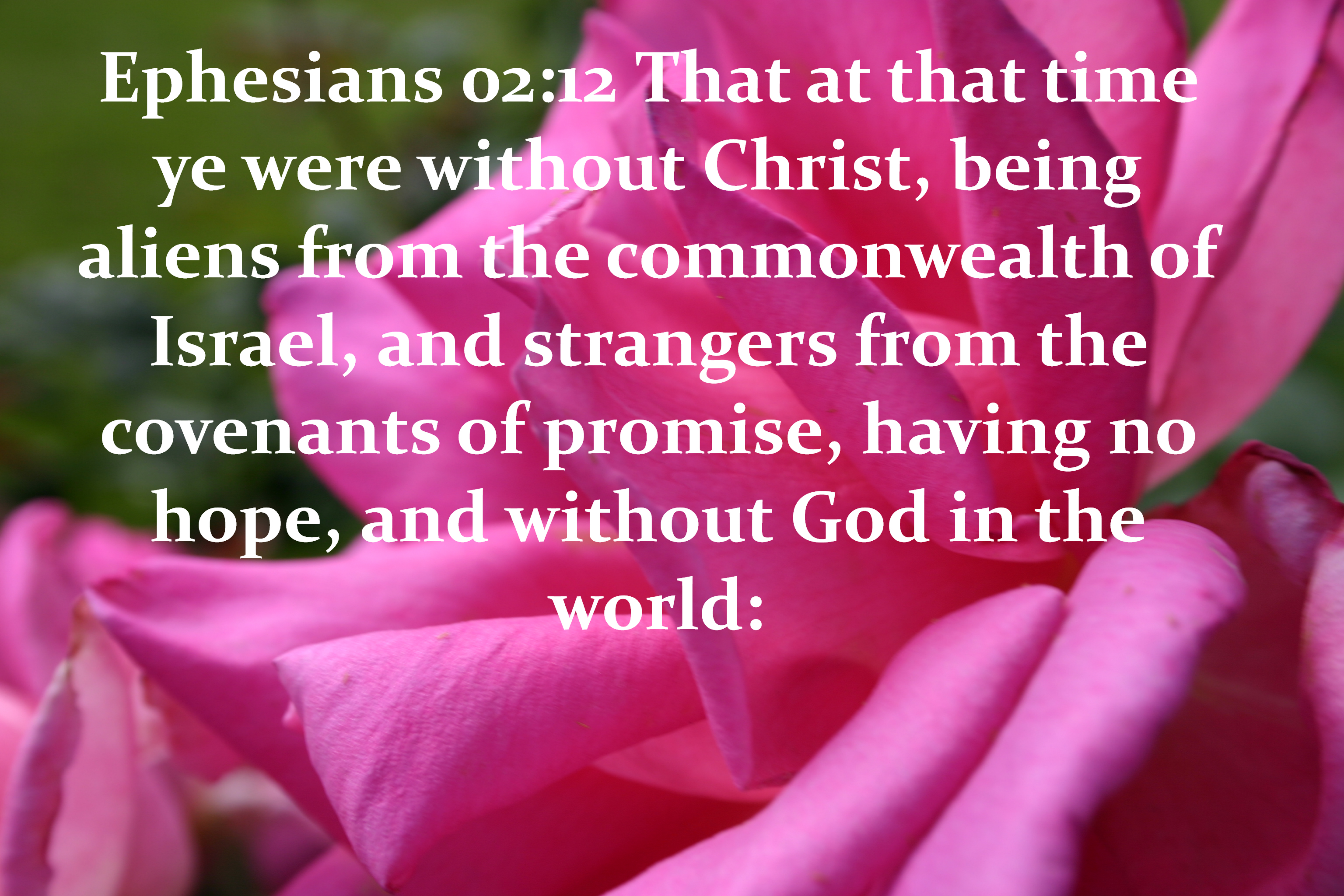


A close-up photograph of a pink rose, with its petals in various shades of pink and magenta, serving as the background for the text.

**Ephesians 02:12 That at that time
ye were without Christ, being
aliens from the commonwealth of
Israel, and strangers from the
covenants of promise, having no
hope, and without God in the
world:**