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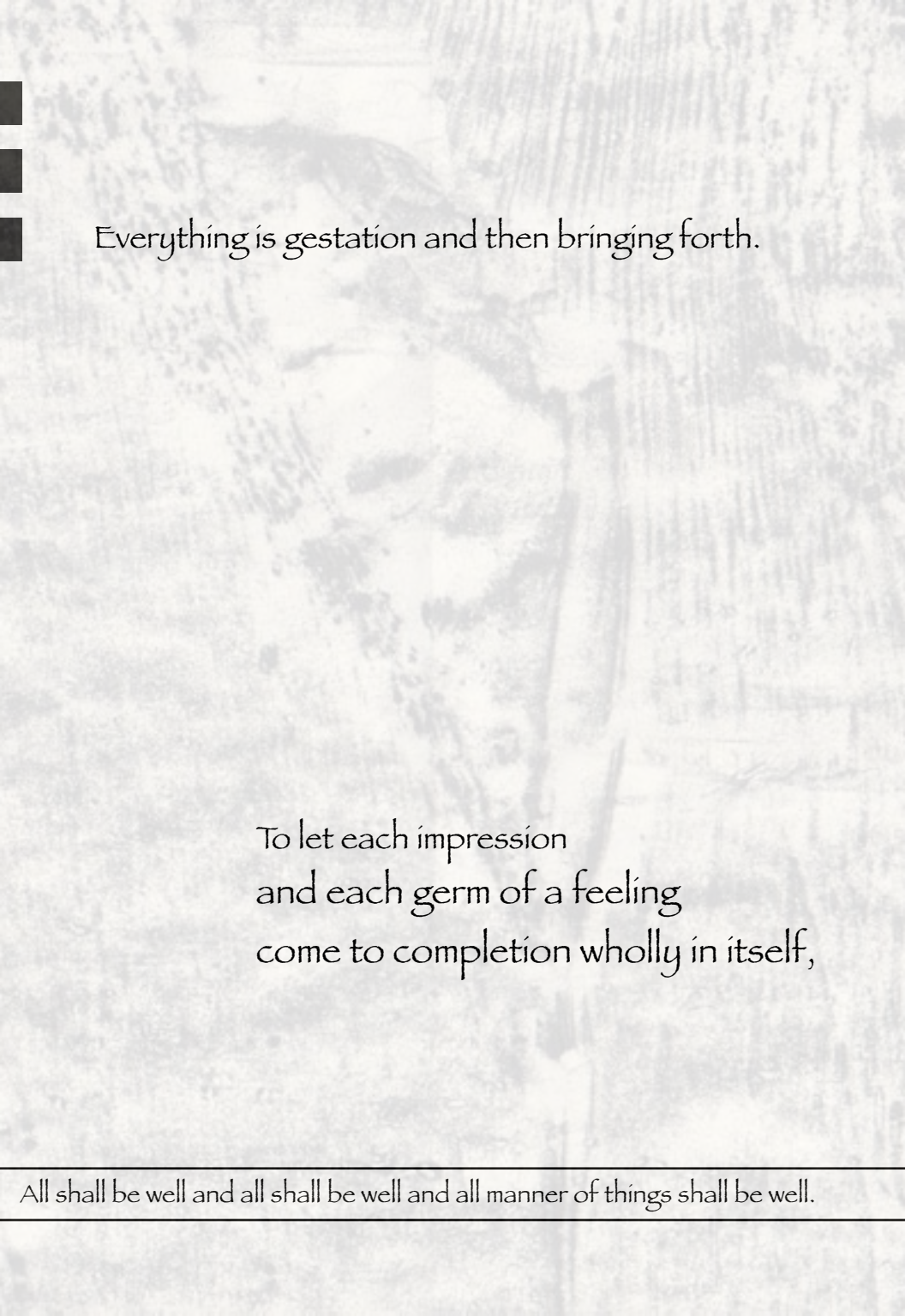
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...all progress must come from deep within
and cannot be pressed or hurried by anything.

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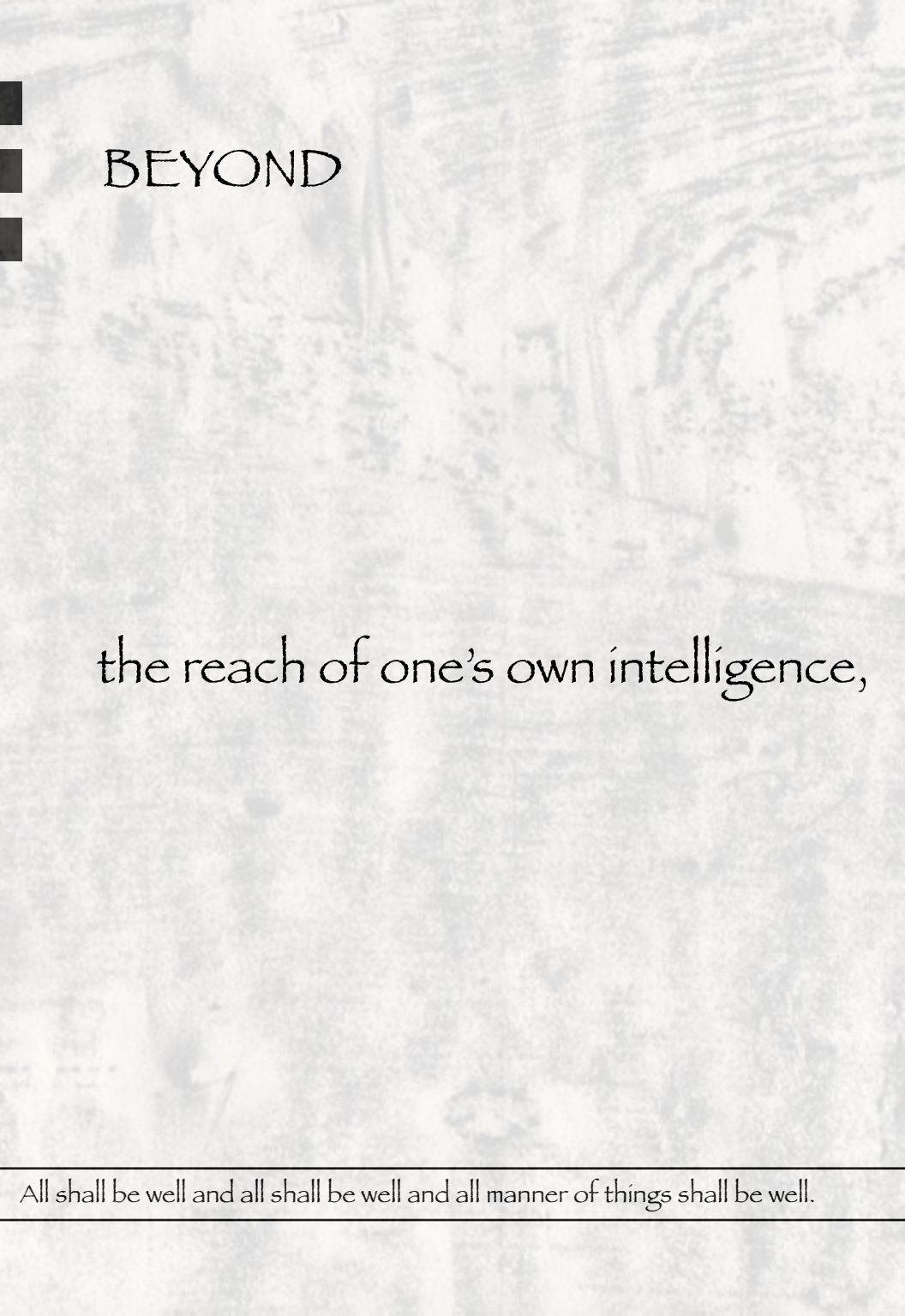
Everything is gestation and then bringing forth.

To let each impression
and each germ of a feeling
come to completion wholly in itself,

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in the dark,
in the inexpressible,
in the unconscious,

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BEYOND

the reach of one's own intelligence,

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and await
with deep humility
and patience,

the birth-hour of a new clarity:

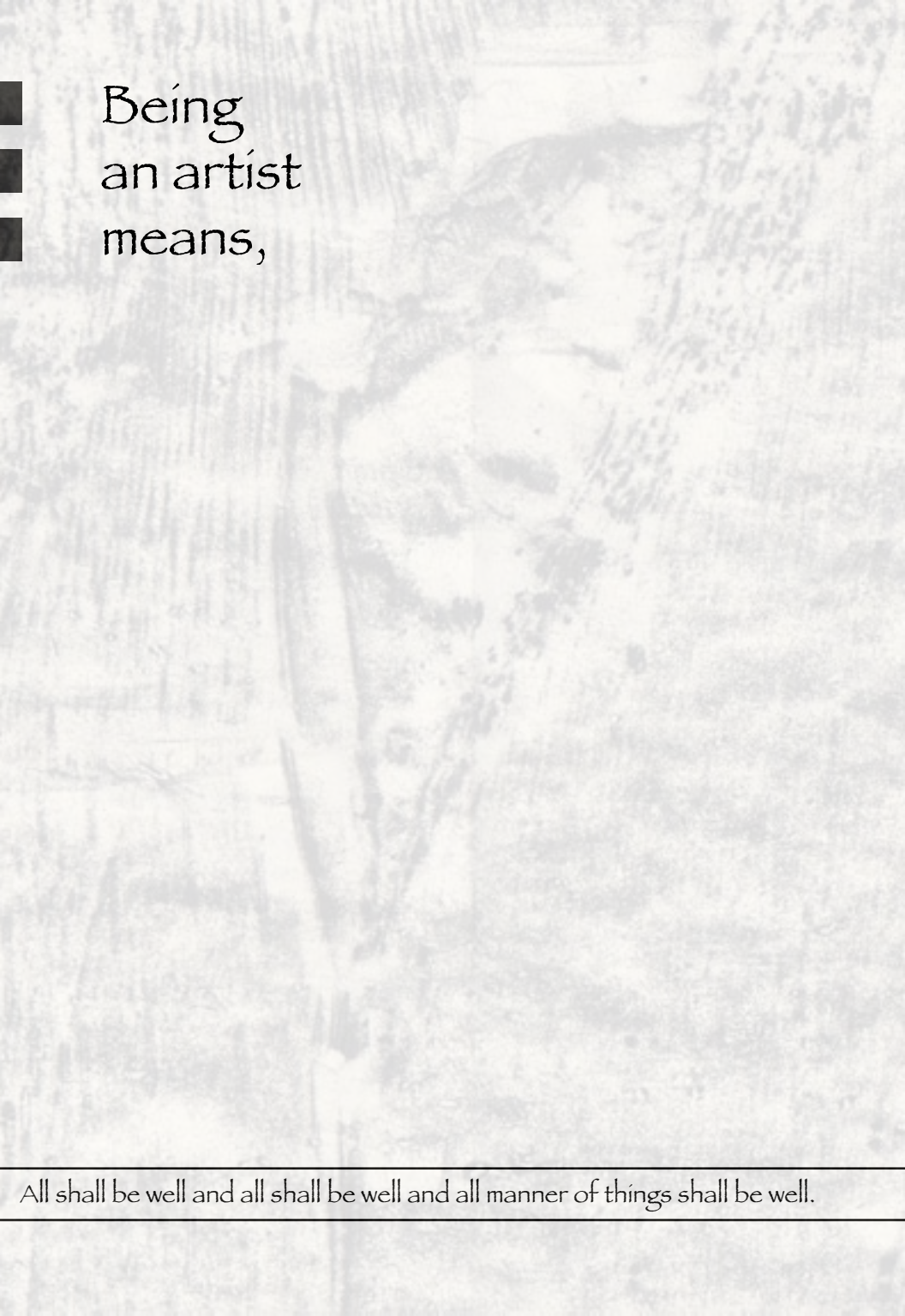
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■ THAT ALONE,
■ is living the artist's life,
■ in UNDERSTANDING as in creating.

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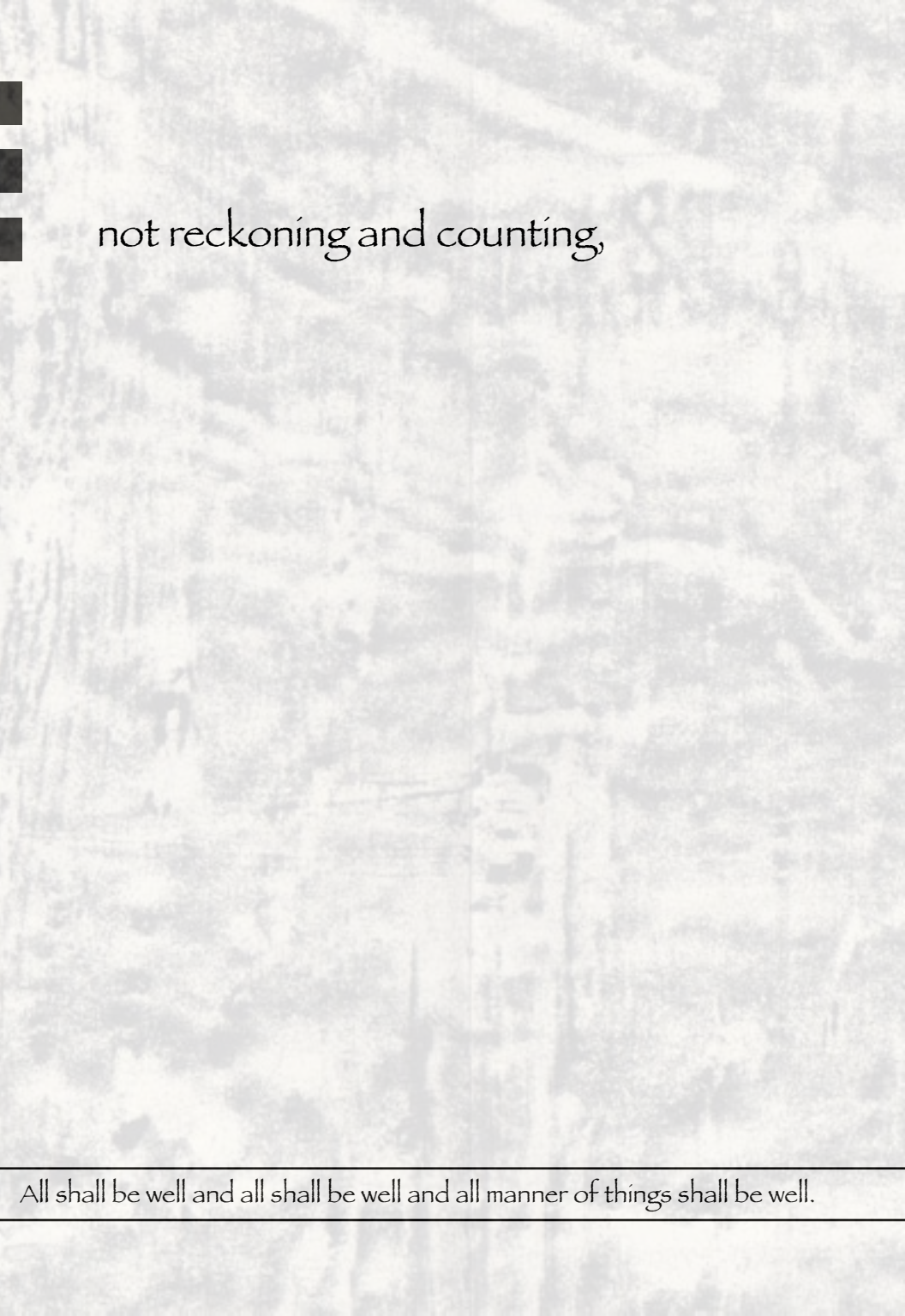
Here, there is no
measuring with time,
no year matters,
and ten years are nothing.

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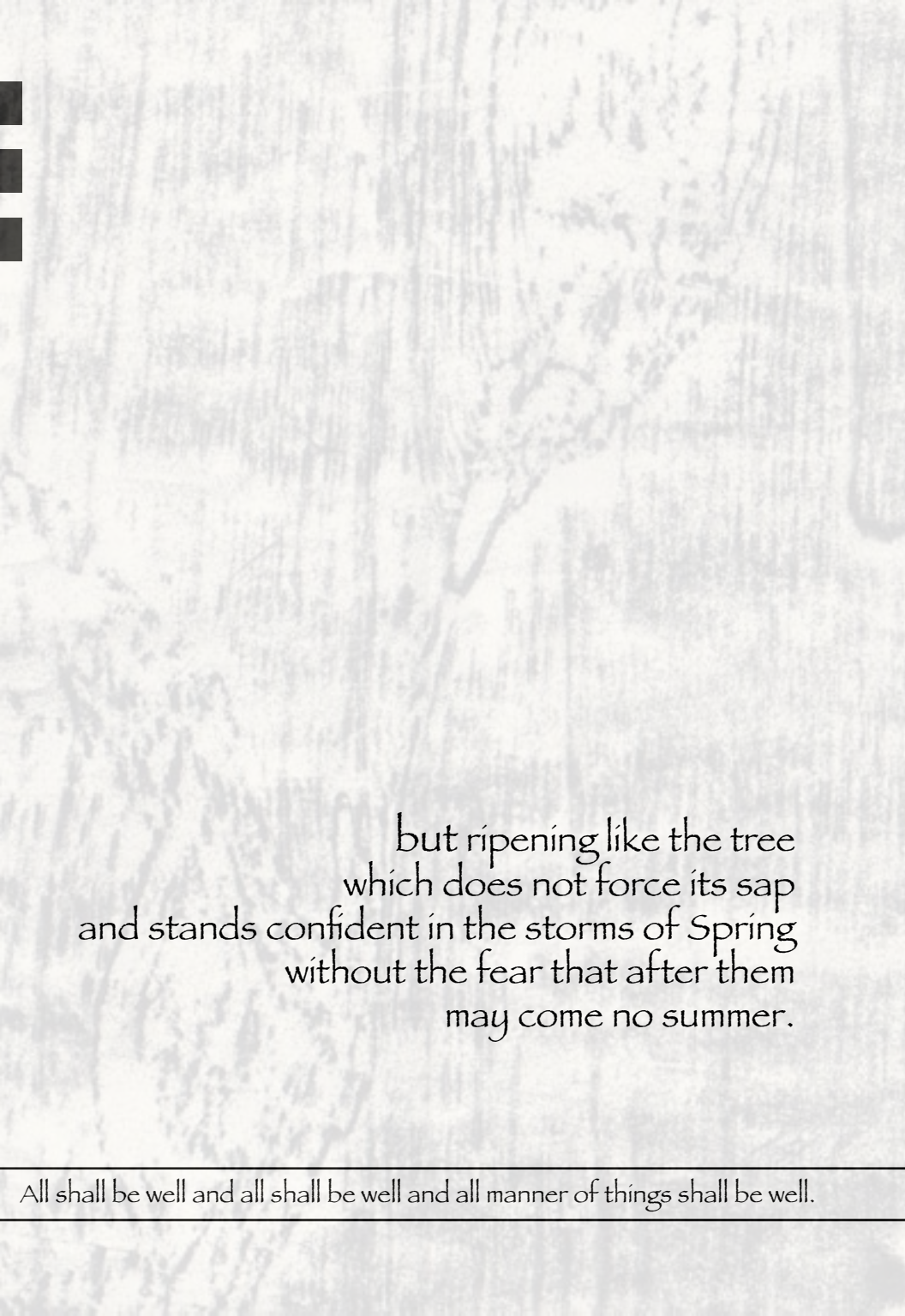
Being
an artist
means,

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not reckoning and counting,

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but ripening like the tree
which does not force its sap
and stands confident in the storms of Spring
without the fear that after them
may come no summer.

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IT DOES COME!

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But it comes only to the patient,
who are there although eternity lay before them,
so unconcernedly still and wide.

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■ I learn it daily,

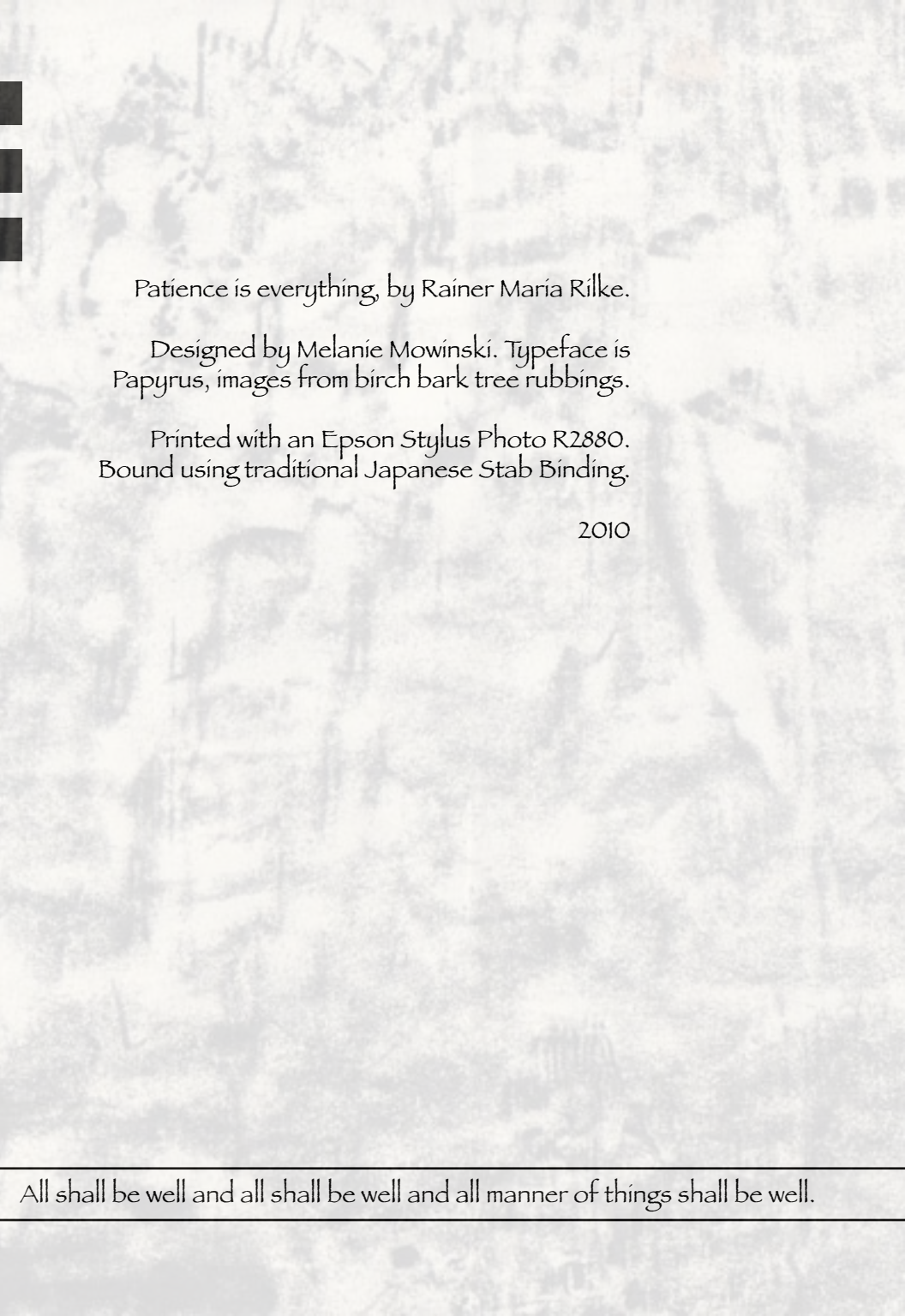
■ I learn it with pain to which I am grateful:

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The background of the page is a light-colored, textured surface covered in intricate, dark, and somewhat abstract patterns that resemble birch bark tree rubbings. The patterns are dense and organic, with various shades of grey and black. On the far left edge, there are three solid black rectangular shapes stacked vertically.

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