

The background is a vibrant red, adorned with various traditional Japanese motifs. In the upper right, there are stylized purple and white flowers with green leaves. A butterfly with brown and white wings is positioned near the top center. The lower half of the cover features a large, detailed illustration of a woman in a kimono, holding a parasol (wagasa) decorated with cherry blossoms. The kimono has a pattern of white squares on a red background. A large, light-colored peony flower is in the bottom left corner. Scattered throughout are numerous cherry blossoms in various stages of bloom, some in shades of pink and white, and others as simple green silhouettes. A circular motif with a wheel-like design is visible in the bottom right corner.

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