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َقَالَ ذَٰلِكَ مَا كُنَّا نَبْغِ فَارْتَدَ[ّ] اعَلَىٰ آثَارِهِمَا قَصَصًا

[Moses] said, "That is what we were seeking." So they returned,

following their footprints.