

The Saheeh International Quran Translation

حَتَّىٰ إِذَا بَلَغَ مَغْرِبَ الشَّمْسِ وَجَدَهَا تَغْرُبُ فِي عَيْنٍ حَمِئَةٍ ^{قُلْ} وَوَجَدَ عِنْدَهَا قَوْمًا قُلْنَا يَا ذَا
الْقُرْنَيْنِ إِنَّمَا أَنْتَ تُعَذِّبُ وَإِنَّمَا أَنْتَ تَتَّخِذُ فِيهِمْ حُسْنًا

Until, when he reached the setting of the sun, he found it [as if] setting

in a spring of dark mud, and he found near it a people. Allah said, "O

Dhul-Qarnayn, either you punish [them] or else adopt among them [a

way of] goodness."