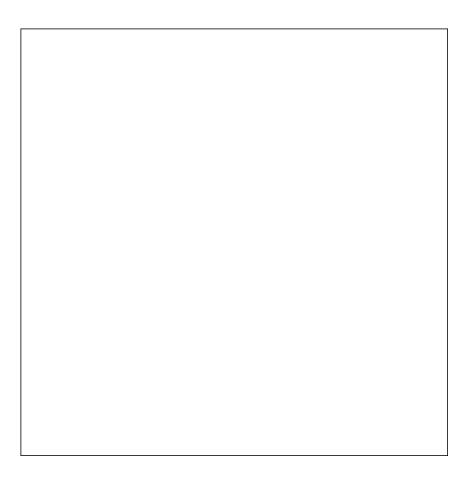


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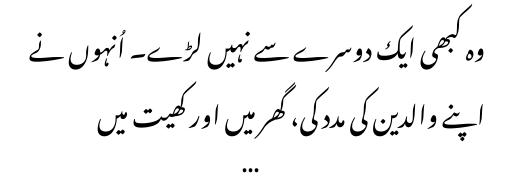
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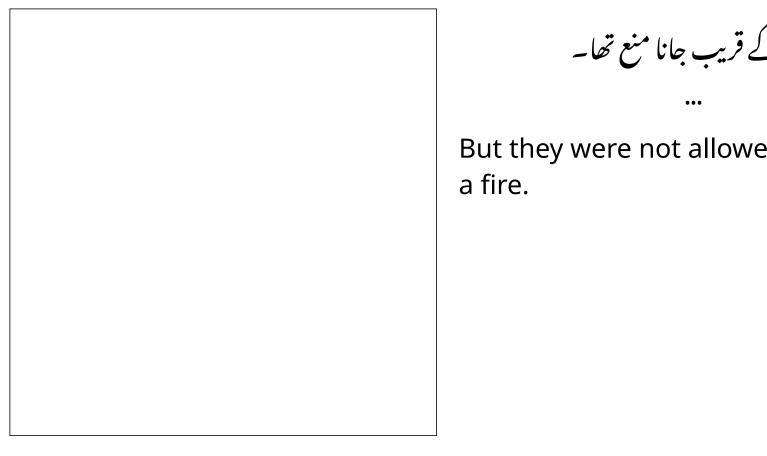


ایک دفعه کا ذکر ہے کہ ایک خوشگوار خاندان تھا۔ ...

Once upon a time, there lived a happy family.

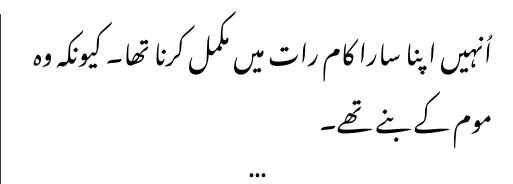


They never fought with each other. They helped their parents at home and in the fields.

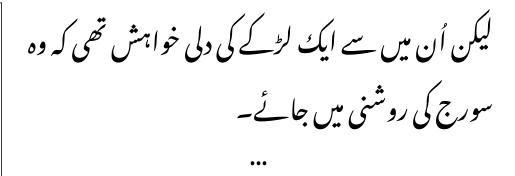


لیکن اُنہیں آگ کے قریب جانا منع تھا۔

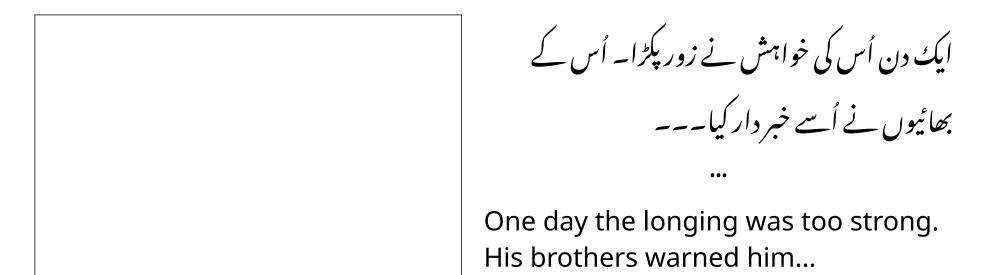
But they were not allowed to go near

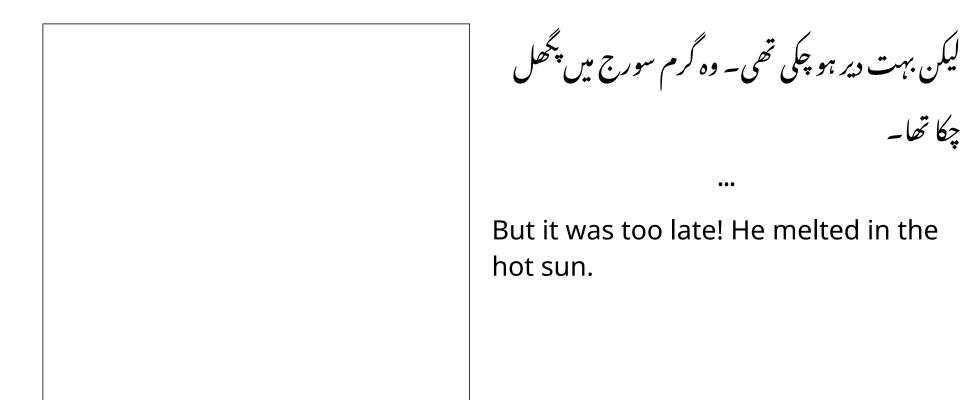


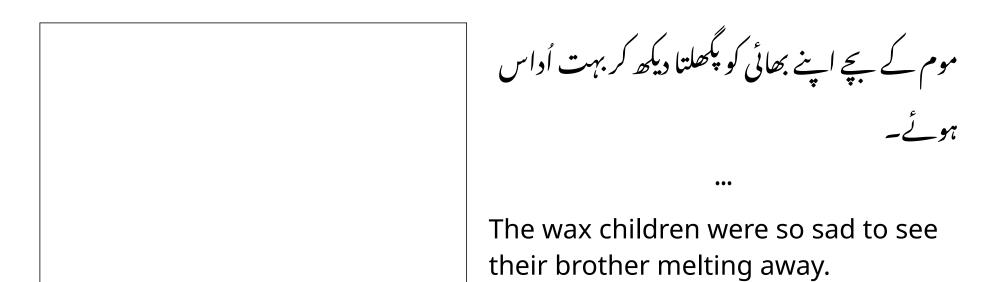
They had to do all their work during the night. Because they were made of wax!

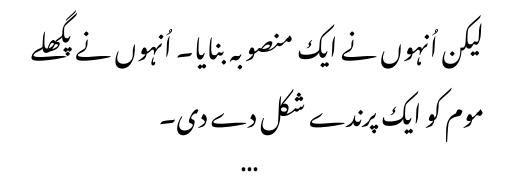


But one of the boys longed to go out in the sunlight.

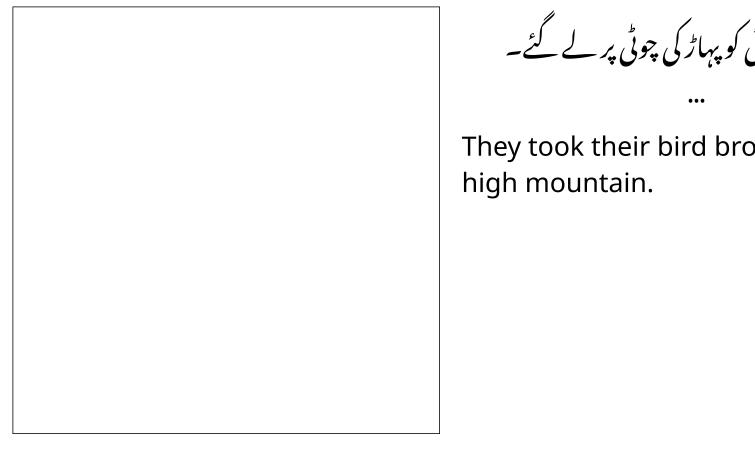






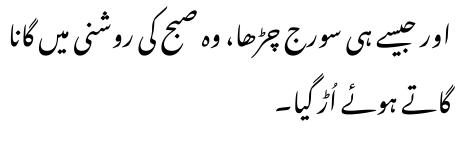


But they made a plan. They shaped the lump of melted wax into a bird.



وہ اپنے پرندے بھائی کو پہاڑ کی چوٹی پر لے گئے۔

They took their bird brother up to a



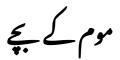
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And as the sun rose, he flew away singing into the morning light.



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