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MESSAGE GUIDE

Speaker: Pastor Mark Geer
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Message Talk Sheet

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SERIES: PEACE ON EARTH

Today's Message:

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"You Shall Call His Name Jesus"

Text: Luke 1:26-38; 2:1-7



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Message Talk Sheet (Continued...)

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