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During this Christmas season, let us be filled with hope that all things given according to the words of the prophets will yet be fulfilled, including the return of the Lord Jesus Christ. May this knowledge add to our joy and delight as we celebrate His birth. May we look forward with faith to His second coming and prepare our hearts to receive Him.

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