



## LISTENING GUIDE

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### **The Anticipation of Peace**

*Luke 2:22-32; Colossians 1:15-20*

On this second Sunday of Advent, with eager anticipation, we continue looking ahead to the celebration of Christ's birth. Our Scripture passages today draw our attention to the Advent promise of peace. Let's examine these passages to uncover what it is about Jesus, the Lord's Christ, that compels us to celebrate and worship Him.

Notice...

#### **I. The Lord's Christ is \_\_\_\_\_ (Col. 1:15-17)**

- Notice the evidence of this truth:

1. Jesus is \_\_\_\_\_ (v.15)

2. Jesus is \_\_\_\_\_ (vv.15, 17)

3. Jesus is \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ (vv.16-17)

#### **II. The Lord's Christ is \_\_\_\_\_ (Col. 1:18)**

#### **III. The Lord's Christ brings \_\_\_\_\_ (Col. 1:18-20)**

- Two levels of this that are found in Christ:

1. Jesus is the source of \_\_\_\_\_ peace (v.20)

2. Jesus is the source of \_\_\_\_\_ peace (v.18)

- See *Romans 2:9-10*