



Seventh day morning ^{of} Dec 28rd
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Honored Parents Brothers & Sister

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Seventh day morning 7th 23^d 64 (July 23, 1864)

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