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Dear Doris & Bud:

We can hardly to get a Christmas Card in Qingdao So we just write this letter to you & your lovely family instead of a Card in greeting you Merry Christmas & Happy New Year!

Please excuse the delay of my writing to you.

Thank you of your kindly letter on Aug., which makes me to know Lollie & Doris on their activities and tourists both in China and Sweden. We recall many about Oscar and Lollie. Although Oscar was in hospital several weeks in horrible and painful, it makes Lollie teared often, yet we visited them at least once a week, till his recover and left. I have received a letter from Egon, so we know Oscar on the way back to health.

I think you have already seen the pictures and slides by Oscar and Lollie, Stephen is growing old & weak.

Praise the Lord we have opportunity to remember and pray each other. By His grace and help, up to date we can proud to say (excuse me to use the word "proud") that we still stand in Christ to witness His Holy Name and not ashamed His glory. Feature steadily. Many people whom you know refused to recognize His Name. You remember forty years ago Tommy Tong who was the leader of Youth for Christ

Walter Wan the music director as you asked me in your former letter. They denied Our Lord as their personal Saviour and gave up their religious beliefs. We felt pity and sad.

Thank you desire for sending some theological natures to Chinese church. I think it is not in need to have them. Please don't send any thing thing includes books or money to the church. For our Chinese church can support ourselves richly. The Church in New China has "three-self" those are self support, self management, self propoganda.

I like to let you know that your friends Dr. Luan's family are very close acquaintance with us, at least eighty years. His father was a school mate with mine. His second brother was my classmate in middle school. He came back from America twice and visited me several times.

Best regards to Mrs. Cherry Y. K. Chang and other brothers and sisters in Christ, let them to know a Chinese pastor Stephen Wang is in serve our Lord in Qingdao, pray for him to have power and knowledge to witness His Holy Name in China.

May the Lord blesses you and your family

Sincerely yours

Stephen and Mrs. Wang
(MRS. WANG)