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Dear Friends

Thank you for your kind gift of £28.00 to provide Biblical training for Christian leaders in China.

One church leader, who studied with Open Doors last year, explained the need for effective training: *"The problem in today's churches, whether in cities or in villages, is that most of the leaders lack systematic training. They usually understand only part of the truth. They take the Scriptures out of context and interpret according to their own ideas. This certainly causes problems in the development of churches, and leads to unhealthy church growth. There are some places where the gospel has spread and churches have been built, but because of lack of equipped leaders to lead, to teach and to pastor, believers become backsliding and some even give up their faith."*

Thanks to support from brothers and sisters like you, this church leader felt the care and the support from overseas Christians towards the Chinese Church. *"It encourages me to serve the Lord more faithfully, to feed the sheep who were entrusted to me. Many thanks for your support and teaching, please continue to pray for us."*

Thank you for your partnership in serving the Suffering Church.

Yours sincerely in Christ,

Eddie Lyle  
Chief Executive Officer

