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A Chemist Helping Chemists

December 23, 1997

Professor Dr. Wu Dagang
Kunming Institute of Botany
Heilongtan, Kunming, Yunnan
P. R. CHINA

Dear Professor Dr. Wu Dagang:

I so enjoyed receiving your beautiful Christmas card with lovely flowers reminding us of your love for Botany and Botanical Chemistry.

Unfortunately, there is no chance that we could visit you in Kunming, much as we would like to, but please do keep in mind that the distance from Milwaukee to Kunming is exactly as the distance from Kunming to Milwaukee and we very much hope that one of these days your travels will allow you to visit us.

With all good wishes for 1998, I remain,

Yours sincerely,

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Dear Dr. Bader

I wish you for Merry Christmas
and happy New Year 1998. and
wish you very good health!

I hope very much that you visit
Kunming in the coming year.

I believe we shall have good
cooperation in the coming year.

mit viel festlichen Grüßen und auch an
Ihren Familien.

Ihr Freund Prof. Dr. *Wu Dagang*

Dec. 2. 1997

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*Best Wishes for A Merry Christmas
and A Happy New Year*

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The first thing I noticed when I stepped out of the car was the cold. It was a sharp contrast to the warm blanket I had been sitting under. I looked up at the sky, which was a pale, hazy blue. The air was crisp and clean, a welcome change from the stuffy interior of the car. I took a deep breath, feeling the cool air fill my lungs. The sun was just beginning to rise, casting a soft, golden glow over the landscape. The trees were still, their branches bare and reaching out towards the sky. The ground was covered in a thin layer of snow, which glistened in the early morning light. I felt a sense of peace and tranquility, a moment of stillness in a world that was always in motion. I looked down at my hands, which were wrapped in my coat. They felt warm and safe, a small comfort in the cold. I took another deep breath, feeling the cold air fill my lungs. The sun was just beginning to rise, casting a soft, golden glow over the landscape. The trees were still, their branches bare and reaching out towards the sky. The ground was covered in a thin layer of snow, which glistened in the early morning light. I felt a sense of peace and tranquility, a moment of stillness in a world that was always in motion. I looked down at my hands, which were wrapped in my coat. They felt warm and safe, a small comfort in the cold. I took another deep breath, feeling the cold air fill my lungs.

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