情繫中國育幼苗

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文更多倫多分會在 2003 年成立，並在同年的 9 月成功地舉辦了第一屆的『情繫中國育幼苗』支助中國農村教育籌款晚宴，為多倫多的【文更】中國廣西扶貧助學工程拉開了序幕。多倫多分會致力為落後的農村地區提供教育援助。以下為多倫多隊員參加文更一年一度廣西探訪後的感言。

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探訪隊每個人都關注學生，每個人關注的地方都不同，有人喜歡和同學講學術，有人可能和他們分享家常話題，有人可能只是聽他們申訴家庭的不開心。這一次讓我最感動的學生是來南寧參加聚會的羅同學，他中學畢業之後，因家庭經濟困難，不能夠再上大學就開始工作。為了參加文更在南寧的聚會，他千里迢迢不辭勞苦從深圳坐了整晚的火車來到南寧。可以看得出，他感受到愛，所以來參加我們的見面會。一天是文更的學生，終身是文更的孩子，所以文更的聚會，就像感恩節全家聚會一樣。施比受更為有福。

陳浩川・義工/支持者

和去年一樣學到很多東西，同時感受到很大的衝擊。中國發展得很快，部份學生的生活條件改善了，但對一些學生來講壓力更加大，旁邊的人都好了，自己家還是原地踏步，負擔不起學費。在家訪時，我們見到一些學生一開始跟我們聊得很順暢，但是一問到你想跟爸爸媽媽講些什麼，他們就開始流淚。他們怕家庭寄托在他們身上的期望不能實現；也怕自己成為家庭的負擔，所以他們的壓力很大。給我感觸最大的是職中的學生，他們讀書有困難沒能考上普通高中，家庭條件支持不了他們讀書而不得不去工作。當他們再回到學校，自尊心很低，不敢看著我們說話。如果連這樣的學生我們都不幫，他們的機會就一點都沒有了。看到這些學生的情況，我決定將資助一班學生的計劃提前一年開始。政府大力做扶貧工作，但設定的貧困線是很低的。每年人均家庭收入超過人民幣 3000 就算脫貧，這樣的收入是根本不可以支持到一個孩子去上學的。我希望大家除了金錢上的支持之外，可以考慮加入我們下一次的廣西探訪團，更加瞭解學生的需要，除了金錢上的支持之外，更給到他們心靈上的支持。

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坐 20 幾個小時的飛機，再加上這麼遠的巴士路程的確很辛苦，但見到一群孩子充滿希望的笑容，感受到他們言語之間的那一種情懷，我覺得什麼都值得了。當我們幫助一個學生的時候，不只是幫助這個學生去脫貧，還幫他們建立一個有愛的世界。我們很多人自己都有兒女，你有沒有想過，當你看到你兒女前途沒希望的時候是怎樣的一種錐心之痛。在貧窮的農村，如果沒有人幫他們，讀書根本就是一個永遠達不到的夢想。幫他們不是要你付出很多，只要付出一點點就可以幫助一個學生改變生命，幫助他們的家庭過得更好。憑著大愛去幫助他們建立好的平台，誠信和品格。星星之火可以燎原。

Linda Chan • Volunteer /Supporter

I have just returned from my fifth vision trip to Guangxi, China. This year, the CRRS Vision Team visited over 800 students in seven days. We are encouraged to see many students working hard and very appreciative of your kind support. I am attaching a couple of photographs taken during one of our home visits. Seated next to Dr. Leung was one of our sponsored students, Yuan Shuai (Grade 10) from Tian Dong Vocational School and his sister, Yuan Ying (Grade 11) (田東職業學校同學 袁帥和他的姐姐袁英). During our visit, we were surprised to see the siblings looked so down and sad. Unbeknownst to us, their mother has been in and out of the hospital with multiple problems - and she almost died a few days before our visit. Their father, who is working in Guangdong, did not return home to be with his wife and children in fear of losing his job. Yuan Ying (袁英) has stopped going to school to take care of her mother. She was planning to find a job to help alleviate the family financial burden. Our team members quickly collected some money to help this family. Together with the school principal, the teachers, Yuan Shuai and Yuan Ying; we visited Mrs. Yuan in the hospital. We managed to convince that it is most important for Yuan Ying to continue her education so she may get a better job in a few years. As we were leaving the hospital, we finally saw some timid smiles from the brother and sister. A few days later, Yuan Ying sent me a message (via WeChat) that her teacher has assisted her to re-enroll and that she is currently back at school. She reassured me that she will work hard so as not to disappoint me. The Yuans' struggle is only one of many stories of hard-working students caught in their family misfortune. We are thankful that, with all your support, we have the privilege of walking the students' life journeys and offering them renewed hope.

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