

Adress of Sender:



President Xi Jinping
via the Embassy of the
Peoples Republic of China
Märkisches Ufer 54
10179 Berlin

Date: _____

Dear Excellency,

I refer to you today in concern about the Chinese Christian Chen Yu. The bookseller has been in detention since September 2019. "Illegal business activity" is the official charge: In his "Wheat Bookstore" Chen Yu sold Christian literature, including Bibles. In September 2020, he was sentenced to seven years in prison and an additional fine, which has since been upheld on appeal.

I consider this action to be a violation of religious freedom in China. Allow me to remind you of Article 36 of your country's Constitution. It states: "Citizens of the People's Republic of China enjoy freedom of religious belief." In reference to said Article 36, I ask you to observe religious freedom and, above all, to press for the release of our fellow Christian Chen Yu.

Yours respectfully