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Dear Prof Bai:

Thank you so much for sending me the obituary of Prof Jiang.

My wife and I have known Prof Jiang since our first visit to Shanghai in 1999, and we were both devastated by the news of his premature death. Just 10 days ago I invited him to lecture at an 80th Birthday Conference in honour of our mutual friend and colleague, Joel Sussman, and he immediately accepted. We had so much looked forward to seeing him here in January, 2024, and now it will not happen!

I have already asked Prof Yechun Xu to convey our condolences to his wife and daughter.

I understand that the Memorial Ceremony will be today, and our thoughts will be with his family and colleagues in Shanghai.

With best regards

Israel Silman