



## 2010 English Enrichment Program



The Program ran from July 7 through 14, 2010 at Malipo County First High School. There were 17 trainers with 57 trainees who are English teachers and additional 5 students from high school as auditors.

The Program was concluded in the late afternoon of July 14 with Closing Ceremony. The sharing of trainers and trainees before the Closing Ceremony was touching and emotional. Many trainees expressed their willingness to participate in the Program again if time and situation permit. We thank God for keeping us safe and healthy, and blessing us with a fruitful mission.

# Unforgettable Joy

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Though I had my suspicions of CRRS before deciding to be a part of Project “W”, I can now say that I really respect this program. I had never before heard of this organization and did not know how incoming donations would be spent. But now that I have gone, I can say that the trainees in Malipo are treated with the utmost respect and care. I know that the money used through this non-profit is used for good purposes. I was amazed to discover that CRRS pays for over sixty English teachers from around Malipo County to not only attend our program and receive our training materials, but also for their residence in a nearby hotel along with free lunch and dinner everyday while attending the program. As a result, I’m excited to tell more people about my time in Malipo and Lord-willing, bring friends back with me next summer.

I have never felt such joy as I did when I was sharing my faith with the people I met in Malipo. Most of the trainees have been living in that area of China all their lives and have never had the means to travel very far. In fact, the road we traveled on to get to Malipo was still being paved. We endured a ten-hour bus ride from Kunming to Malipo, not to mention an hour and half over dirt and rocks just to get to our hotel. Although these people have very little, they show such gratitude toward us for simply coming to visit them and helping them improve their English. They invited us to spend time together outside of class, introduced us to their families, and even seized every opportunity to serve us. Everyday at lunch and dinner, they somehow managed to fill my rice bowl before I had a chance to even get up out of my seat to get some

