

Erratum for Tinker, Tailor, Scholar, Spy: Holmes Welch, Buddhism, and the Cold War, by Justin Ritzinger

Correction to note 11: The note states: “It was perhaps at this time that he received the Chinese name we find in his papers: Wei Chicu 尉遲酷.” This is an error. Welch’s Chinese surname was actually the compound Yuchi 尉遲 (which alters the pronunciation of the first character) and the given name Han 酣, a transcription mistake on my part. The name may have been received in Hong Kong since the Cantonese pronunciation, Waici Ham, more closely resembles the English, and the oldest document on which I saw it dates from that time. I am indebted to Lei Ying for bringing this to my attention.

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