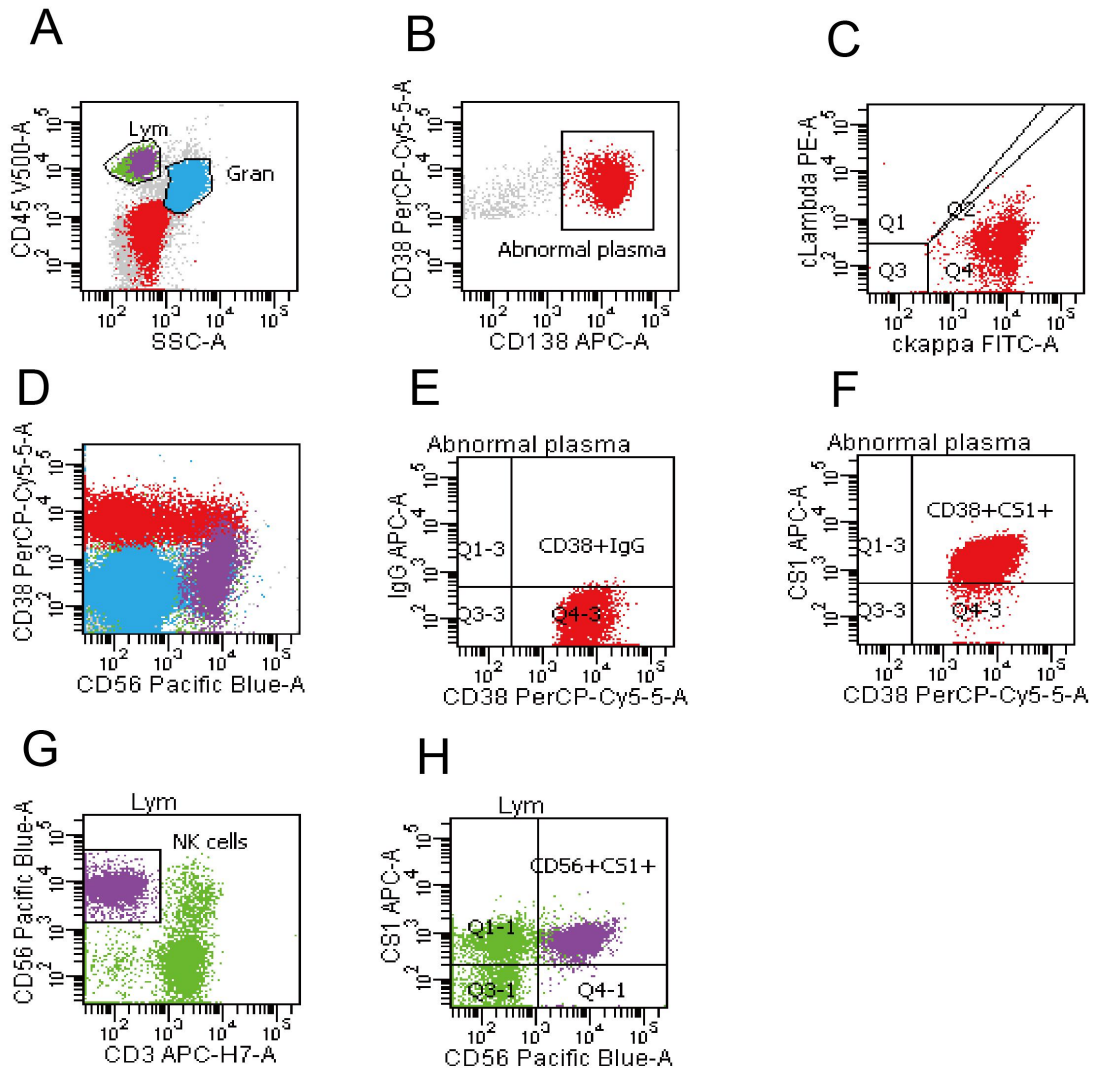


1 **Supplementary Material**2 **Supplemental Figures**

Figure S1



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4 **Figure S1. The detailed gated method of flow cytometry.**

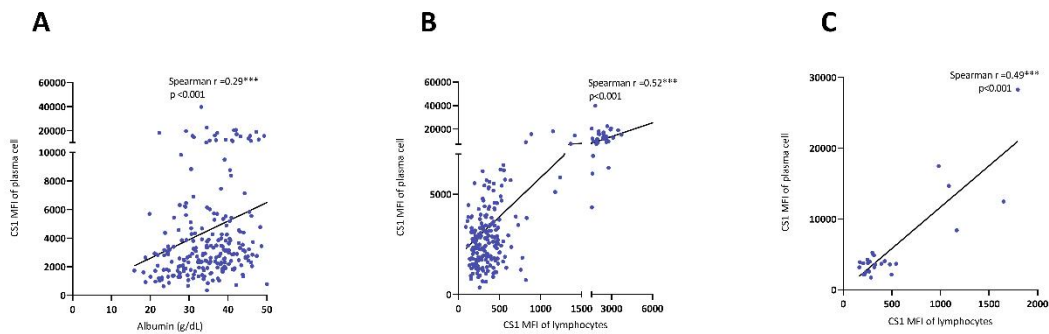
5 (A) The lymphocytes and granulocytes were gated by CD45 and SSC. (B-E)

6 SSC/CD38/CD45 /CD138 /CD56, as well as ckappa and clambdas were used to gate the

1 abnormal plasma cells. (F) CS1 expression in these abnormal plasma cells (G-H) Within the  
2 lymphocyte gate, the NK cell population were gated by CD3<sup>-</sup>/CD56<sup>+</sup>, and then CS1  
3 expression was analyzed in them.

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Figure S2



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6 **Figure S2. Spearman correlation analysis of CS1 expression of plasma cells and clinical**

7 **parameters.** (A) displayed Spearman relationships between serum albumin concentration

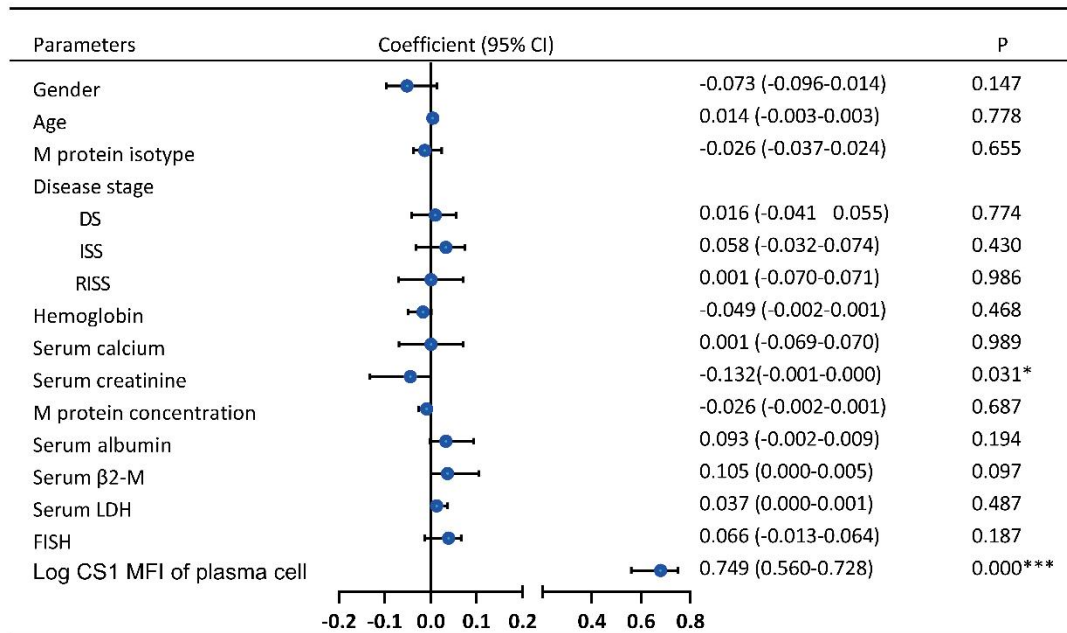
8 and the CS1 MFI of plasma cells in MM. (B) and (C) displayed Spearman correlations

9 between the CS1 MFI of lymphocytes and the CS1 MFI of plasma cells in MM and other

10 PCDs respectively. \*\*\*:  $P < 0.001$ .

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Figure S3



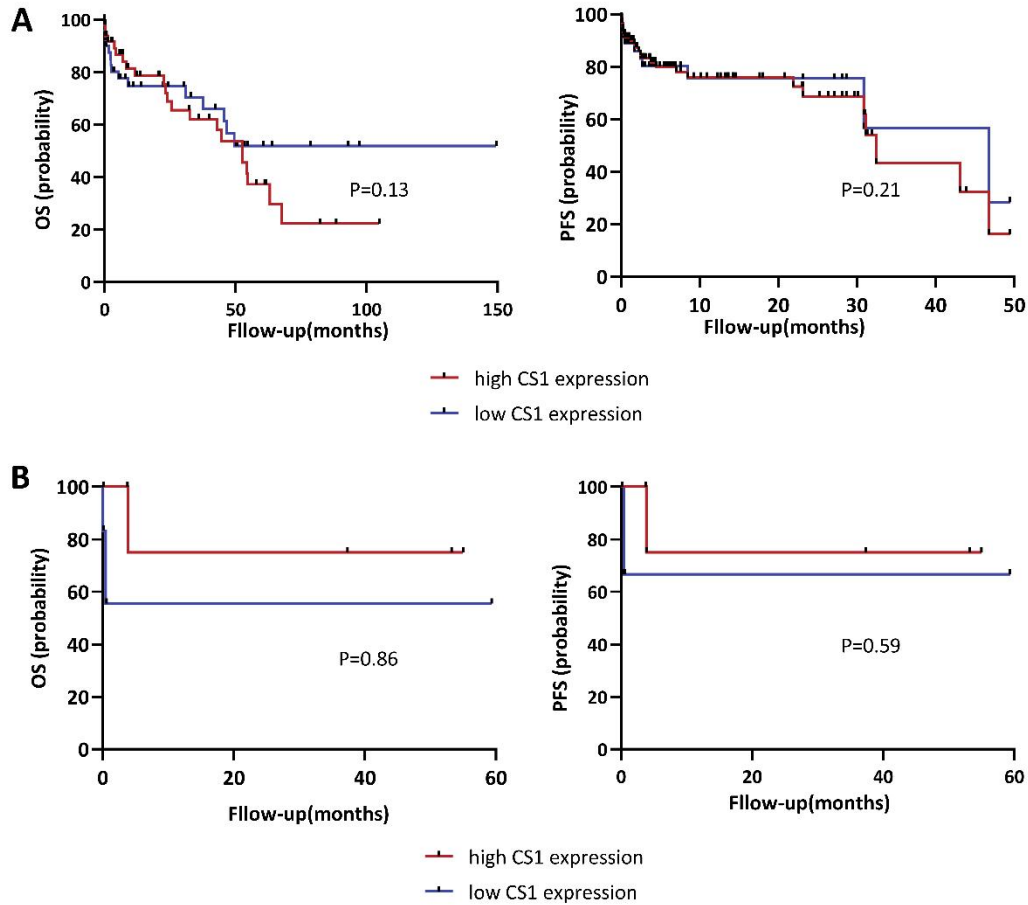
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2 **Figure S3. Multivariate Analysis for the CS1 expression of plasma cell in MM.**

3 The forest plot shows the correlation between CS1 expression levels of plasma cells and  
4 clinical parameters through multivariate linear regression analysis. The expression level of  
5 CS1 in NK cells is independently associated with the expression level of CS1 in clonal  
6 plasma cells.

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Figure S4



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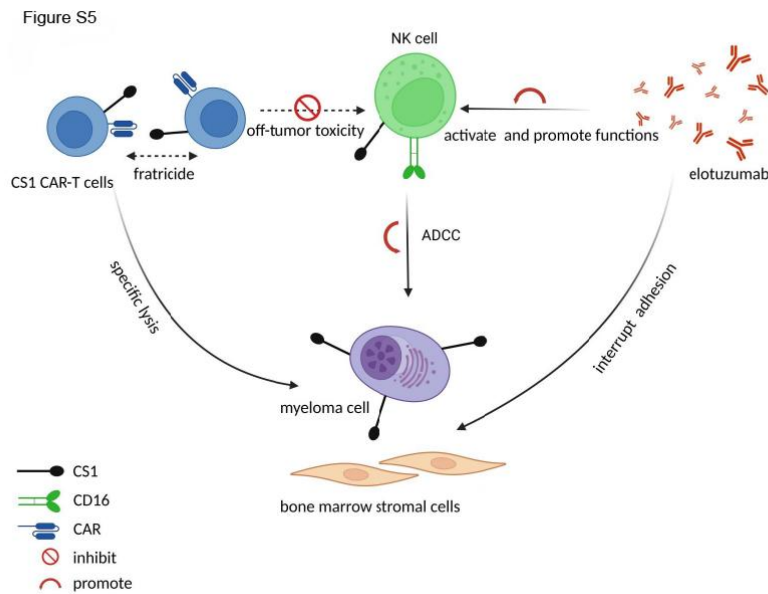
2 **Figure S4. The correlation of CS1 expression level of plasma cells with PFS, OS.**

3 (A-B) Comparative analysis the OS and PFS between patients with high and low CS1  
 4 expression of plasma cells in MM and other PCDs respectively. According to the  
 5 expression of CS1 on monoclonal plasma cells, patients were divided into a high  
 6 expression group (CS1 MFI  $\geq$  the 75th percentile) and a low expression group (CS1  
 7 MFI  $\leq$  the 25th percentile).

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3 **Figure S5. Expression of CS1 on NK cells has implications for immunotherapy**

4 **targeting CS1.** Elotuzumab relies on NK cells to induce myeloma cell lysis through ADCC

5 and may also disrupt adhesion between myeloma cells and bone marrow stromal cells.

6 Therefore, selecting a less pretreated patient and increasing the number and function of NK

7 cells may be the convincing ways to promote the efficacy of Elotuzumab. Killing NK cells

8 by CS1 CAR-T not only leads to excessive toxicity but also weakens the immunological

9 effect of NK cells against MM. Therefore, avoiding killing NK cells by CS1 CAR-T helps

10 improve safety and efficacy. This figure was created with BioRender.com.

1 **Supplementary Tables**

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	OS		PFS	
	HR (95%CI)	<i>P</i>	HR (95%CI)	<i>P</i>
<b>Sex</b>	0.769(0.502-1.178)	0.227	0.954(0.668-1.362)	0.794
<b>Age</b>	1.032(1.009-1.055)	0.006**	1.019(1.001-1.038)	0.041*
<b>DS Stage 3</b>	1.074(0.605-1.907)	0.808	0.748(0.446-1.254)	0.271
<b>ISS Stage 3</b>	1.405(0.799-2.469)	0.237	1.208(0.748-1.95)	0.440
<b>RISS Stage 3</b>	0.607(0.305-1.208)	0.155	0.889(0.5-1.58)	0.688
<b>Hemoglobin</b>	0.995(0.984-1.005)	0.314	0.994(0.985-1.003)	0.180
<b>Calcium</b>	1.901(1.085-3.331)	0.025*	1.368(0.875-2.139)	0.169
<b>Creatinine</b>	1(0.999-1.002)	0.867	1(0.999-1.001)	0.856
<b>M protein</b>	0.997(0.987-1.007)	0.539	1.001(0.992-1.01)	0.822
<b>Albumin</b>	0.988(0.946-1.031)	0.571	0.999(0.963-1.036)	0.966
<b>β2-M</b>	1.018(0.999-1.038)	0.070	1.026(1.008-1.044)	0.004**
<b>LDH</b>	1.001(1-1.001)	0.208	1(0.999-1.001)	0.693
<b>High Risk genetic Abnormalities</b>	1.015(0.633-1.627)	0.951	0.976(0.650-1.464)	0.905
<b>Bone marrow plasma cells</b>	0.998(0.985-1.012)	0.796	1.006(0.994-1.018)	0.347
<b>CS1 MFI of natural killer cells</b>	1(1-1.001)	0.253	1(1-1.001)	0.102
<b>CS1 MFI of plasma cells</b>	1(0.999-1)	0.221	0.999(0.999-1)	0.172

3 **Table S1. Cox multivariate analysis of PFS and OS in multiple myeloma patients**

4 Abbreviations: ISS, Internal Staging System; R-ISS, Revised ISS; DS, Durie-Salmon; M Protein, Monoclonal protein; β2-M, β2-microglobulin;

5 LDH, lactic dehydrogenase; MFI, mean fluorescence intensity; \*: *p* values less than 0.05 (two-tailed) were considered statistically significant; \*\*:6 *P*<0.01