

JOSE CHAVEZ

Dr. Jose (Chico) Chavez died 1 November 1990 in Poughkeepsie, New York. Memorial services were in El Paso, Texas and interment was in the Fort Bliss National Cemetery with military honors.

Dr. Chavez, a life-long resident of El Paso, graduated from Jefferson High School and entered the Naval Academy from that State. He graduated with the Class of '60.

Following six years of activity duty, he resigned as a Lt. in 1966. During his duty he served in Vietnam. After leaving the service he earned advanced degrees from the American University of Mexico, the University of Texas at Austin, and the University of Virginia. At the time of his death he was the Assistant Dean at Dutchess Community College in Poughkeepsie.

Survivors include two brothers, Ricardo A. of El Paso and Hector A. of Winchester, Calif., his sister Esperanza Leroy of 8316 Polaris Rd., El Paso, Texas 79904, and several nephews and nieces.

Shipmate, April 1993