

103^D CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. RES. 121

To honor the work and life of Cesar Chavez.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JUNE 17 (legislative day, JUNE 15), 1993

Mr. REID (for himself, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. BINGAMAN, Mr. SIMON, Mr. BRADLEY) submitted the following resolution; which was considered and agreed to

RESOLUTION

To honor the work and life of Cesar Chavez.

Whereas Cesar Chavez inspired America with his fight to improve the lives of migrant farmworkers;

Whereas Cesar Chavez dedicated his life to serving the economically disadvantaged and politically disenfranchised;

Whereas Cesar Chavez's struggle to organize migrant farmworkers was accomplished with a commitment to non-violence;

Whereas Cesar Chavez, as president and founder of the United Farm Workers Union, brought a better life to thousands of laborers;

Whereas Cesar Chavez's life's work brought dignity and respect to all Mexican-Americans and other minority workers;

Whereas Cesar Chavez's efforts made possible the first collective bargaining Act for continental United States farmworkers;

Whereas Cesar Chavez drew attention to the dangers caused by agricultural pesticides to both farmworkers and consumers; and

Whereas Cesar Chavez has forever changed America for the better: Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives*

2 *of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 That the Senate of the United States honors the work and

4 life of Cesar Chavez as one of the greatest leaders of

5 human and civil rights advancement the United States has

6 known.

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