



RICHARD V. CRUZ MEMORIAL FOUNDATION

"Defending our youth" and "Defending our workers" *Scholarship Program*

Please join us in announcing the first recipients of the Richard V. Cruz "Justice Belongs to the People" Scholarship awards! Three inspiring law students have been awarded \$2500 each by the Richard V. Cruz Memorial Foundation for their dedication to addressing the legal challenges faced by underserved communities in California.

Thanks to hard work and tremendous community support, we have raised scholarship funds for our future legal advocates. But we can not continue to do so without your support! Please join us for our second annual fundraising event at the home of...

**MIGUEL GARCIA**  
JULY 17, 2004 @ 4:00 p.m.  
7612 College Avenue  
Whittier, CA 90602  
(562.693.3355)

Please join **Civil Rights Attorney, R. Samuel Paz**, as our emcee for the evening.

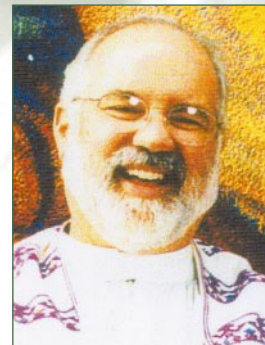
*Food and live entertainment provided.*

**Los Angeles City Councilmember Antonio Villaraigosa** will present the Richard V. Cruz Memorial Foundation with a special proclamation from the City of Los Angeles for its work in supporting future legal advocates.

The theme of this year's fundraiser is "**Defending our youth and our workers.**" We felt it would be most appropriate to bring attention to the issues of youth and labor in our community as a way to remember the life of legal advocate, Richard V. Cruz.

**GUEST SPEAKERS:**

**Father Greg Boyle**  
*Director*  
*Homeboy Industries*



**Maria Elena Durazo**  
*President*  
*Hotel and Restaurant Employees, Local 11*

Speakers at 4:30 p.m.  
Dinner to follow

**Ticket prices are:**  
\$60 for individuals • \$90 per couple  
\$30 for students • \$15 for children under 12

**PLEASE RSVP AT 626.799.7880  
NO LATER THAN 6/30/04.**



*Vision Statement*

*The Richard V. Cruz Memorial Foundation is a non-profit organization that supports the dream of Chicanos and Chicanas in becoming attorneys and advocating for social and economic justice issues in California. The Foundation holds dear the memory of Richard V. Cruz who, because of his activism, selflessness, and singular compassion, dedicated his life to the legal emancipation of the poor and disenfranchised residents of California.*

*The foundation promotes education among the underserved populations by establishing financial assistance for law students and addressing policies restrictive of the RVC Foundation mission. Our efforts will be applied to providing incentives to those who dedicate their professional lives to the values expressed by the words of Richard V. Cruz.*

*“Justice belongs to the people.”*



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*Scholarship Program*

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City / State / Zip \_\_\_\_\_

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 Telephone E-Mail Address

Number of persons in your party: \_\_\_\_\_

Donation Requested:  \$60 for individual  \$90 per couple  \$30 for student  \$15 child 12 years or less  
 Unable to attend but enclosed is my donation

Total amount enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

Please make all check payable to: RICHARD V. CRUZ MEMORIAL FOUNDATION  
 A California 501(c)(3) Non-Profit Corporation  
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