

# Cesar Chavez



## TRUE OR FALSE

1. Although Cesar Chavez spent his life improving working conditions for farm workers, he was never actually a farm worker himself. \_\_\_\_\_

2. Chavez dropped out of school after the eighth grade. \_\_\_\_\_

3. Chavez's first job in civil rights was at the San Jose chapter of the Community Service Organization. \_\_\_\_\_

4. Cesar Chavez's motto was "Si Se Puede", which means, "Yes, it can be done". \_\_\_\_\_

5. One of Cesar Chavez's first major actions was to strike against grape farmers. \_\_\_\_\_

6. Chavez sometimes fasted (refused to eat) as a way to bring attention to his cause. He once fasted for 36 days, but it didn't matter because nobody noticed it. \_\_\_\_\_

7. Cesar Chavez was a vegetarian. \_\_\_\_\_

8. Cesar Chavez eventually left the union that he had started when he accepted a job from President Kennedy to be a leader in the Peace Corps. \_\_\_\_\_

9. When Cesar Chavez died in 1993, over 50,000 people attended his funeral service. \_\_\_\_\_