Carlos Guzman Carbajal (1948 – 1968)



Carlos Guzman Carbajal was born in Chula Vista CA on January 13, 1948. His Social Security Number was 554-78-8055 and it was issued in the state of California. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Carbajal lived at 1212 5th Avenue, Chula Vista.

He enlisted in the U.S. Marine Corps on January 5, 1968 and was killed in action (KIA) from artillery fire on August 25, 1968, at Quang Tri, South Vietnam. The May 2, 1968 has an article regarding Carlos Carbajal's graduation from Boot Camp at MCRD San Diego, California and mentioned that we would then receive about four weeks of combat training before reporting to his first Marine Corps assignment. He attained the rank of PFC (E3), was 20 years old and not married. He had been in the Marine Corps for less than a year. His body was recovered. His service number was 2412182.

His name appears on the WALL in Washington D.C and is located at Panel 46 West, Row 12. He has a street named in his honor in the Sunbow community of Chula Vista. His name appears on the San Diego Peace Memorial plaques in Balboa Park and his name was also added to the Stardust Spacecraft in a NASA microchip as an outreach program. Further information can be found at:

http://stardust.jpl.nasa.gov/overview/microchip/faq.html

