

Hi my name is Jorge Aviña Romero.

I was born in Saint Helena, California in 1975.

Thank God for my Beautiful wife Marcela Aviña, my beautiful daughter's Vanessa, Alondara, and my son Oziel.

My family has always worked in the vineyard industry, but there is always one that goes a different path. I heard about the Cement Masons' Union from a friend said you might want to try something different. So I decided to give it a shot in August of 2005 I went down to the hall and spoke to this person named Ben Espinoza who gave me advice on how to look for a sponsor. Ghilotti Construction was kind enough to sponsor me I did my apprenticeship, became a Journeyperson, a lead men, a foreman, an instructor at our Cement Masons' apprenticeship program, a Organizer, a Business agent helping our members with their needs.

I will continue to support the labor movement.