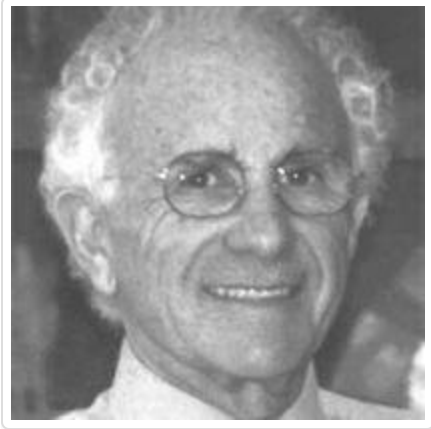




Jerry Slavin

August 20, 1929 - July 27, 2012

SLAVIN GERALD M.

Age 82, of Albuquerque, passed away on July 27, 2012. He is survived by his wife, Connie; their three children, Marc Slavin of Oakland, CA and partner, Mark Heltemes, Adam Slavin of Albuquerque and wife, Paula, and Susanne Wooldridge of Colorado Springs, CO and husband, Greg; four grandchildren, Jason and Dalia Slavin, and Skylar and Parker Wooldridge; and sister, Helen Schneider of Berkeley, CA. Jerry was born in San Francisco, the second of four children, to Max Slavin and the former Sophie Goldman, both immigrants to the United States from Jewish villages in Russia. A lover of travel and languages, Jerry spent a year in Central and South America after he completed college at San Francisco State University. He later earned a masters degree in Spanish from the University of California at Berkeley and a Ph.D. in Latin American Studies from the University of New Mexico. Following military service, he married Constance Halter. They lived for three years in Curitiba, Brazil, where Jerry served as cultural attache at the U.S. consulate. He became Director of International Programs and Services at the University of New Mexico in 1965, a position he held until his retirement in 2000. Jerry was a Fulbright scholar and recipient of an honorary doctorate from John F. Kennedy University in Buenos Aires. He had a long standing involvement in the Partners of the Americas organization and the National Association of Foreign Student Advisors, served as president of the Association of

International Education Administrators, and was a founder of the Albuquerque Sister Cities program. Memorial services will be held on Sunday, July 29, 2012, 12:00 p.m. at Congregation Albert, 3800 Louisiana Blvd. Interment will follow at Fairview Memorial Park NE. Please visit our online guest book for Gerald at www.RememberTheirStory.com.

FRENCH

1111 University Blvd NE

505-843-6333

Tribute Wall

SO

“ Jerry Slavin helped me in so many ways. I worked for and with him at the UNM Office of International Programs and Services for about ten years. He gave me a chance and started me in a wonderful career which I am still in today--26 year later! Thank you Jerry! I will miss him and am so happy that he was part of my life.
Sally O'Neill

Sally O'Neill - February 11, 2014 at 12:28 PM

JM

“ We remember Jerry so fondly. He was an early friend to me when we arrived at UNM in 1967, and he continued to be a friend and supporter throughout our association of 35 years. We remember his friendship, his integrity and his smile. Our hearts and prayers are with you in sympathy, Connie, as well as with the the rest of the family.

Jerry and Mary Joyce May - August 19, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ I got to know Jerry in noon exercise class. What a fun guy he was, always friendly, cheerful and humorous. Everyone enjoyed him! I know he will be missed and I hope the memory of his great life will console his family and friends. My husband, Charlie White, who worked with Connie at DDU wishes to offer sympathy to Jerry's friends and family, too. Jenny White

jenny white - July 31, 2012 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ Ours thoughts are with the Slavin family. Jerry was a kind andcompassonate man. Leon and Shirley

Leon and Shirley Hurwitz - July 29, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CM

“ Mark, My sincere sympathy on the passing of your father to you, your mother, partner, and entire family. Perhaps you will remember me--your Journalism teacher at Jefferson Junior HS. I certainly remember you--such an outstanding student! Blessings, Mac

Carl "Mac" Macaluso - July 28, 2012 at 12:00 AM