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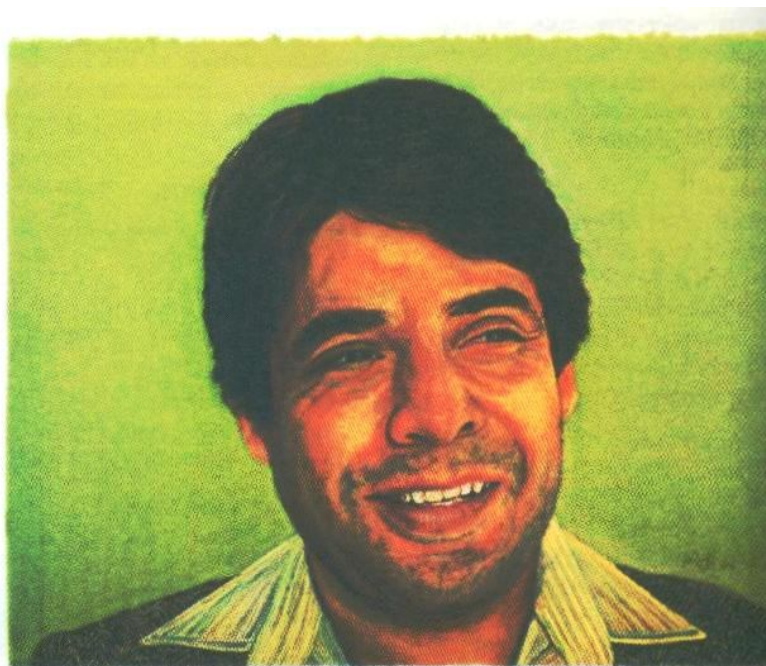
*Papel Chicano: Works On Paper
From The Collection of Cheech Marin*

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Latino Cultural Center, 2600 Live Oak Street, Dallas

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Cheech Marin is best known for his acting roles, but is also a director, writer, musician, humanitarian and art collector. As an art collector, Mr. Marin has amassed one of the world's largest private collections of Chicano paintings and artwork in the country. Recently, selections from his collection have traveled in various exhibitions throughout the country on a national tour, and now make a welcome stop in Dallas. Bold and intense imagery rich in color has long been a trademark of artwork created to express the Chicano experience. The works on exhibition in *Papel Chicano* represent over a dozen of the most celebrated Chicano and Chicana artists, most of whom trace their roots to the Southwest, from Texas to California. These works provide an excellent opportunity to study and enjoy a diversity of imagery and ideas found within the movement of Chicano art, which hit the forefront in the 1960s at the crossroads of shifting paradigms in the American consciousness. — **Scot Craig Hart**



John Valadez, *Pedro*, pastel on paper, 1982