

GUATEMALA

ARMY MASSACRES

MASACRES COMETIDAS POR EL EJERCITO

1981-1985



Massacre - mass killing without any previous selection of individual victims.
- Aim - to create terror

N.B. Due to the difficulty of indicating all the massacres on the map, only those are indicated where there were 10 or more people killed. Information on the massacres is partial and incomplete. Due to the repression it has not always been possible to condemn the atrocities.

The massacres, combined with the 'scorched earth' policy is a part of the counterinsurgency plan of the Guatemalan Army.

○: Massacre of 10-15 people
●: Massacre of 50 people or more.

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EVEN IN 1985, THE YEAR OF THE ELECTIONS, THE MASSACRES CONTINUE

The actual President, General Oscar Mejía Víctores, has constantly repeated that the massacres are a thing of the past and the responsibility of previous governments.

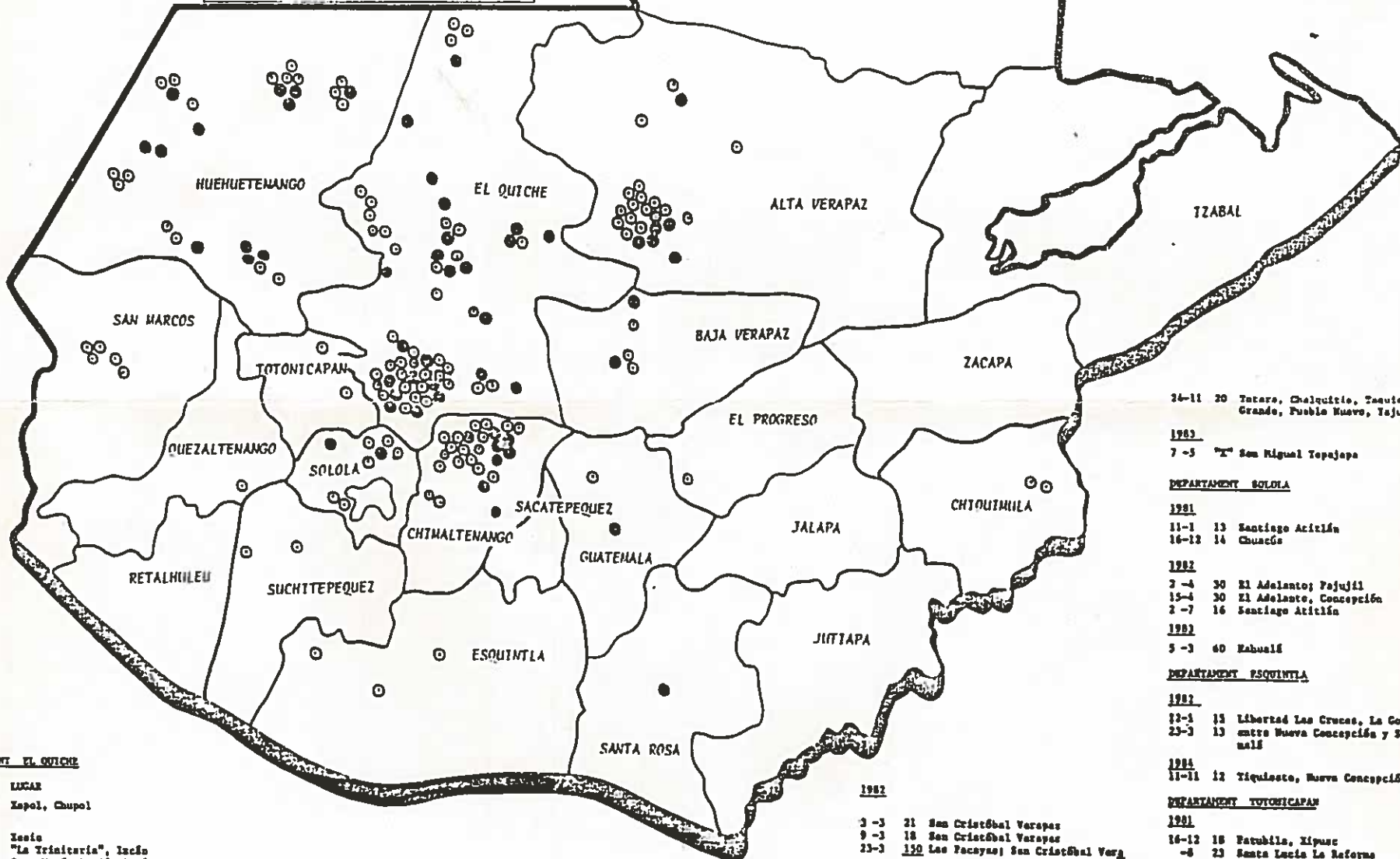
However if we look over his curriculum vitae we find that:

- He has undergone counterinsurgency training in the School of the Americas in Panama as well as in the United States.

- In the government of General Lucas García (1978-1982) he was vice-Minister of Defense.

- General Ríos Montt (1982-1983) appointed him Minister of Defense. It was during this period that the Army realized the greatest number of massacres.

His direct responsibility for the continuing massacres and other human rights violations is evident.



DEPARTAMENTO EL QUICHÉ

- 1981 + LUCAR
16-12 17 Xopol, Chupol
- 1982
10-1 24 Ixcán
10-2 45 "La Trinitaria", Ixcán
16-2 17 Sta. María Teojó, Ixcán
16-2 27 Sta. Tomás Ixcán
27-2 16 "Kaibil Balam", Ixcán
7-3 100 Pocerero Viejo, San Antonio Sinaché; Zacualpa
- 23-3 100 Pajerstuy, Pichiquil
29-3 40 Sta. Cruz del Quiché
30-3 35 Chiquim
31-3 25 Tzabal
01-3 10 Chupulul
0-4 40 Xinbaruc; Chiquim
0-4 11 Xinbaruc; Chiquim
0-4 29 Chucerrales, Semajé; Sta. Cruz del Quiché
- 0-4 100 Nangal
0-4 35 Chel, Jué, Anochel; Chajul
0-4 35 Finca Covadonga
- 12-4 20 Santa Rosa Chujuyub
12-4 20 Semajé I; Chichicastenango
23-4 12 Semajé II; Chichicastenango
16-3 33 San Juan Cotzal, Chichel, Patzún
29-4 100 Chujuj; Uspantán
29-4 200 Cuarto Pueblo
16-4 34 Macalbéj
-4 "La Estancia; Sta. Cruz del Quiché
- 20-4 30 Chichatul, Xecic
0-5 100 San Andrés Sajcabajé
0-5 44 Saquilil II; Chichicastenango
23-3 13 Semajé II; Chichicastenango
16-3 33 San Juan Cotzal, Chichel, Patzún
17-3 83 San Juan Cotzal, Saquilil, San Gaspar
- 19-3 110 Saquilil II; Chichicastenango
19-3 67 Chichicastenango
19-3 30 Xuculpa
19-3 14 Ximbaruc; Chajul
20-3 16 Patzún
20-3 25 Cuevas
20-3 43 Chichicastenango
20-3 12 San Juan Cotzal
21-3 30 Zacualpa
24-3 24 Chiché
3-4 43 Sta. Cruz del Quiché
14-4 14 Chiquim
13-4 120 Chichel; Chajul
13-4 18 Capán; Uspantán
23-4 11 La Vega de las Flores; Chiquim
23-4 14 La Vega de las Flores; Chiquim
0-4 50 Pol; Chajul
0-7 26 Uspantán
0-7 78 Santa María Dolores
14-7 32 Xucupul; Chichicastenango
03-8 11 Chichicastenango
31-7 61 Leonel E. Lacomé II; Chichicastenango
1-12 23 Samal Chiquico

1983

- 6-1 19 Xelbal; Ixcán
8-2 100 Tzicoych; Chajul
7-2 25 Nabaj
13-4 100 Xocaxaj; Joyabaj

1984

- 4 "La Estancia; Sta. Cruz del Quiché
30-8 13 Nabaj
30-8 30 Farramos, Tzabal; Nabaj

DEPARTAMENTO HUEHUETENANGO

- 1981
1-5 34 San Mateo Ixtatán
1-6 50 Huehuetenango
12-7 15 El Quetzal; Barillas
18-12 25 Copellansa; Chiantia
- 1982
0-1 50 San Antonio Huista
-3 34 Icalquijal, Colotenango
29-4 120 San Mateo Ixtatán, San Juan Ixcay, San Antonio Huista
- 30-4 240 Ximbaruc; Colotenango
8-5 13 Chamazú; La Democracia
18-3 32 Finca Piedras Blancas, Ixcán
23-4 30 Comajché; Barillas
23-4 10 Ocaño, Facental; San Mateo Ixtatán
- 23-6 14 Macapuzlac; Barillas
27-6 120 Quilil; Barillas
4-7 10 San Mateo Ixtatán
13-7 27 Solop; San Mateo Ixtatán
14-7 76 Patanac; San Mateo Ixtatán
16-7 120 San Francisco; Mentón
19-7 15 Yalcuyas; Mentón
30-7 200 San Miguel Acetán
21-7 40 Yalabonoch; Mentón
23-7 60 Santa Teresa
23-7 13 Jerbojoch; San Mateo Ixtatán
27-7 22 Chaj; Aguacatán
24-8 15 La Democracia
- 1983
23-2 19 San Idelfonso; Intabucán
13-4 300 Chiantia
19-4 300 Chiantia

DEPARTAMENTO CHIMALTENANGO

- 1981
4-2 35 Sacalá; Las Lomas
5-2 10 Pachay; Las Lomas
9-4 24 Chuchajit; San Martín Jilotepeque
- 1-12 13 Patzún
- 1982
3-1 11 Farramos
7-1 11 Los Choyes; San Martín Jilotepeque
- 18-3 13 San Juan Comalapa
20-3 20 San Juan Comalapa
26-3 54 Pacoc
28-3 18 Pachay; Las Lomas
31-3 20 Estancia de la Virgen
28-3 250 Chicocón, Chuatulú; San Martín Jilotepeque
- 26-4 20 Chitón, Patzún
28-4 13 Verituc; San Martín Jilotepeque
28-4 20 Chipicuil, Patzún
3-5 15 Farramos
18-5 84 Chuatulú; San Martín Jilotepeque
- 4 18 Patzún, Pachay; San Martín Jilotepeque
17-7 42 Patulul, Pujumay
28-7 50 Las Colinas; Zaragoza
-7 42 Pujumay
18-8 100 Las Canoas; San Martín Jilotepeque
- 27-9 27 San Martín Jilotepeque
3-10 17 San José Poquí
19-10 100 San Martín Jilotepeque
- 1983
21-1 10 Xecotán Alta
23-4 125 Las Canoas; San Martín Jilotepeque

DEPARTAMENTO ALTA VERAPAZ

- 1981
12-12 25 San Cristóbal Verapaz
18-12 13 Yalpmeh

1982

- 3-3 21 San Cristóbal Verapaz
9-3 18 San Cristóbal Verapaz
23-3 120 Las Pacayas; San Cristóbal Verapaz
- 4-4 18 San Cristóbal Verapaz
10-4 43 Los Carrisores; Eubalchoc
10-5 20 Chirripe
19-3 15 Hujtilagunaj
1-4 200 Pambach; San Cristóbal Verapaz
4-4 14 San Cristóbal Verapaz
7-4 15 Hujtilagunaj
7-6 23 Chiyuc; San Cristóbal Verapaz
8-6 10 Procolá; San Pedro Carchá
11-6 13 Las Pacayas; San Cristóbal Verapaz
- 14-4 96 Pambach; San Cristóbal Verapaz
17-4 20 San Marcos
-6 17 San Pedro Carchá
-6 80 Las Pacayas; El Rancho, Hujtilagunaj
- 300 Chisac
-4 100 Tactic
13-7 13 San Cristóbal Verapaz
18-7 18 El Sauce
- 1983
8-8 32 San Pedro, Hinaljococ
23-8 13 Samuy; Chisac
9-9 24 San José; Cobán

DEPARTAMENTO BAJA VERAPAZ

- 1982
23-3 33 Chitucón
3-2 13 Hincabéj; Rabinal
13-3 172 Río Negro; Rabinal
27-7 10 Xocac, Buena Vista, Patzúnán; Rabinal
- 18-7 223 Xucupul, Plan de Sánchez, Comcul
- 1983
20-4 100 Josefinos; La Libertad
29-4 100 Palacatán; La Libertad

DEPARTAMENTO SAN MARCOS

- 1982
7-1 42 Sacuchum Dolores, San Francisco El Tablón, San Pedro Sacatepeque
- 9-1 20 San Cristóbal
20-8 11 Tajumulco
23-11 16 Montecristo; Tajumulco

- 24-11 20 Totaro, Chelquicil, Tacuán Grande, Pueblo Nuevo, Tajumulco

1983

- 7-5 "X" San Miguel Topajapa

DEPARTAMENTO SOLOLA

- 1981
11-1 13 Santiago Atitlán
16-12 14 Chucón

1982

- 2-4 30 El Adelanto; Pajujil
15-4 30 El Adelanto, Concepción
2-7 16 Santiago Atitlán

1983

- 5-3 60 Kahuallé

DEPARTAMENTO ESQUINTLA

- 1982
12-1 15 Libertad Las Cruces, La Comera
23-3 13 entre Nueva Concepción y Sigümalá

1984

- 11-11 12 Tiquilaco, Nueva Concepción

DEPARTAMENTO TOTONICAPÁN

- 1981
16-12 18 Patubilla, Xipuc
-8 23 Santa Lucía La Reforma

DEPARTAMENTO GUATEMALA

- 1982
-3 10 San Juan Sacatepeque

DEPARTAMENTO CHIQUIMULA

- 1983
-9 12 San Miguel, Jocotón

DEPARTAMENTO QUEZALTENANGO

- 1982
11-7 15 Estancia de la Cruz, Las Cuevas; Lucil

1984

- 30-8 16 San Juan Ostuncalc, Concepción Chiquirichapa

DEPARTAMENTO EL PROGRESO

- 1982
1-2 16 San Antonio La Paz

DEPARTAMENTO SANTA ROSA

- 1982
8-2 30 Chiquimilla

DEPARTAMENTO SUCHITEPEQUEZ

- 1982
11-3 14 Suchitepeque
18-3 12 Mastecang

1984

- 3-10 12 Finca "San Pedro", Río Nuevo

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