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DAYTON, Ohio, May 7, 1984 -- The University of Dayton will award the degree of Juris Doctor to 114 men and 44 women at the School of Law commencement exercises Sunday, May 20, at 2 p.m. in the UD Arena. Antonin Scalia, circuit judge in the U.S. Court of Appeals, will be this year's commencement speaker.

On Saturday, May 19, the law students will host a reception for family and friends at 3:30 p.m. in the Albert Emanuel Hall lobby. On the morning of graduation, there will be a special Mass at 11:30 in the UD Immaculate Conception Chapel, and following the graduation ceremony there will be a reception in the Kennedy Union Torch Lounge.

Scalia was the assistant attorney general in the U.S. Department of Justice - Office of Legal Counsel from 1974 to 1977, and he was the chairman of the U.S. Administrative Conference from 1972 to 1974. During 1971-72, he served as general counsel on telecommunications policy in the Executive Office.

Specializing in administrative and constitutional law, and regulated industries, Scalia has taught at the University of Chicago, Stanford University, Georgetown University, and the University of Virginia Law School. He graduated magna cum laude from Harvard Law School in 1960.

Scalia has served as editor of Regulation magazine and chairman of the administrative law section of the American Bar Association. He has been a member of the Advisory Council of the American Enterprise Institute Legal Policy Studies Program, and he was on the board of directors of the Center for Administrative Justice. He has been published in numerous legal publications, and from 1961 to 1967 he had a private practice with a Cleveland, Ohio law firm.