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DVORAK DEVOTEE TO CONDUCT USD ORCHESTRA

San Diego music lovers will have the rare opportunity to hear the music of Antonin Dvorak--his eighth symphony--conducted by a musical descendant of the great master on Sunday, November 8, when Dr. Henry Kolar appears with the University of San Diego Orchestra in a concert program at the Alcala Park campus.

Kolar, a professor of music at the University, studied under a student of Dvorak at the Conservatory of Prague. Kolar relates that he has "a particular affinity for the eighth symphony for two reasons: it is performed less frequently than the "New World" symphony, and it brings to mind the many personal anecdotes I heard about Dvorak when I was a student in Prague."

Feature performance of the program will be the appearance of Fr. Nicolas Reveles as solo artist in the Beethoven Piano Concerto No. 1. Reveles, well-known in San Diego for his artistry, recently appeared in recital in the San Diego Public Library series and was described by the critic for the San Diego Union as a "serious and sensitive musician."

The entire concert, which also includes a performance of the Overture to Mozart's Marriage of Figaro," is being dedicated

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to the memory of the late Dr. William Hart, member of the USD Orchestra until his death last year, and husband of Professor Marjorie Hart who performs, with Reveles and Kolar, in the Alcala Trio, a chamber music group.

The November 8 concert begins at 4:00 p.m. and will be held in Camino Theater. There is no admission charge, and the public is invited to attend.

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