

## **"Celebration of Life" honoring Paul Saltman to be held Oct. 11 in Revelle Plaza at UCSD**

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Media Contact: Pat JaCoby, (858) 534-7404 or [pjacoby@ucsd.edu](mailto:pjacoby@ucsd.edu) `CELEBRATION OF LIFE' HONORING PAUL SALTMAN TO BE HELD OCT. 11 IN REVELLE PLAZA AT UCSD

Speakers representing the legions of students who were inspired and mentored by the late Paul D. Saltman will be featured at a "celebration" of his life to be held at 4 p.m. Oct. 11 in Revelle Plaza at the University of California, San Diego.

Community members are invited to join UCSD students, staff and faculty in honoring the renowned academician/communicator who died Aug. 27 of cancer.

Murray Goodman, professor of chemistry and biochemistry, will serve as master of ceremonies. Joining the students in eulogizing the biologist and nutrition expert, who served 32 years at UCSD, will be Chancellor Robert Dynes; Senior Vice Chancellor Marsha Chandler; Suresh Subramani, chairman of the Department of Biology; Jonathan Singer, research professor, Department of Biology; Linda Strause, lecturer, Department of Biology, and Nancy Groves, director of advising, Revelle College.

Jazz numbers by Jimmy and Jeanie Cheatham and The Sweet Baby Blues, one of Saltman's favorite groups, will precede the program. Cecil W. Lytle, professor, Department of Music, will perform piano numbers during the program. Light refreshments will follow.

With his contagious excitement and respect for learning and teaching, Saltman was a legend on the UCSD campus. He served as provost of Revelle College from 1967 to 1972 and as vice chancellor for Academic Affairs from 1972 to 1980 before devoting full time to his real passions: teaching and research.

He was the winner of eight Outstanding Teacher awards at UCSD, Excellence in Teaching awards from each of the five UCSD colleges, and awards from his faculty colleagues, the alumni and the Chancellor's Associates. Hailed by University of California President Richard Atkinson as "a Renaissance man whose integrity, scholarly interests and love of learning were reflected in all he did," Dr. Saltman was the first recipient of the Academic Senate Career Teaching Award in 1994, and the Paul D. Saltman Endowed Chair in Science Education was established in his honor in June, 1999.

Community attendees are encouraged to enter the campus at either the Gilman Drive or Revelle College Drive entrances and follow the signs for parking.

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