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DULUTH -- Dr. Roy Arthur Swanson will be featured speaker at the fourth annual Lutheran Clergy-UMD Faculty Dialogue dinner at 6 p.m. Sunday, May 16, at Elim Lutheran Church.

A professor of classics at the University of Minnesota in Minneapolis, Dr. Swanson will talk on "Religion in Existentialist Literature."

Dr. Paul Monson, associate professor of biology at UMD, will moderate the discussion following Dr. Swanson's address.

Dr. Swanson teaches courses in ancient, medieval and modern world humanities, political science and comparative literature. He has written two books: "Odi et Amo: The Complete Poetry of Catullus" and "Heart of Reason."

He is the editor of The Minnesota Review and has presented two series of lectures on the University of Minnesota program series. He has recently received a grant from the Lilly Post-Doctoral Fellowship Program in religion for 1965-66.

The dinner is intended as a creative meeting of the church and University to consider common tasks and problems. It is also meant to be a beginning of a continuing dialogue between clergy and faculty.

The event is planned by the Duluth Directing Committee of the Lutheran Student Foundation of Minnesota with The Rev. Wilbert Johnson as chairman.