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Tickets for the 6th annual Pacem in Terris Awards Banquet went on sale today at five Quad City locations: Toney's Barber & Beauty Shop, 11th & Ripley; Cecile's Beauty Shop, 225 W. 14th; Public Service Desk, Times Democrat, 124 E 2nd; and the CIC office, 412 Brady (ph. 326-5695) --all in Davenport, and at Cunningham's Religious Art Shop, 3920 14th Ave., Rock Island. Banquet tickets are \$7.50 each. A limited number of of special tickets for students only are being made available on all Quad City college campuses at \$1.00. This will allow a limited number of students to hear the main address following the banquet.

Saul Alinsky, the nation's leading community organizer, will be present to receive the 1969 Pacem in Terris Peace and Freedom Award from the Davenport Catholic Interracial Council. The Awards Banquet will be Tuesday, May 13, 7:00 P.M., Hotel Blackhawk. Besides the award to Alinsky, four local citizens to be announced later, will receive Merit Awards for their contribution to social justice locally.



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Alinsky is a firm believer in citizen participation, stating:  
"I do not believe that democracy can survive, except as a formality, if the ordinary citizen's part is limited to voting -- if he is incapable of initiative and unable to influence the political, social and economic structures surrounding him."