

MEDIA ALERT – November 13, 2017

**Riveting Oscar® Winner *Guess Who's Coming to Dinner*
Returns to Movie Theaters for 50th Anniversary on Two Days Only,
December 10 and 13, as Part of the TCM Big Screen Classics Series**



- **WHAT:** Oscar® winners **Spencer Tracy** and **Katharine Hepburn**, along with **Katharine Houghton** in her screen debut, play a liberal San Francisco family whose peace is broken by the arrival of Oscar® winner **Sidney Poitier**. Their meeting together offers a microcosm of a nation in the midst of social upheaval in [Guess Who's Coming to Dinner](#), the classic, Academy Award®-winning comedy-drama that returns to U.S. cinemas on December 10 and 13 only – exactly 50 years since the film got audiences talking about its treatment of subjects that had never before explored by a major Hollywood film.

Hepburn and Tracy are Christina and Matt Drayton, a wealthy, liberal San Francisco couple whose daughter Joey (Houghton) returns from a trip to Hawaii with an unexpected fiancé: John Prentice (Poitier). He sounds like everything they hope: a doctor who's even a candidate for the Nobel Peace prize. What they don't realize is that he's black, and their leisurely dinner becomes an evening fraught with tension.

Produced and directed by legendary **Stanley Kramer** from a screenplay written by **William Rose**, *Guess Who's Coming to Dinner* was originally released on December 12, 1967 – and a half-century later has lost none of its power to captivate and challenge audiences. All screenings, which are part of the [TCM Big Screen Classics](#) series, will also include specially-produced commentary before and after the feature by TCM Host **Tiffany Vazquez**.

- **WHO:** Fathom Events, Turner Classic Movies and Sony Pictures Entertainment
- **WHEN:** Sunday, December 10 – 2:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. (local time)
Wednesday, December 13 – 2:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. (local time)
- **WHERE:** Tickets for [*Guess Who's Coming to Dinner*](#) can be purchased online by visiting www.FathomEvents.com or at participating theater box offices. Fans throughout the U.S. will be able to enjoy the event in more than 750 select movie theaters through Fathom's Digital Broadcast Network (DBN). For a complete list of theater locations visit the Fathom Events website (*theaters and participants are subject to change*).

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