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   “Defending Human Dignity.”
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   Commentary *(Note: no period)*
4. Volume. Issue  
   124.5
5. Date published  
6. Page number(s)  
   53-61.
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9. Date of access (day month year)  
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