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Secs2Date Convert "raw" seconds into <u>DateTimeRec</u> format

#include <<u>OSUtils.h</u>>

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void Secs2Date(secs, dtrp);

long secs; the "raw" seconds value to convert
DateTimeRec *dtrp; receives the corresponding date and time

Secs2Date converts a "raw" seconds value (as obtained from **Date2Secs**, **GetDateTime**, et al.) and converts it into valid <u>DateTimeRec</u> field values

secs is a "raw" seconds value; i.e., a count of seconds since Midnight, 1/1/1904.

dtrp is the address of a 14-byte <u>DateTimeRec</u> structure. Upon return, its fields have been set to the <u>year</u>, <u>month</u>, <u>day</u>, <u>hour</u>, <u>minute</u>, <u>second</u>, and <u>dayOfWeek</u> corresponding to the value of secs. Leap years, and other oddities of the calendar are handled correctly.

Returns: none

Notes: **Secs2Date** is useful for obtaining a palatable date and time from a raw seconds value. The former is handy for human consumption, the later is handy for date and time calculations and comparisons. See **Date2Secs** for an example of usage.

Use the **<u>IUDateString</u>** and **<u>IUTimeString</u>** functions to convert "raw" seconds directly into a string.

Since the base date for the "raw seconds" value is 1/1/1904 and since secs is a 32-bit value, you won't be able to calculate with dates beyond February 6, 2040.