Investiture, November 11, 2013

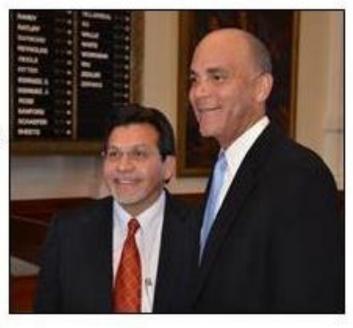






HIS RIGHTHAND RAISED,

Chief Justice Nathan L.
Hecht takes his oath from
U.S. Supreme Court Justice
Antonin Scalia, top photo,
in the formal investiture
ceremony Monday in the
Texas House Chamber.
Justice Jeff Brown, his
right hand stretched toward



the ceiling, takes his oath moments later, below left. Before administering the oaths, Justice Scalia addresses an audience that packed the House floor and gallery, below right. Former Chief Justice Wallace B. Jefferson, photo below Justice Scalia, gives farewell remarks. Jefferson with former Justice Alberto Gonzales, bottom left, and Justice Scalia with Houston lawyer Joe Jamail, bottom right.