## HALL OF ACHIEVEMENT

## 1997/1998 Journal

## Dr. John F. Young Class of 1979

Dr. Young is grateful to the faculty of CHS for encouraging him in his pursuit of becoming a concert pianist. He earned his A.B. from Oberlin College, his A.M.T. from Emory University, and his Ed.D. from Howard University. He has twice been nominated for the Presidential Award for Excellence in Mathematics Teaching. He was a finalist in the National Teacher of the Year Program from the District of Columbia Public Schools, and the National Woodrow Wilson Fellow at Princeton University. Dr. Young's work in the community and with AIDS patients has been his greatest spiritual reward.

"You can achieve your goals and dreams in spite of almost any situation if you have faith in God, work hard, and believe in yourself."