

## CONCERT ORGANIST

John Weaver, one of the America's finest concert organists, was Director of Music at Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church in New York City from 1970 to 2005. He was Head of the Organ Department at the Curtis Institute of Music in Philadelphia from 1972 to 2003, and also Chair of the Organ Department at The Juilliard School from 1987 to 2004. He currently lives in Vermont and continues to concertize and lead workshops and master classes around the world.

In 1989 Dr. Weaver was honored by The Peabody Conservatory when he was presented with Peabody's Distinguished Alumni Award. He has received honorary Doctor of Music degrees from Westminster College, New Wilmington PA, and The Curtis Institute of Music. In 2005 he was named "International Performer of the Year" by the New York City chapter of the American Guild of Organists. In October 2008 he was the recipient of the Distinguished Alumni Award from Union Theological Seminary.

Dr. Weaver has been active as a concert organist throughout the USA, Canada, Western Europe, the United Kingdom, and Brazil, playing recital programs drawn from his large repertoire of memorized works from every important era and national school of organ literature.

His most recent recording release The Organ and Choral music of John Weaver is available on the JAV label and features a program of his own organ and choral compositions. His published compositions for organ, chorus/organ and flute/organ are widely performed.

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