TO OUR READERS:

Edina High School's *Image 1992*, the student literary magazine, achieved "Highest Award" status as recognition of excellence by the National Council of Teachers of English. "Highest Awards" were given to 37 schools nation wide out of 284 schools vying for the honor.

Charles Miller's "Outcome Based Education (OBE) and Performance Assessment in One School District" is the first article on OBE to appear in this journal. We hope that readers will submit more articles on this topic which affects so many of us.

Our apologies for the delay in publishing this issue of MEJ. We were waiting on two of the articles which appear within.

With this issue, we have completed our four-year term as editors of MEJ. Gayle Gaskill, an Associate Professor of English at the College of St. Catherine in St. Paul, has graciously offered to assume editorial responsibility, beginning with the Fall, 1993 issue. Our thanks to all of you who have been faithful readers, and especial thanks to those of you who have submitted articles for publication. We have enjoyed working with you, and with the Minnesota Council of Teachers of English Advisory Board.