

HALL OF FAME INDUCTEE

BR. HAROLD M. DELANEY, C.F.C



Harold M. Delaney entered Power Memorial Academy in September 1937. He graduated in 1941 and subsequently entered the Congregation of Christian Brothers. His path to college was delayed by a tour of duty in the United States Army from 1942-1946 serving in both the United States and European Theaters of Operation including the Battle of the Bulge.

Br. Delaney holds a number of degrees. He received his BS from Fordham College, Cum Laude in 1948, and also has his MA in Economics from Fordham which he received in 1955. In addition he has an Administration & Supervision of Secondary Schools Certification from Seton Hall University that he received in 1964. Additional post graduate studies include being a Candidate for Ph.D. in Economics from Fordham, studies at the National Credit Institute in NY and the University of Oberammergau in Germany.

Br. Delaney began his educational career as a teacher at Cardinal Hayes High School 1950-51, then at Power Memorial as a teacher, Department Chairman and Director of Guidance from 1951-1961. He then went to Msgr. Farrell High School as Principal 1961-1967. He was then named Principal of Iona Preparatory School in 1967 to 1975.

Br. Delaney became Provincial of the Congregation of Christian Brothers, Eastern American Province in 1975. He held that position until 1985 when he was named Director of Development for the Congregation. He remained in that position until 1998. In 1998 he was named to the Staff at St. Joseph's Care Center.

During his career in education and service to the Congregation of Christian Brothers, Br. Delaney received many accolades and much recognition, including awards from Iona College and Iona Preparatory School, the Blessed Edmund Rice Apostolic Medal and Installation in the Hall of Fame Society of Msgr. Farrell High School. He also has served on many professional organizations and committees including for the New York Archdiocese, Christian Brothers and Iona College, where he served on the Board of Trustees for over 13 years and became Chairman of the Iona College Board of Trustees.

Br. Delaney has also traveled the world, including visits to the Americas, Far East, Europe and China.