Benjamin Dodson (LD 2001) is cited for academic scholarship in the field of mathematics, as demonstrated by his educational experiences at premier American universities and his remarkable ability to instruct others in the classroom about mathematics. He received his Doctor of Philosophy Degree from the University of North Carolina in 2009, and completed a Post Doctoral Fellowship at the University of California at Berkeley. He has been appointed as a assistant professor in the Department of Mathematics at Johns Hopkins University. For all of us who have struggled with complex mathematics, his aptitude and enthusiasm for the field are truly noteworthy. Professor Dodson was nominated by **Joseph Longenecker** and **Chad Lister** (LD 2001), history teachers at Lower Dauphin.