Vicki Powell - Violist

Praised by the New York Times for her "probing introspection", and by the Philadelphia Inquirer as "a star" with "a voluptuous tone," violist **Vicki Powell** has appeared as soloist with the Philadelphia Orchestra, the Milwaukee Symphony, and the Wisconsin Chamber Orchestra, and has been a featured artist at the Ravinia and Marlboro Music Festivals.

Ms. Powell is the recipient of a Gold Award in Music from the National Foundation for Advancement in the Arts. Other awards include top prizes at the Primrose International Viola Competition, the Philadelphia Orchestra Greenfield Competition, the Johansen International Competition, and the Aspen Low Strings Competition.

An avid chamber musician, Ms. Powell performs as a member of the Vuilliani String Quartet, and has been invited on tours across the country with Musicians from Marlboro, Musicians from Ravinia's Steans Institute, and Curtis on Tour. Ms. Powell has collaborated with prominent artists such as Mitsuko Uchida, Arnold Steinhardt, Ida Kavafian, Peter Wiley, Miriam Fried, Jonathan Biss, Carter Brey, Steven Tenenbom, and Joseph Silverstein.

Ms. Powell is a graduate of the Juilliard School and the Curtis Institute of Music where she studied with Misha Amory and Roberto Diaz.