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Janet Jackson was honored with the Humanitarian Award last night, by a gay organization from Beverly Hills, for her contribution at funds raising at the American Foundation for AIDS Research, the Elton John AIDS Foundation and the Children Affected by AIDS Foundation. Janet received the prize from actor Alan Cummings, who, at her presentation, made a joke about the breast incident at the Super Bowl. Janet apologized once again for that incident. "My family and I have just gone through the least humorous chapter of our lives," she explained in accepting the award Saturday night from the Human Rights Campaign. "I'm going to leave the jokes to the late-night (comics), if that's OK." "What I've learned in these recent months is that there is a light at the end of the tunnel," Janet Jackson said. "And it's real, it's a beautiful light that both comforts our minds and strengthens our souls. Tonight my heart is filled with gratitude for that light. I'm so grateful that prayers are answered, that faith is rewarded and tolerance is celebrated as a virtue. I'm grateful that God is of unconditional love."