## Phyllis J. Wilson, MA, BSN, RN – U.S. Army Chief Warrant Officer 5 (Retired)



Phyllis Wilson served 37 years in the Army as a Military Intelligence (MI) Voice Intercept Operator/ Intelligence Analyst. She became an Army Warrant Officer in 1989 and served until February 2018 rising to the rank of Chief Warrant Officer Five (CW5).

CW5 Phyllis J. Wilson served as the 5th Command Chief Warrant Officer for the United States Army Reserve. She was also a Senior Military Fellow with the Chief of Staff of the Army's Strategic Studies Group focused on Global issues 2050 and beyond. Her last assignment was at the U.S. Army Warrant officer Career College, Fort Rucker, AL as the Course Director of Warrant Officer Senior Service Education (WOSSE).

Phyllis is a Registered Nurse and holds two master's degrees, two Bachelor of Science degrees, three Associate degrees, and a certificate in

Non-Profit Management from Duke University. She attended the Defense Language Institute for both German and Spanish. She is a graduate of the Program in Advanced Security Studies at the George C. Marshall Center and School in Garmisch, Germany.

Her military decorations and awards include the Legion of Merit with OLC, Defense Meritorious Service Medal, the Meritorious Service Medal with OLC, ... the Army Parachutist Badge, and the Army Staff Badge. In 2017, she was inducted into the Army Women's Foundation Hall of Fame.

She is President of the <u>Women in Military Service for America</u> Memorial Foundation – the only major national memorial honoring the 3 Million women who have defended America from the Revolutionary War to today. Phyllis serves as an <u>Army Reserve Ambassador</u> for Maryland which is afforded the rights, privileges and protocol status of a VIP-5, a 2-Star General Officer equivalent.

Phyllis is a member of The American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Military Order of the World Wars, Association of the United States Army, Association of the United States Navy, Women Marines Association, Reserve Organization of America, Military Women Across the Nation, Army Women Veterans Association, Military Officers Association of America, Disabled American Veterans, Air Force Association, **U.S. Army Warrant Officers Association (USAWOA)**, the Mayflower Society, the Daughters of the American Revolution, National Defense Industrial Association, and Women In Defense.

CW5 Wilson is a past president of two different USAWOA Chapters, the Lord Fairfax Silver Chapter, Fort Belvoir, VA and the Above the Best Silver Chapter at Fort Rucker, AL. She also contributes to USAWOA at the National Level as a past treasurer and now as the fundraising organizer. Phyllis has received the Honorable Order of the Eagle Rising – Gold Award.

In March 2020, Phyllis was named a Power Player of the Week on Fox News Sunday with Chris Wallace. View the Video Here.

