



**Phyllis J. Wilson, MPA, BSN, RN - US Army Chief Warrant Officer 5 (Retired)  
President, Military Women's Memorial**



Phyllis Wilson served 37 years in the Army as a Military Intelligence (MI) Voice Intercept Operator. She has served around the globe – visiting more than 35 countries – in Europe, Asia, Africa, South America and North America. She has been mobilized numerous times to shoulder the duties of defense of the nation and has deployed to Iraq several times as an Intelligence Analyst with Special Operations.

Chief Warrant Officer Five Phyllis J. Wilson served as the most senior Warrant Officer in the entire United States Army Reserve and a key member of the Executive Team managing an organization of more than 200,000 personnel with an annual operating budget of more than \$8 Billion.

Phyllis is a Registered Nurse and holds two Master's degree, two Bachelor of Science 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.

She has received numerous military decorations and awards ranging from the Legion of Merit to the Army Parachutist Badge. She has been inducted into the Army Women's Foundation Hall of Fame and the U.S. Veterans Hall of Fame.

She is President of the [Military Women's Memorial Foundation](#) – the only major national memorial honoring the 3 Million women who have defended America from the Revolutionary War to today. The Secretary of Defense has appointed her to the [Reserve Forces Policy Board](#). She is a member of the Board of Directors for [Policy Vets](#) and [Allied Forces Foundation](#). She is a [Senior Fellow](#) at Association of the United States Army (AUSA).

Phyllis is a member of numerous Military Service Organizations such as 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, the Mayflower Society, the Daughters of the American Revolution, National Defense Industrial Association, and Women In Defense.

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

She has eight children and sixteen grandchildren! Four of her sons are *combat veterans*.

