

Nancy Kearney

Candidate: Department of Virginia

VFW Auxiliary Guard

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Greetings Brothers and Sisters of Virginia:

My name is Nancy Kearney, from VFW Auxiliary 3103 in District 8 and I would be honored and humbled to have your support for Guard for the Department of Virginia for the ensuing 2023-2024 year.

I'm a Lifetime member of the VFW Auxiliary since 2018 under the eligibility of my two sons currently serving in the United States Marine Corps. I'm also, the proud daughter of a WWII Veteran of the United States Navy. Married to my husband John for 35 years together we have five sons, 5 daughter in-laws, and 11 grandchildren.

Having a long-demonstrated record of leadership and community involvement with the Catholic Church as Stewardship Director, and Diocesan Council member together we were able to improve membership attendance, volunteering, and charitable giving, as well as plan and orchestrate many workshops during conventions. From these experiences I have been able to initiate many helpful techniques to assist non-profit organizations such as: Coordinator for the Devil Pups Youth Program in Southern Nevada, Past President of Blue Star Mothers of Fredericksburg, Past Chaplain of Disabled American Veterans Auxiliary, Past President for Marine Corps League Ladies Auxiliary, Past Coordinator for Our Community Salutes of Fredericksburg, Past Ambassador for Homes for Our Troops, Associate member Marine Corps League Co-chairperson for Toys for Tots events, and a proud life member of the VFW National Home.

Our members have enhanced and expanded efforts within our Auxiliary with the following: Home School Students Patriotic Seminar, Membership Recognition luncheons, C.H.A.T. Group (Creative Hearts and Talents) where all members are invited to participate sharing positive ideas to improve the quality and health of our auxiliary. Since our CHAT began, we have expanded communications for our auxiliary members through an active social media page, a website, calendar of events, and most importantly we have improved the relationship between our Post and Auxiliary members. Together we work as a team constantly developing new and creative solutions to improve our Post home building and quality of life to our veterans, their families, and our community. Due to these efforts over the last four years our Auxiliary has tripled in membership.

Currently, I am proudly serving as District 8 Sr. Vice President, and Auxiliary President. In addition, I've served as District chairperson for Mentoring and Trustee. Also, representing the VFW Auxiliary at the Fredericksburg Area Veterans Council (FAVC) as the Trustee and Secretary.

I'm deeply grateful for the support of my family, our Auxiliary and our Post for their faith, confidence, and trust in me to pursue the position of Department Guard. I believe when we work together, we can accomplish great things. With your support, I promise to continue the mission of this great organization through hard work, dedication, and compassion.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Yours In Service,

Nancy Kearney