

Department of Arkansas

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Pearl Gordon



Pearl Gordon, of Sherwood, Arkansas, is the 2024–2025 Arkansas State President of the American Legion Auxiliary Department of Arkansas. She earned her eligibility through her husband, Antoine "Tony" Gordon, a retired U.S. Air Force veteran. Pearl has been an active Auxiliary member since 2018, serving in multiple leadership roles within Unit 74 in Sherwood.

Born in Little Rock and a graduate of Wilbur D. Mills High School, Pearl holds a Bachelor of Science in Business Management from Park University and a Master of Science in Operations Management from the University of Arkansas. Her professional background includes diverse roles, most recently with UAMS.

Pearl and Tony are the third husband-and-wife team in Arkansas history to simultaneously lead the Legion and Auxiliary. Together, they aim to strengthen the Legion Family through improved communication, collaboration, and shared leadership values. They reside in Jacksonville, Arkansas, and are active members of Jacksonville Baptist Temple.