

Introducing Charman Reuter: Payroll Administrator for Eagle Ridge Resort & Spa



Charman Reuter has been with Eagle Ridge Resort & Spa for 29 years as our Payroll Administrator but as we found out, that wasn't originally what she wanted to be. Sitting Down and talking with Charman this is what she had to say when asked about her career. "When I was young, I always thought I wanted to be a cosmetologist. I went to Capri Cosmetology College right after high school and became licensed in Wisconsin and Iowa. I soon realized this wasn't the career for me". I tried to dig a little deeper about why, but Charman kind of past on answering that question and went right on to talk about her next career move.

After leaving Cosmetology Charman went on to Southwest Tech where she completed her associate degree in accounting. "Turns out I love working with numbers!" and we are glad she does.

Over 29 years ago, Charman was hired as a seasonal Accounts Receivable assistant at Eagle Ridge Inn. After just 2 weeks, Charman was offered the position of Payroll Administrator. Simply put Charman says, "my job is to pay the employees".

Charmant makes this sound simple when you talk with her, but when you really start drilling down what her job entails, this is what Charman had to say. "My job really isn't that simple. During our peak season, we have over 300 active employees. Many of them work in multiple locations. It's very important to me that all employees are paid accurately every pay day. This job can be very challenging...but that's what I love about it!"

Asked about the memories working with Eagle Ridge Charmant went on to talk about the company picnics and Holiday parties which are especially fun because she gets to know coworkers who we may not normally see every day", Charman goes on to say, " The accounting office is like a little family and I am so thankful to work with such amazing people."

Charman lives about an hour away in a small town in Wisconsin. So I had to ask as many people do, "why do you drive an hour to your job? Charman without hesitation responded how she always has," I would rather drive an hour to a job I love, than drive 10 minutes to a job I don't enjoy!"

Charman has been married for 23 years and she have 2 grown sons. When not working, Charman can be found reading her Kindle or watching true crime shows on Investigation Discovery. Charman also enjoys going to concerts and spending time with family, friends, and coworkers.

Other Fun Facts:

Favorite musician: Brantley Gilbert

Favorite movie: How to Train Your Dragon

Favorite TV show: Homicide Hunter

Favorite Author: Lani Lynn Vale