

## **Charice Manor Bio**

Charice Manor works as a contract specialist with the government. She is a proud Army Veteran with combat service during Operation Iraqi Freedom. She holds a bachelor's degree in Marketing from Virginia State University, a Masters of Business Administration from the University of Phoenix and teaching certification from Drexel University. Charice is also a former elementary and middle school teacher. She is passionate about teaching and education.

She has been a Toastmaster since October 2020. She immediately joined after visiting during the club's virtual open house in the Fall of 2020. She is most grateful for the growth she has experienced as a member. In Spring 2022, she placed first in her club speech contest, first in Area contest and placed third in the Division C speech contest. During this TM year 2021-2022, as club president, she transitioned her club from the virtual environment to holding hybrid club meetings. Her club achieved the honor of Presidential Distinguished Club that year. Although she lead the charge, she is grateful for having a strong supportive executive team and club. Charice is a member of three clubs (Scott Speakers Association, Writers Ink, Stl/Arnold Toastmasters) and she has served as Club President, Sergeant at Arms, Secretary, Vice President of Education, Area Director, Program Quality Director, and currently, as the District Director.

She is a children's book author of the books: "The Secret Ingredient" and "Tomboy". She resides in Belleville with her husband, and son.

Charice is dedicated to doing all that she can and sharing what she knows. She desires to be an influential leader in all the roles she holds throughout