

21+ YEARS WITH WENDY ALLRED

UI CLAIMS ANALYST, UI TAX ANALYST, SENIOR UI TAX ANALYST

WHAT HAS KEPT YOU HERE FOR MORE THAN TWENTY YEARS?

Wendy Allred has been enabling the success of our clients for over 21 years! Starting back in the fall of 1997, even before Steve's famous Thanksgiving Brunch became a thing, Wendy was processing claims as a UI Claims Analyst. She is now a Senior UI Tax Analyst who serves her clients with a knowledge base that is incredibly valuable. When asked about her tenure here with the company, Wendy explains, "T&C proves they are not only about providing top notch service to our clients, but also supporting their employees. T&C really cares about supporting their employees personal lives. I have always felt like a member of a family. Over 21 years you go through a lot of ups and downs and every supervisor I have had has always been compassionate and willing to work with me no matter what came up. I have been privileged to know and work with wonderful people who have encouraged my growth."



Above: Tanya and Wendy at a Predator's game during the inaugural season in 1998. Right: Anne Childress along side Wendy's "Steve Cactus." Below: Wendy alongside Kris Thorngren during Kris's retirement party.



A FAVORITE MEMORY

"Sometime around 1999 or 2000, my mom gifted me a cactus on one of her visits from Virginia. When my toddler became mobile the cactus became a hazard at my house, so I brought it to the office. This cactus variety would shed its leaves as it grew new ones and just before they shed, the leaves would turn brown. Steve Thomas would like to give me a hard time telling me that the cactus looked dead, that I was killing it. I knew the cactus was still alive and thriving so to playfully get him back for his negativity towards my cactus, I named the cactus Steve. "Steve" did so well that he was repotted several times in the office because he kept outgrowing his pot. When I transferred offices, I left Steve behind (mostly because he was too big to transport), so he remained in the Nashville office. Although he has had several guardians over the years, Anne Childress of Decisions/Hearings Support is his current attendant." - Wendy Allred

