

**UCT President
Mary Applegate**

Mary Applegate of Crawfordville, Florida, is a member of Fort Myers, Florida Council 900 and a past local president and past regional president. She has served on a number of committees on the international level and was a UCT Fraternalist in Action in 2010 and was honored as UCT's Volunteer of the Year in 2013.

Mary is passionate about UCT's tagline – Where Community and Compassion Unite – and takes it very much to heart. She is on hand to help anyone who is looking for opportunities to give back to their community through volunteering.

Mary has 13 years real estate experience and is currently a full-time broker-associate with Exit Realty Café, working with buyers and sellers. She also spent three years as a social worker at HMS working with individuals with disabilities, four years as child welfare case manager working with abused and neglected children, and four years as a clerk specialist for the state of Florida.

She is a longtime volunteer who puts in countless hours each year giving back to her community. For years she has supported programs for individuals with disabilities, including Special Olympics, the Cerebral Palsy Association, the Muscular Dystrophy Association, Ronald McDonald House and Pyramid Studios. Mary has been a volunteer and collected donations for causes like the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, The Salvation Army, the American Red Cross, and Disney World marathons. And she has helped mobilize young people by getting involved in programs like the Sunshine Speed Skating Club, the Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts, 4-H, and the National Junior Honor Society.

