

## **DEPARTMENT HISTORIAN**

### **Michael Smith**

First, a grateful “thank you” to Commander Channel for the opportunity to document your travels around our great Department. While life got in the way a few times, I was honored to be able to attend official visits, testimonials and other events with you and other members of the Department staff.

From Cape May to Sussex, Bergen to Camden and all in between, it was a great experience to travel and take pictures of our members as they interacted with each other and participated in our Legion experience.

I have taken at least 1,000 pictures during the Legion year and will probably finish with over 2,000 by the end of the national convention.

It has been an honor and privilege to serve our great Department as Historian, and I thank Commander Channel once again for the opportunity to serve.