



THE SALVATION ARMY
AUSTRALIA TERRITORIAL HEADQUARTERS

Official Notice

PROMOTED TO GLORY

Major Marie Hambleton

18 May 1939 – 16 September 2026



Major Marie Hambleton was Promoted to Glory on 16 September 2026 aged 87 years, and entered her eternal reward after faithfully serving God as a commissioned officer for 52 years. Marie trained in the Servants of Christ session being commissioned on 11 January 1964.

*The Master said to Marie, 'Well done, good and faithful servant.
You have been faithful Enter into the joy of your master.' Matthew 25:23*

Our love and prayers, along with our heartfelt sympathy covers daughter, Lisa and Major John Hindle; grandchildren, Ebony, Catherine and Laura Hindle, Jane and Jordan Kidas, and Kate and Caleb Baker. Her son, Andrew and Paula Hambleton; grandchildren, Joshua and Rebekah. Her sisters, Major Joyce Byrnes and Major Robyn Proud.

A Public Service of Thanksgiving & Celebration of Marie's life will be held on:

Date: Friday 25 September 2026
Time: 1:00 pm
Venue: The Salvation Army Bayside
9 MacArthur Street
Alexandra Hills, QLD 4161

Livestream: via the [Bayside Salvos YouTube page](#)

Refreshments to follow.

For those who may want to convey condolences, please see the following contact information:

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Major Marie Hambleton

Appointment History*

*The Australia Territory of The Salvation Army
acknowledges and honours the service of
Marie Hambleton
Servants of Christ*

Out of Dee Why Corps		
Corps Officer, Botany Corps	Australia Eastern Territory	1965
Corps Officer, Dalby Corps	Australia Eastern Territory	1966
Assistant Officer, Goulburn Boys Home	Australia Eastern Territory	1967
Corps Officer, Salisbury Corps Qld	Australia Eastern Territory	1978
Corps Officer, Redcliffe City Corps	Australia Eastern Territory	1980
Educational Program Artist, THQ Youth Department	Australia Eastern Territory	1982
Secretary, Salvation Army Medical Fellowship	Australia Eastern Territory	1987
Canberra Community Services Centre and Educational Programs for Community	Australia Eastern Territory	1990
Retired	Australian Eastern Territory	1994
Thailand - Education Program, Young Children and Adults	Australia Eastern Territory	1999
Divisional Silver Star Secretary, South Queensland Divisional Headquarters	Australia Eastern Territory	2015

"Well done, good and faithful servant!"

Matthew 25:23

"Having fought the good fight, finished the race, and kept the faith."

2 Timothy 4:7

**Appointment History as recorded on Officer Personnel file*