



THE SALVATION ARMY
AUSTRALIA TERRITORIAL HEADQUARTERS

Official Notice



PROMOTED TO GLORY

Commissioner Coral Strong

30 March 1944 - 15 June 2025

Commissioner Coral Strong was Promoted to Glory on 15 June 2025. Coral, aged 85 years, entered her eternal reward, with Jesus walking her home after faithfully serving 58 years, 5 months, and 6 days. Coral trained in the "Defenders of the Faith" Session and was commissioned on 9 January 1967.

*The Master said to Coral '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 and surrounds Commissioner Les, Kerry and Richard, Craig and Sarah, Julie and Tim, and their families.

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

Date: Thursday 26 June 2025
Time: 2:30pm
Location: The Salvation Army, Macarthur Corps,
Cnr Exchange Parade and Narellan Rd
Smeaton Grange, NSW

Live Stream of Service:

<https://www.youtube.com/@macarthursalvos> or <https://www.facebook.com/macarthursalvos>

For those who may want to contact the family during this time, please see the following contact information

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Carrington Village
151/90 Werombi Rd
Grasmere NSW 2570

Or via email: landc1967@gmail.com

Cheryl Carpenter (Lt Colonel)

Retired Officers Support Secretary – Australia
On behalf of **The Secretary for Personnel**

Commissioner Coral Strong

Appointment History*

*The Australia Territory of The Salvation Army
acknowledges and honours the service of
Commissioner Coral Strong
“Defenders of the Faith”*



Out of Kalba Corps, QLD	Australia Eastern Territory	1965
Corps Officer, Bega Corps	Australia Eastern Territory	1967
Corps Officer, Deniliquin Corps	Australia Eastern Territory	1967
Corps Officer, Nowra Corps	Australia Eastern Territory	1969
Corps Officer, North Rockhampton Corps	Australia Eastern Territory	1971
Corps Officer, Gympie Corps	Australia Eastern Territory	1973
Divisional Guard Organiser, Sydney West Division	Australia Eastern Territory	1973
Divisional Guard Organiser, Sydney Central Division	Australia Eastern Territory	1976
Corps Officer, Bundaberg Corps	Australia Eastern Territory	1981
Corps Officer, Nundah Corps	Australia Eastern Territory	1984
Secretary Extended Corps Fellowship, Field Department THQ	Australia Eastern Territory	1987
Divisional Director of Women's Organisations, West NSW Division	Australia Eastern Territory	1989
Guard Organiser, Youth Department	Australia Eastern Territory	1990
Liaison Officer, Sagala Fellowship	Australia Eastern Territory	1990
Divisional Director of Women's Organisations, South Queensland Division	Australia Eastern Territory	1995
Women's Ministries Secretary, Women's Ministries Department	Australia Eastern Territory	1998
Territorial Secretary Adult and Family Ministries, Australian Southern THQ	Australia Eastern Territory	2000
Territorial President of Women's Ministries, Women's Ministries Administration	Australia Eastern Territory	2003
Retirement	Australia Eastern Territory	2008

*“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*