



HONORARY PALLBEARERS

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PALLBEARERS

Dorchester County
Sherriff's Office Honor Guard



- IN APPRECIATION -

The family of the late Major Ernest Samuel Moultrie (Ret.) wishes to extend sincere gratitude for all expressions of kindness and comfort shown during their period of bereavement. Special thanks to the Dorchester County Sheriff's Office, Family Hospice, Hospice nurse Lauren Lewis, Hospice Aid, Willa Brown, Baum Temple A.M.E Zion Church, Brownsville Community Church of God, New Bethel Sounds of Praise, Mr. Sam Base, and the Staff of the Full-Up Station, Andrew Shephard Law Firm, and The PMC Law Firm.



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CELEBRATION OF *Life* FOR THE LATE

MAJOR ERNEST SAMUEL MOULTRIE (RET.)

Sunrise
05.05.1932

Sunset
04.23.2026

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29, 2026
11:00 IN THE MORNING

NEW BETHEL SOUNDS OF PRAISE
351 GREYBACK ROAD
SUMMERVILLE, SOUTH CAROLINA 29483

- INTERMENT -
BROWNSVILLE CEMETERY
101 PIDGEON BAY ROAD
SUMMERVILLE, SOUTH CAROLINA 29483

LIFE REFLECTIONS



Ernest Samuel Moultrie was born on May 5, 1932, in Summerville, SC to David and Mollie Moultrie. The youngest of

seven children, he graduated from Alston High School where he played football and basketball.

After Graduation he joined the Unites States Air Force during the Ko-rean War. He took his basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas and schooling in Cheyenne, Wyoming. During his tour he was stationed in Tokyo, Misawa, Japan, Hickam Air Force Base, Honolulu, Hawaii, and Midway Island.

After returning from the service, he became a master brick mason and married his high-school sweetheart, Geraldine Simmons in 1955. They were married for sixty-three years until her death in 2018. From this union three children were born, Perida Sonia, Julie Marie, and Ernest Barry. His heart was broken once again when he lost his daughter, Julie Marie Belton, in 2023.

In 1968 he entered law enforcement where he became the first full-time Black Deputy Sheriff for Dorchester County. Later he was promoted to Detective Sergeant, making him the first Detective in Dorchester Coun-ty including cities of Summerville, And St. George. He was later pro-moted to Lieutenant, Captain, Major and then Chief Deputy Sheriff of Dorchester County, where he was second in command to Sheriff Carl Knight. He retired in 1977 for one whole day. He returned to work for the Sheriff’s Department in Court Security until his retirement in 2022.

He has served under six consecutive Sheriffs in Dorchester County; Carl Knight, J.C. Woodberry, John Sutherland, Ray Nash, L.C. Knight, and Samuel Richardson. He had the honor of swearing into office Sheriff Ray Nash for both terms. At the time of his retirement, he had the distinction of being the longest serving and oldest active law enforcement officer of the State of South Carolina.

As a child, Ernest grew up in First Baptist Church. After his mar-riage he began to attend Baum’s Temple A.M.E Zion Church with his wife and many of her family members. He later became a found-ing member of Blessed Vison Ministry but eventually returned to Baum Temple. He was a member of New Eden Masonic Lodge #329, Summerville, SC. He also served on the board that helped build a chapel at Lieber Prison, the Dorchester District II School Sports Hall of Fame Board and the selection board of Habitat for Humanities.

In 2015 the South Carolina State Legislature passed a bill naming the intersection of Highway 78 and Deming Way in Summerville, the Major Ernest Samuel Molturie Intersection. The Department of Transportation erected a street sign to reflect the same.

His memory, love, and devotion will be cherished by his children, Perida and Barry, a very special and devoted granddaughter, Yvonne Harrison-Simmons, many other grands and great-grands, his brother David(Lucille) Moultrie and many nieces and nephews.

He will be missed by many devoted friends and associates to include Dale Nevins, Arthur Lee (Smitty) Smith, Sheriff Sam Richardson, Vera Jenkins, Irene Clark, Oliver and Janice Nolan, Marie McMi-chael, Leah Duggins, and Deloris Lambright.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Rev. Vanessa Wilson, Officiating
Pastor of Baum Temple A.M.E. Zion Church

Prelude..... Musicians

Processional..... Clergy and Family
“Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross”

Call to Worship.....

Invocation.....

Hymn of Praise..... Choir
“What A Friend We Have In Jesus”

Scripture Readings:
Old Testament..... *Lamentations 3:23-33....*Deacon Alphonso Harrison
Brownsville Community Church of God

New Testament.....*II Corinthians 1:1-7....* Reverend. Pam Queeman
Pastor of Blessed Vison Ministry

Prayer of Comfort.....Reverend Kim Moultrie Bryant
Grace United Methodist Church

Musical Selection Sister Cassandra Cooner
By request of Mr. Moultrie

Reflections:
Reverend Claudette Ketchens Felder, *Family*
The Honorable Judge Diane Goodstein
The Honorable Ray Nash, *Former Dorchester County Sherriff*
The Honorable L.C. Knight, *Former Dorchester County Sherriff*
The Honorable Samuel Richardson, *Dorchester County Sheriff*

Acknowledgements Albert A. Glover Funeral Home

Musical Selection Sister LaVondra Green

Eulogy..... Reverend Dr. George E. McKain II

Recessional.....

Final Viewing..... Albert A. Glover Funeral Home

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Brownsville Cemetery
101 Pidgeon Bay Road
Summerville, South Carolina 29483