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EXPRESSIONS OF GRATITUDE

Please know that the family of
EMORY STILTON HEARD, III
has been deeply blessed by your many
acts of kindness and support during the passing
of our dear loved one. Your presence, calls,
visits, gifts, prayers and all acts of compassion
will always be a beacon of hope and a
strong pillar of faith for our lives.
May God forever bless and keep you.

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A CELEBRATION OF *Life* FOR



Emory Stilton
HEARD, III

SUNRISE: MAY 26, 1969 | SUNSET: SEPTEMBER 5, 2026

Wednesday, September 30, 2026
11:00 A.M.

O. Allen Gethers Memorial Chapel
200 Grace Street | Moncks Corner, SC
Reverend Johnnie Wilson, Officiant

- INTERMENT -

Bethel UMC Cemetery
1245 Forty-One Road, St. Stephen, SC

LIFE REFLECTIONS

Emory Stilton Heard, III, was born on May 26, 1969, in New York City, New York, a son of the late Janey Middleton (Heard) and Emory Heard, Jr. He departed this life on Saturday, September 5, 2026, in San Diego, California.

Stilton, as we all knew him, attended the public schools of San Diego County, California, where he graduated from high school. He later attended the University of California at Irvine, where he received his Bachelor's degree.

Stilton's love for helping people led him to become a Paralegal, a career in which he spent 26 years working in Victim Services with the San Diego County District Attorney's Office. He was a cherished member of the Victims Services Division. As part of the Joint Power Team, his focus and expertise were instrumental in helping victims of crime receive their compensation from the state in an efficient manner.

Stilton loved ocean fishing, baseball, and sipping on a good cup of coffee.

He leaves to cherish his memory: a special sister/cousin, Pamela (Julius) Denson of Valrico, FL; his beloved aunts, Edna Thompson of Moncks Corner, SC, Kaye Burrow, Sandra Russell, and Sharon Heard, all of Alabama; an uncle, Robert Heard of New Jersey; his dearest first, second, and third cousins; his work family from the San Diego, California, District Attorney's Office – Victims Division; and his mom's most special and devoted friends, Jessica Washington and Cassandra Harrison, both of Los Angeles, CA.



ORDER OF SERVICE

Reverend Dr. Julius Barnes, Presiding

Processional "When the Saints Go Marching In"

Opening Selection

Prayer Lay Servant Arthur Dale Thompson

Scripture Readings

Old Testament Psalm 23
Lay Servant Dollie Wheeler

New Testament Revelation 21:4-5
Reverend Jannie McConnell

Acknowledgements Alexis M. Amous

Solo Bridgette Hood

Words of Comfort Reverend Johnnie Wilson

Selection

Committal

Benediction

Recessional