

## JAMES W. DISHMAN

On the 6th of November, 1912, Brother Dishman departed this life and went to be with the Lord. Brother Dishman was a universal favorite. Everybody who knew him had confidence in him. He was a kind-hearted, sympathetic, generous man, a loyal and useful citizen, an ideal neighbor, a devoted husband and father, a model church member, a Christian of the purest type. In twenty-seven years he missed only a few meetings of his church. I had been his pastor for more than eleven years, and he heard every sermon I preached at his church till he was stricken down by the sickness which resulted in his death. He had served his church in almost every capacity needed, from sexton to deacon. He made a good and efficient Sunday-school superintendent. He was deacon and church treasurer at the time of his death. In this capacity he served many years, and during his term of service the church greatly prospered. All expenses, including pastor's salary, were promptly paid.

He craved no higher earthly joy than to see his church prosper and to see her members active and orderly.

Brother Dishman was the pastor's friend and helper. It would be difficult to find a truer friend and a more affectionate supporter of his pastor than was this dear brother.

The Lord has taken him. "The Lord doeth all things well." J. H. NEWBILL.  
Shiloh, January 10, 1913.

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