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Deaths

James S. Dishman

Mr. James Samuel Dishman of Ninde died April 8 at the home of his son, James D. Dishman, in Lynchburg at the age of 93.

Mr. Dishman served as sheriff in King George County for 16 years, from 1942 to 1958. It was the husband of the late Mrs. Betty Grigsby Dishman, and the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. James William Dishman of King George County. He was a lifelong member of Round Hill Baptist Church at Ninde.

When Mr. Dishman celebrated his ninetieth birthday, he received a special letter of congratulations from the White House. He was very active for his years and decided to give up driving three years ago.

Services, conducted by the Rev. Victor Voelker and the Rev. John Morgan, were held April 10 at Round Hill Baptist Church. Burial was in the church cemetery. His grandsons served as pallbearers. Honorary pallbearers were the men of the church.

Mr. Dishman is survived by five daughters, Mrs. Wallace T. Duncan of Purcellville, Mrs. Reginald S. Berry of Lynchburg, Mrs. Richard C. Cook of McLean, Mrs. William R. Stewart of Vienna and Mrs. Randolph Hopkins of Colonial Beach; two sons, James D. Dishman and William K. Dishman, both of Lynchburg; 20 grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.