

## Mary Polly Dishman

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**Commentary:** Mary “Polly” Dishman was a daughter of Jefferson and Lydia Upchurch Dishman, and this a granddaughter of George, head of Upchurch Clan 5.

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### I. George Upchurch – Head of Clan

#### A. Lydia Upchurch born 1782 – 11 children

31. Lydia Upchurch was born ca 1782 Brunswick County, Virginia and died ca 1845 Wayne County, Kentucky. Her husband was Jefferson (Jeptha) Dishman. Jefferson was born 1770-77 in North Carolina and died ca 1847 Wayne County, Kentucky. He was the son of Thomas Dishman and Kizzie Doublehead. Thomas's existence and parentage have been disputed by the present day descendants of Samuel Duchemin.

Jeffery Dishman was listed in the 1810 Iredell County, North Carolina census as Jephthru Dishman 1 male 26-45, 1 female 26-45, 2 males 0-10, 3 females 0-10.

Jeffery Dishman was listed in the 1820 census of Wayne County, Kentucky. Included in the 1820 listing were 4 males 0-9 years old, 2 males 10-15 years old, 1 male 26-44, 1 female 0-9, 2 females 16-25, 1 female 26-44, 1 female 45+, with 3 people engaged in commerce.

Jefferson is listed in the 1830 census living in Morgan County, Tennessee. Included in this listed were 1 male 5-10, 2 males 10-15, 1 male 15-20, 1 male 50-60, 1 female 10-15, 1 female 20-30, 1 female 50-60.

In 1840 they were back in Wayne County, Kentucky. Jefferson is listed with 1 male 50-60, 1 female 20-30, and 1 female 30-40. Their children

311. Mary Polly Dishman born 12-21-1803 Iredell County, North Carolina 2-12-19-1883 Overton County, Tennessee

312. Sinah Dishman born 1805 Iredell County, North Carolina died 7-16-1870 Wayne County, Kentucky

313. Archibald Dishman born 12-18-1806 Iredell County, North Carolina and died 6-22-1879 Fentress County, Tennessee

314. Thomas Jefferson Dishman born 1809 Iredell County, North Carolina died 1850 Wayne County, Kentucky

315. Mark Dishman born 1810 Iredell County, North Carolina died Fentress County, Tennessee

316. Miles Dishman born 1811 Iredell County, North Carolina died after 1880 Overton County, Tennessee

317. Joseph Dishman born 1812 Iredell County, North Carolina and died 11-8-1903 Wayne County, Kentucky

318. Elender Nellie Dishman born 9-27-1814 Iredell County, North Carolina died 10-14-1876 Overton County, Tennessee

319. Moses Dishman born 1817 Iredell County, North Carolina died 8-1864 Fentress County, Tennessee

310. Burrell Tremont Dishman born 10-27-1820 Wayne County, Kentucky and died 5-23-1901 Wayne County, Kentucky

31a Calvin Dishman born 1810-20

- RPA HAD WIFE  
173 ELIZABETH  
HANCOCK
- NEW TO RPA
- RPA HAD H/S  
MILLY POLLY DISHMAN
- PRESUME SAME AS  
NELLY DISHMAN  
IN RPA RECORDS
- RPA HAD  
SUSAN DISHMAN ??  
b ABT 1845  
ROSEANNA DISHMAN "RONA"  
b ABT 1846
314. Thomas Jefferson Dishman was born 1809 Iredell County, North Carolina and died about 1850 Wayne County, Kentucky. His wife was Elizabeth Percy Smith who was born 1811 Tennessee. This Dishman was living in Wayne County, Kentucky during the 1840 census. His brother Archibald was living next door. Listed in the household were 1 male 0-5, 2 males 5-10, 1 male 20-30, 2 females 0-5, 1 female 10-15, and 1 female 20-30. Thomas and Elisabeth Fishman were living in Overton County, Tennessee during the 1850 census. Their name is listed in ancestry.com as Fishman but when I looked at the census copy their name is clearly Dishman. Thomas was living near brother Miles. In 1860, Elizabeth was living in Wayne County, Kentucky. The youngest five children were home in 1860. Their children
3141. Lucinda Dishman born 1829 Overton County, Tennessee
3142. John Dishman born 1832 Overton County, Tennessee died Wayne County, Kentucky
3143. Milus Dishman born 1833 Overton County, Tennessee died Overton County, Tennessee
3144. Polly Dishman born 11-10-1835 Wayne County, Kentucky died 3-20-1907 Overton County, Tennessee
3145. George Dishman born 1836 Wayne County, Kentucky died 1868 Wayne County, Kentucky
3146. Penelope Dishman born 1838 Wayne County, Kentucky died Wayne County, Kentucky
3147. Elizabeth Dishman born 1841 Wayne County, Kentucky died Wayne County, Kentucky
3148. Richard Dishman born 7-1843 Wayne County, Kentucky died 11-27-1908 Wayne County, Kentucky
3149. Lowena Dishman born 1845 Wayne County, Kentucky died Wayne County, Kentucky
3140. Serena Dishman born 1-9-1846 Wayne County, Kentucky died 1-9-1942 Wayne County, Kentucky
- NEW TO RPA

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## I. George Upchurch – Head of Clan

### A. Lydia Upchurch

1. Thomas Jefferson Dishman born about 1809 (NC) died about 1849. married ( ) Elizabeth Hancock, daughter of Thomas Hancock & Jane Morgan
  - a. John Andrew Dishman born about 1832 (TN)
  - b. Milus Dozie Dishman born Jun 1834 (TN) married (1<sup>st</sup>) ( ) Margaret Gallett married (2<sup>nd</sup>) 18 Feb 1872 (Overton Co, TN) Margaret Lowe
  - c. George Dishman born about 1838 (Fentress Co, TN) died 1865 (KY)
  - d. **Mary Polly Dishman** born about 1837 (KY)
  - e. Nelly Dishman born 5 Apr 1839 (KY)
  - f. Elizabeth Dishman born about 1841 (KY)
  - g. Susan Dishman born about 1845 (KY)
  - h. Richard Dishman born Jul 1845 (TN) died 27 Nov 1908 (Wayne Co, KY) (buried Chestnut Grove Cemetery) Richard served in Co D, 3<sup>rd</sup> Regt, Mounted Infantry married (1<sup>st</sup>) ( ) \*Catherine Privett<sup>1</sup>, daughter of Elias Privett and Mary Upchurch [Mary S Upchurch, daughter of Moses Upchurch and granddaughter of George Upchurch – Head of Clan married (2<sup>nd</sup>) ( ) Mellisa Marcum

married (3<sup>rd</sup>) 29 Feb 1872 (Wayne Co, LY) Elizabeth Hancock<sup>2</sup>, daughter of Thomas Hancock and Jane Morgan

i.<sup>1</sup> James Rufus Dishman born 1869 [He is son of Catherine Privett by her 1<sup>st</sup> husband James E Dishman]

ii.<sup>1</sup> Mary L Dishman born May 1870

iii.<sup>2</sup> Beryl Dishman

iv.<sup>2</sup> → etc. = children of Richard and Elizabeth – see separate extract

\*Other records show that Catherine Ann Privett married (1<sup>st</sup>) not James E Dishman but rather Rufus E Dishman, son of Joseph Dishman and grandson of Lydia Upchurch. Further that the Joseph Dishman married not Millie Upchurch but rather Millie Williams - RPU