

# Tim

# Johnson

## Qualities/descriptions

- Dog, liver colored (brown)
- Hunched, Spasming
- Jem says he is looking for a place to die
- Town pet → everyone knows him, everyone contributes
- Rabid, Mad → Disease, many stages, "Far from dead"
- ~~Recognize~~ Human first and last name (Tom Robinson)
- February → This is out of the ordinary!
- Heading in the direction of the Finch house
- "Just as dangerous dead as alive"

## Character Reactions

- Calpurnia → calls everyone, shut your doors, stay inside
- Scout is starting to realize more about the world.
- Calpurnia knows a mad dog when she sees it.
- Townspeople shut themselves in
- Jem + Scout weren't scared, they were curious, Cautious
- Heck Tate is the ~~sheriff~~ sheriff, puts responsibility on Atticus.
- Atticus takes off glasses + shoots the dog → one swoot finch
- Jem was cautious, didn't want to take chances

Tim Johnson represents Tom Robinson

- outcasted, feared
- Atticus comes to take care of the problem
- No one wants to shoot the dog, no one wants to represent Tom

## Conclusion

T.J. represent racism, + racist Maycomb

- Demonstrates racist attitudes
- Jem + Scout are brought up in a non-racist house → could represent ~~opposite~~ Tolerance
- Racism can't be gotten rid of in "just one shot"

\*FORESHADOW\*  
Will T.R. Die?