

President Truman speaks on steps of Lincoln Memorial



Description

President Truman speaks from a rostrum on the steps of the Lincoln Memorial as he addresses the closing session of the 38th annual conference of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People. Senator Wayne Morse is seated on the right in the first row. Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt is seated second from the right on the first row, next to Senator Morse. Walter White, President of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People is seated in the front row, on the other side of the empty chair next to Mrs. Roosevelt.

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8x10 inches (21x26 cm) Black & White

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People Pictured Morse, Wayne L. (Wayne Lyman), 1900-1974 Roosevelt, Eleanor, 1884-1962 Truman, Harry S., 1884-1972 White, Walter Francis, 1893-1955

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