

# Parachutists step into space from a Fairchild C-82



## Description

Parachutists step into space from twin doors in the Fairchild C-82. This maneuver took place at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, in October of 1949 during President Harry S. Truman's visit, to review airborne maneuvers as well as to review 20,000 troops and inspect new artillery weapons. The C-82 was built by Fairchild Aircraft, Hagerstown, Maryland.

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8x10 inches (21x26 cm) Black & White

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