



### Description

Photo of Sergeant Jake Lindsey of Lucedale, MS, being presented with the Congressional Medal of Honor by President Harry S. Truman before a joint session of Congress. Here the President, back to camera on the rostrum, presents the award to the Sergeant as General George C. Marshall looks on. In front of the flag are Senator Kenneth McKellar, President of the Senate and Speaker Sam Rayburn, while seated in the front row are the Sergeant's family with an Army officer as an escort. From: Beth Gore.

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**People Pictured** Marshall, George C. (George Catlett), 1880-1959    McKellar, Kenneth Douglas, 1869-1957  
Rayburn, Sam, 1882-1961    Truman, Harry S., 1884-1972    Lindsey, James B.

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