

# Truman attending mass burial at Arlington



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## Description

Distance view of President Harry S. Truman attending the burial of twenty soldiers at Arlington National Cemetery. These twenty were the first war dead now returned to be buried in the United States. Standing in the group between the rows of caskets are, front row, from left to right: President Truman; Secretary of State George Marshall; Secretary of the Treasury John Snyder; Secretary of Defense James Forrester; Secretary of the Army Kenneth Royall; Under Secretary of the Navy John L. Sullivan; unidentified. In the second row, standing behind President Truman are Admiral William D. Leahy; General Harry Vaughan. In the third row, Admiral Chester Nimitz; General Dwight Eisenhower; unidentified; and Lieutenant General Lauris Norstad. All others are unidentified.

Date(s)

October 30, 1947

8x10 inches (21x26 cm)

Black & White

Keywords

Armed forces officers

Cabinet officers

National cemeteries

Naval officers

Presidents

Sailors

Soldiers

HST Keywords

Truman - Ceremonies - Memorial - 1947; Virginia, Arlington

People Pictured

Truman, Harry S., 1884-1972

Forrestal, James, 1892-1949

Leahy, William D. (William Daniel), 1875-1959

Marshall, George C. (George Catlett), 1880-1959

Royall, Kenneth C. (Kenneth Claiborne), 1894-1971

Snyder, John W. (John Wesley), 1895-1985

Sullivan, John L. (John Lawrence), 1899-1982

Leahy, William D. (William Daniel), 1875-1959

Vaughan, Harry H., 1893-1981

Nimitz, Chester W. (Chester William), 1885-1966

Eisenhower, Dwight D. (Dwight David), 1890-1969

Norstad, Lauris, 1907-1988

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