

# Truman Shaking Hands with the Shah of Iran



## Description

President Harry S. Truman (foreground, right) and the Shah of Iran (foreground, left) shaking hands at Washington National Airport upon the Shah's arrival in the United States, with the President's airplane, "The Independence" (which had brought the Shah to Washington) in the background. General Harry Vaughan is on the far left. Others are unidentified.

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**People Pictured** Truman, Harry S., 1884-1972 Mohammed Reza Pahlavi, Shah of Iran, 1919-1980 Vaughan, Harry H., 1893-1981

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