

# President Harry S. Truman Presents Congressional Medals of Honor for Korean War Heroes



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## **Description**

President Harry S. Truman paid the nation's highest tribute to five heroes of the Korean War, presenting Congressional Medals of Honor to the next of kin. From left to right: Mrs. Mildred Dean, wife of Major General William F. Dean; Mrs. Lavon P. Henry, wife of Lieutenant Frederick F. Henry; President Truman; Mrs. Maidie S. Watkins, wife of Master Sergeant Travis L. Watkins; Secretary of the Army Frank Pace, Jr.; Mrs. Hazel O. Turner, mother of Sergeant Charles W. Turner; and Edward D. Brown, father of Private First Class Melvin L. Brown.

## **Date(s)**

January 9, 1951

8x10 inches (21x26 cm)      Black & White

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**People Pictured** Pace, Frank, 1912-1988      Truman, Harry S., 1884-1972

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